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**Statement from Milwaukee County Executive and Candidate for Governor  
Scott Walker on the Indictment of one of Jim Doyle's Top Aides in the  
Department of Administration:**

“The indictment handed down today shows how corruption can infiltrate all areas of government. Unfortunately we have a Governor and administration that condones unethical and illegal behavior. The people of Wisconsin deserve better.”

“Today’s indictment provides further confirmation that the Doyle administration is damaged and must be removed from the Capitol. Jim Doyle’s political connections to this aide are, without question, mentioned as a defining piece of the evidence used to bring forth this indictment.”

Count Two, 3.

“Thompson intended her actions to cause political advantage for her supervisors.”

Count Two, 4.

“The actions of Thompson also helped and were intended to help her job security”

“Governor Doyle needs to purge his administration of individuals who place politics and special interests ahead of the people of Wisconsin. I am also calling on the Governor to adopt the reforms I proposed earlier this month that would prohibit anyone bidding on a state contract from contributing to his campaign for Governor. I am calling on Governor Doyle’s campaign to return any contributions from individuals made while bidding on a state contract.”

“Additionally, I am calling on the Governor to prohibit his appointees from both giving to his campaign and/or hosting fundraisers on his behalf. Also, he should return any and all contributions from administration officials immediately.”

“Little can be said to underscore the seriousness of this charge. I am hopeful that the people of Wisconsin will allow me the opportunity to clean up Madison with the same fervor that guided my reform movement in Milwaukee County.”

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