

1973 Assembly Bill 199

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## CHAPTER 64 , Laws of 1973

AN ACT to amend 111.77 (1) (c) and (8); to repeal and recreate 111.77 (3) of the statutes; and to repeal section 4 of chapter 247, laws of 1971, relating to municipal bargaining with police and firemen.

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

SECTION 1. 111.77 (1) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

111.77 (1) (c) Notifies the commission within ~~30~~ 90 days after the notice provided for in par. (a) of the existence of a dispute.

SECTION 2. 111.77 (3) of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

111.77 (3) Where the parties have no procedures for disposition of a dispute and an impasse has been reached, either party may petition the commission to initiate compulsory, final and binding arbitration of the dispute. If in determining whether an impasse has been reached the commission finds that any of the procedures set forth in sub. (1) have not been complied with and that compliance would tend to result in a settlement, it may require such compliance as a prerequisite to ordering arbitration. If after such procedures have been complied with or the commission has determined that compliance would not be productive of a settlement and the commission determines that an impasse has been reached, it shall issue an order requiring arbitration. The commission shall in connection with the order for arbitration submit a panel of 5 arbitrators from which the parties may alternately strike names until a single name is left, who shall be appointed by the commission as arbitrator, whose expenses shall be shared equally between the parties.

SECTION 3. 111.77 (8) of the statutes is amended to read:

111.77 (8) This section shall not apply to ~~police departments in~~ cities having a population of 500,000 or more ~~or municipalities~~ nor to cities, villages or towns having a population of ~~5,000 or less~~ than 2,500.

SECTION 4. SECTION 4 of chapter 247, laws of 1971, is repealed.

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