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Appendix A

LRB BILL HISTORY RESEARCH APPENDIX

The drafting file for 2013 LRB-1731/1 (For: Rep. Taylor)

has been copied/added to the drafting file for

2013 LRB-2667 (For: Rep. Taylor)

Are These "Companion Bills" ?? ... No



RESEARCH APPENDIX -
PLEASE KEEP WITH THE DRAFTING FILE

Date Transfer Requested: 07/11/2013 (Per: TKK)

The attached draft was incorporated into the new draft listed above. For research purposes the attached materials were added, as a appendix, to the new drafting file. If introduced this section will be scanned and added, as a separate appendix, to the electronic drafting file folder.



2013 DRAFTING REQUEST

Bill

Received: 2/25/2013 Received By: jkuesel
Wanted: As time permits Same as LRB:
For: Chris Taylor (608) 266-5342 By/Representing: Grace Colas
May Contact: Drafter: tkuczens
Subject: Elections - miscellaneous Addl. Drafters:
Extra Copies: jtk, jk

Submit via email: YES
Requester's email: Rep.Taylor@legis.wisconsin.gov
Carbon copy (CC) to: tracy.kuczenski@legis.wisconsin.gov

Pre Topic:

No specific pre topic given

Topic:

Legislative vacancies

Instructions:

Per 2011 AB-268.

Drafting History:

<u>Vers.</u>	<u>Drafted</u>	<u>Reviewed</u>	<u>Typed</u>	<u>Proofed</u>	<u>Submitted</u>	<u>Jacketed</u>	<u>Required</u>
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Kuesel, Jeffery

To: Colas, Grace
Subject: RE: Exact Redraft: 2011 AB 268

Grace,
We will take care of your request.

Jeffery T. Kuesel
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(608) 266-6778
Jeffery.Kuesel@legis.wisconsin.gov

From: Colas, Grace
Sent: Monday, February 25, 2013 4:48 PM
To: Kuesel, Jeffery
Subject: Exact Redraft: 2011 AB 268

Hi Jeff,
Representative Taylor would like an exact redraft of 2011 Assembly Bill 268 (relating to special elections to fill a legislative vacancy).

Thank you!
Grace Colas
Legislative Intern
Office of Representative Chris Taylor
76th Assembly District



State of Wisconsin
2011 - 2012 LEGISLATURE

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2011 ASSEMBLY BILL 268

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in 3/21/13

September 20, 2011 - Introduced by Representatives POCAN, C. TAYLOR, BERCEAU, BERNARD SCHABER, BEWLEY, E. COGGS, FIELDS, GRIGSBY, HEBL, HINTZ, MASON, POPE-ROBERTS, RINGHAND, TOLES and TURNER, cosponsored by Senators SHILLING, S. COGGS, HANSEN, C. LARSON and TAYLOR. Referred to Committee on Election and Campaign Reform

Legen

1 AN ACT to amend 8.50 (4) (d) of the statutes; relating to: legislative vacancies.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Currently, under the Wisconsin Constitution, when there is a vacancy in the membership of the senate or assembly, the governor is directed to call a special election to fill the vacancy. There is no deadline for issuing the order, but the directive is enforceable through the court system. Under the statutes, with a limited exception relating to legislative session scheduling, if the vacancy occurs before the second Tuesday in May in the year in which the office is regularly filled, the vacancy must be filled "as promptly as possible."

This bill changes the statutes to specify that the special election must be ordered within 60 days after the vacancy occurs, subject to the current exception.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows: ^(related to legislative session) renumbered 8.50(4)(d) 10 and ^(Scheduling)

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SECTION 1. 8.50 (4) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

8.50 (4) (d) ^{Except as provided in subd 20 any} Any vacancy in the office of state senator or representative to the assembly occurring before the 2nd Tuesday in May in the year in which a regular election is held to fill that seat shall be filled as promptly as possible by special election ^(insert move text from pg 2) which shall be ordered within 60 days of the date that the vacancy occurs.

to fill a vacancy that occurs before the specified second Tuesday in May

ASSEMBLY BILL 268

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~~However, any~~ vacancy in the office of state senator or representative to the assembly
occurring after the close of the last regular floorperiod of the legislature held during
his or her term shall be filled only if a special session or extraordinary floorperiod of
the legislature is called or a veto review period is scheduled during the remainder
of the term. The special election to fill the vacancy shall be ordered, if possible, so
the new member may participate in the special session or floorperiod.

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BILL

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