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**ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 3,
TO 2011 ASSEMBLY BILL 318**

February 21, 2012 - Offered by Representative ZIEGELBAUER.

- 1 **AN ACT to amend** 40.26 (5) (intro.) of the statutes; **relating to:** post-retirement
2 employment of annuitants under the Wisconsin Retirement System.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, a Wisconsin Retirement System (WRS) participant who has applied to receive a retirement annuity must wait at least 30 days between terminating covered employment with a WRS employer and returning to covered employment again as a participating employee. If the participant does not wait the 30-day period, and is rehired before the expiration of the 30-day period, the participant is not eligible to receive a WRS retirement annuity. This substitute amendment provides that the participant must remain separated from covered employment under the WRS for at least 75 days in order to be an eligible rehired annuitant. This provision first applies to a WRS participating employee who terminates covered employment under the WRS on the substitute amendment's effective date.

Because this substitute amendment relates to public employee retirement or pensions, it may be referred to the Joint Survey Committee on Retirement Systems for a report to be printed as an appendix to the bill.

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

