



1997 SENATE BILL 295

September 16, 1997 - Introduced by JOINT COMMITTEE ON EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS.
Referred to Committee on Senate Organization.

1 **AN ACT relating to:** ratification of the agreement negotiated between the state
2 of Wisconsin and the Wisconsin State Employees Union, AFSCME Council 24,
3 and its appropriate affiliated locals, AFL-CIO, for the 1997-99 biennium,
4 covering employes in the technical collective bargaining unit, and authorizing
5 an expenditure of funds.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This proposal is introduced under section 111.92 (1) of the statutes. The proposal ratifies the collective bargaining contract for state employes in the technical collective bargaining unit negotiated for the 1997-99 biennium under the state employment labor relations act. Currently, statutory program supplement appropriations fund the costs of collective bargaining agreements to the extent that they exceed budgeted costs. The proposal authorizes expenditure of moneys from those appropriations to fund the cost of this agreement.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

1 **SECTION 1.** Agreement ratified. The legislature ratifies the tentative
2 agreement negotiated for the 1997-99 biennium between the state of Wisconsin,
3 department of employment relations, and the Wisconsin State Employees Union,
4 AFSCME Council 24, and its appropriate affiliated locals, AFL-CIO, covering
5 employes in the technical collective bargaining unit under subchapter V of chapter
6 111 of the statutes, as approved by the employes of the technical collective bargaining
7 unit and approved and recommended by the joint committee on employment
8 relations and authorizes the necessary expenditure of moneys for implementation
9 from the appropriations made by section 20.865 (1) of the statutes, subject to section
10 20.865 (intro.) of the statutes. The secretary of employment relations shall file an
11 official copy of the agreement, certified by the cochairpersons of the joint committee
12 on employment relations, with the secretary of state. No formal or informal
13 agreement between the parties which is not a part of the official copy is deemed to
14 be approved by the legislature under this act.

15 **SECTION 2. Effective date.**

16 (1) This act takes effect on the day following publication, except that those
17 provisions specifically identified as having other effective dates in the agreement
18 covering employes in the technical collective bargaining unit are effective on the
19 dates provided in that agreement.

20 **(END)**