

AMENDMENTS TO LB 671

(Amendments to AM1009)

Introduced by Pirsch, 4.

1 1. Strike section 3 and insert the following new section:

2 Sec. 3. The council shall, with respect to ensuring
3 quality and uniform death investigation processes throughout the
4 state, develop guidelines to promote uniform and quality death
5 investigations for county coroners. Such guidelines may include
6 guidance to the county coroner in:

7 (1) Determining the need for autopsies involving:

8 (a) Deaths of individuals nineteen years of age or older;

9 (b) Deaths of individuals under nineteen years of age;

10 (c) Sudden, unexplained infant deaths;

11 (d) Deaths while in custody;

12 (e) Deaths caused by motor vehicle collisions;

13 (f) Deaths by burning; and

14 (g) Suspicious deaths;

15 (2) The utilization of investigative tools and equipment;

16 (3) Entering the death scene;

17 (4) Documenting and evaluating the death scene;

18 (5) Documenting and evaluating the body;

19 (6) Establishing and recording decedent profile
20 information; and

21 (7) Completing the death scene investigation.

22 Persons investigating infant deaths and young child

- 1 deaths may also refer to the recommendations adopted by the
- 2 Attorney General with respect to such investigations.