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## 2021 ASSEMBLY BILL 498

August 4, 2021 - Introduced by Representatives Sortwell, Tittl, Brandtjen, Cabral-Guevara, Gundrum, James, Krug, Moses, Murphy, Pronschinske, Summerfield, Thiesfeldt, Wichgers and Tusler, cosponsored by Senator Bradley. Referred to Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety.

#### \*\*\*AUTHORS SUBJECT TO CHANGE\*\*\*

- 1 **AN ACT** *to amend* 175.60 (1) (g) and 175.60 (3) (a) of the statutes; **relating to:**
- 2 minimum age to be eligible for a license to carry a concealed weapon.

### Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Current law generally prohibits an individual from carrying a concealed weapon unless the individual has a license to carry a concealed weapon that is issued by the Department of Justice. Under current law, DOJ may not issue a license to an individual who is under the age of 21. This bill lowers the minimum age requirement from 21 to 18.

# The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

- **SECTION 1.** 175.60 (1) (g) of the statutes is amended to read:
- 4 175.60 (1) (g) "Out-of-state licensee" means an individual who is  $21 \underline{18}$  years
- of age or over, who is not a Wisconsin resident, and who has been issued an
- 6 out-of-state license.

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**Section 2.** 175.60 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

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SECTION 2

1 175.60 (3) (a) The individual is less than 21 18 years of age.

2 (END)