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# Assembly Hearing Slip

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Date: 3-28-01  
Bill No. AB 134  
Or  
Subject \_\_\_\_\_

Name REP Scott Gunderson

Street Address or Route Number \_\_\_\_\_

City and Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Representing \_\_\_\_\_

Speaking in favor:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Speaking against:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Registering in favor:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Registering against:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Speaking for information only:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Neither for nor against:	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Subject \_\_\_\_\_

Name Bonnie Ladwig

Street Address or Route Number \_\_\_\_\_

City and Zip Code SELE

Representing \_\_\_\_\_

Speaking in favor:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Speaking against:	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Name Tom Oursch - DOR

Street Address or Route Number \_\_\_\_\_

City and Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Representing \_\_\_\_\_

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Subject

Jan Wade

Name

Street Address or Route Number

City and Zip Code

4319 Assembly Dr.

Representing

Speaking in favor:

Speaking against:

Registering in favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for information only:

Neither for nor against:

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Ways & Means Committee  
Preliminary Report on Referred Legislation  
February 20, 2001

Bill: **AB 134**  
Author: **Gunderson**  
Date Referred: **02-19-2001**  
Public Hearing: **N/A**  
Executive Session: **N/A**

Relating Clause: **the amount of the exemption from income tax withholding requirements for employees of a county fair association.**

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**Comments from Department of Revenue-**  
Supported this legislation last session.

*\$100 exemp in place  
for 30 years*

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**Comments from the Author-**

Author's reasoning for introducing legislation:  
**Member of the Racine County Fair Board.**

Author's intent:

**By** Setting the threshold to \$300, would greatly reduced a county fair's paperwork, saving time and money. If the original threshold had been indexed for inflation, current threshold would be over \$300. This legislation passed the Assembly last session on a voice vote.

*No taxes withheld  
at time of payment.  
If worker meets in  
threshold he must  
still pay the tax*

Does the Author want the legislation moved forward?

Yes     No

If no, do we have this in writing?

Yes     No

Is the legislation in its final form?

Yes     No

If major changes are required, the author shall prepare and introduce the necessary amendments.

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**Comments from potentially affected parties-**  
comments.

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## Assembly Committee on Ways and Means

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_

Turner

Seconded by \_\_\_\_\_

Sykora

AB 134

SB \_\_\_\_\_

Clearinghouse Rule \_\_\_\_\_

AJR \_\_\_\_\_

SJR \_\_\_\_\_

A \_\_\_\_\_

SR \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

A/S Amdt \_\_\_\_\_

A/S Amdt \_\_\_\_\_

to A/S Amdt \_\_\_\_\_

A/S Sub Amdt \_\_\_\_\_

A/S Amdt \_\_\_\_\_

to A/S Sub Amdt \_\_\_\_\_

A/S Amdt \_\_\_\_\_

to A/S Amdt \_\_\_\_\_ to A/S Sub Amdt \_\_\_\_\_

Be recommended for:

Passage

Introduction

Adoption

Rejection

Indefinite Postponement

Tabling

Concurrence

Nonconcurrence

	Committee Member	Aye	No	Absent	Not voting
1.	Rep. Mickey Lehman, chair	1			
2.	Rep. John Ainsworth, vice-chair	2			
3.	Rep. Suzanne Jeskewitz				
4.	Rep. Frank Lasee	10			
5.	Rep. Samantha Starzyk	3			
6.	Rep. Tom Sykora	4			
7.	Rep. Carol Owens	12			
8.	Rep. Luther Olsen	5			
9.	Rep. Wayne Wood	6			
10.	Rep. Bob Ziegelbauer	7			
11.	Rep. Johnie Morris-Tatum	11			
12.	Rep. Mark Pocan	8			
13.	Rep. Bob Turner	9			
	Totals	9	0		

MOTION CARRIED

MOTION FAILED

# **Assembly Republican Majority**

## **Bill Summary**

### **AB 134: Tax Withholding for County Fair Association Employees**

Relating to: the amount of the exemption from income tax withholding requirements for employees of a county fair association.

By Representatives Gunderson, Ladwig, Freese, Nass, Musser, Olsen, Wade, Lassa, Starzyk, Ainsworth, Albers, J. Fitzgerald, Grothman, Hahn, Huber, Kedzie, Krawczyk, J. Lehman, M. Lehman, Vrakas, Townsend, Kestell, Jeskewitz, Lippert, Ott, Owens, Powers, Plouff, Seratti, Stone, Sykora and Williams; cosponsored by Senators M. Meyer, Decker, Farrow, Huelsman, Robson, Breske, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz, Plache, Shibilski, Roessler and S. Fitzgerald.

**Date:** January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2002

### **BACKGROUND**

Under current law, an employer must withhold from an employee's wages an amount as determined by the Department of Revenue. Current law exempts from this withholding requirement any county fair association, with regard to an employee who receives less than \$100 annually in wages or salary from the association.

### **SUMMARY OF AB 134**

Under Assembly Bill 134, the exemption amount for this provision is increased to \$300 annually.

### **FISCAL EFFECT**

A fiscal estimate prepared by the Department of Revenue indicates that this proposal would not have a significant effect on state income tax revenues or associated costs incurred by the Department of Revenue.

### **PROS**

1. This proposal would greatly reduce a county fair's paperwork, saving time and money.
2. Had this amount been indexed to inflation since its inception, the current threshold would be over \$300.

### **CONS**

1. None apparent.

### **SUPPORTERS**

Rep. Scott Gunderson, author; Senator Mark Meyer, lead co-sponsor; Rep. Bonnie Ladwig, 63<sup>rd</sup> Assembly District.

### **OPPOSITION**

None.

### **HISTORY**

Assembly Bill 134 was introduced on 02-19-01, and referred to the Assembly Committee on Ways & Means. A public hearing was held on 03-28-01. On 09-05-01, the Committee voted 12-0 [Representative Jeskewitz absent] to recommend passage of AB 134.

**CONTACT:** Andrew Nowlan, Office of Rep. Michael Lehman