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#### Clearinghouse Rule 11-018

Relating to sign language interpreters. Submitted by Department of Regulation and Licensing.

June 16, 2011

Referred to Committee on Health.

July 18, 2011

No action taken.

Marsha Dake Committee Clerk



# WISCONSIN STATE LEGISLATURE



DATE: June 16, 2011

TO: Marsha Dake

Committee on Health

FROM: Patrick E. Fuller, Assembly Chief Clerk

RE: Clearinghouse Rules Referral

The following Clearinghouse Rule has been referred to your committee.

CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 11/018

AN ORDER to create chapters RL 200 to 202, relating to sign language interpreters.

Submitted by Department of Regulation and Licensing.

Report received from Agency on June 7, 2011.

To committee on Health.

Referred on Thursday, June 16, 2011.

Last day for action - Monday, July 18, 2011.

Under section 227.19 (4) of the Wisconsin Statutes, your committee has 30 days to take action or get an extension. The day **after** the official referral date is day one of your review period. Therefore, the 30th day should fall four weeks and two days after the referral date. For example, for Clearinghouse Rules referred on a Monday, a Wednesday would be your 30th day. For Clearinghouse Rules referred on a Thursday or Friday, your 30th day would fall on a weekend. Therefore, your time would expire on the next working day (Monday) as provided for in s. 990.001 of the Wisconsin Statutes. Also, if the 30th day falls on a legal holiday, time would expire on the next working day.

To extend your review period for an additional 30 days, your committee has one of two options. Section 227.19(4)(b) states that you can request in writing that the agency meet with the committee to review the proposed rule. Another option is to publish or post notice that the committee will hold a meeting or hearing to review the proposed rule and immediately send a copy of the notice to the agency.

Section 227.19 **requires** you to notify each member of your committee that you have received this Clearinghouse Rule. Although some committee chairs choose to do so, you are not required by law or rule to send a copy of the text of the rule to each member at this time. Instead, your notice could state that members should contact you if they wish to receive a hard copy of the rule. Another option would be to email the rule to members. Please put a copy of your official notification memo in the rule jacket.

Three copies of the Clearinghouse Rule and its accompanying documents are contained in the jacket. If you wish to have your Legislative Council attorney review the Clearinghouse Rule, send him/her a copy. I only need one copy remaining in the jacket when you report it out of committee at the end of the review period.

The identical process is happening simultaneously in the Senate. Keep track of their action on the rule.

For assistance with the Clearinghouse Rule process, please consult Kay Inabnet (6–5550) or your Legislative Council attorney. If you wish to learn more on this subject, read *Review of Administrative Rules* which is part of the Legislative Council's Wisconsin Legislator Briefing Book series, section 227.19 of the Wisconsin Statutes or part 2 of the *Administrative Rules Procedures Manual* written by the Revisor of Statutes Bureau and the Wisconsin Legislative Council staff.