

DRAFTER'S NOTE
FROM THE
LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

LRB-0685/1dn
DAK:pk:hmh

Monday, November 2, 1998

To Representative Schneider:

1. Section 16.47 (2), stats., prohibits each house of the legislature from passing a bill that contains an appropriation of or increases the cost of state government by more than \$10,000, except for emergency appropriations bills, until the budget bill has passed both houses. If this bill is introduced and enacted as an emergency measure prior to passage of the budget, the appropriation set forth in this bill will, as part of the enacted act, be repealed by action of the budget bill (which repeals and recreates the appropriations schedule) unless you have also amended the budget bill to include the correct appropriation line amount. You may, instead, wish to consider having this bill redrafted as an amendment to the budget bill. Alternatively, you may, instead, wish to include an effective date for the bill that is later than the projected date for passage of the budget bill. Last, you may, instead, wish to introduce this bill after passage of the budget bill; if that is done, please check with me after budget bill passage to ensure that the numbers for created statutes in this bill have not been supplanted by the budget bill.

2. I have provided that DHFS must establish procedures for distributing the immunization money by rule. Do you want DHFS to do this under emergency rule-making procedures, without requiring a finding of emergency, to speed up the rule making?

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