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**Department of Corrections Secretary Raemisch  
Announces New Public Information Director**

*Linda Eggert joins DOC's Office of the Secretary*

MADISON – Wisconsin Department of Corrections (DOC) Secretary Rick Raemisch today announced the appointment of Linda Eggert as DOC's Public Information Director.

"Linda's award winning career in journalism along with her broadcast communications expertise in the areas of state and local government will be invaluable assets to our Department," Secretary Raemisch said.

Eggert started her career in 1984 at WEAU-TV in Eau Claire. In 1987, she began working at WISC-TV in Madison where she has now spent over 20 years. During her time at WISC-TV, Eggert provided daily contributions to Channel3000.com, interviewed a diverse range of newsmakers, leaders and citizens, and excelled as a chief investigative reporter. She is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, having received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Journalism.

"Linda brings over 25 years of knowledge and experience to this crucial position within the Department. Linda's history of dedication to the citizens of Wisconsin will ensure the Department continues to promote our mission of public safety," stated Secretary Raemisch.

Eggert's appointments will take effect on March 14, 2010.

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