



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

<p style="text-align: center;">2003 Wisconsin Act 9 [2003 Senate Bill 142]</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Ratification of Collective Bargaining Agreement: Wisconsin Professional Employees Council</p>
<p>2003 Acts: www.legis.state.wi.us/2003/data/acts/</p>	<p>Act Memos: www.legis.state.wi.us/lc/act_memo/act_memo.htm</p>

2003 Wisconsin Act 9 ratifies the collective bargaining agreement negotiated between the State of Wisconsin and the Wisconsin Professional Employees Council, for the 2001-03 Biennium, covering employees in the professional fiscal and staff services collective bargaining unit. The professional fiscal and staff services unit consists of approximately 4,536 full-time equivalent positions and includes accountants, auditors, child support specialists, elections specialists, grants specialists, health care rate examiners, information systems personnel, paralegals, public defender investigators, revenue agents and auditors, workers compensation examiners, and others.

A link to the contract ratified by Wisconsin Act 9 may be found at: <http://der.state.wi.us/home/pdf/wpec0103jcoer.pdf>.

Effective Date: The general effective date of 2003 Wisconsin Act 9 is May 17, 2003. However, the collective bargaining agreement ratified by Act 9 may have other specific effective dates covering employees in the professional fiscal and staff services collective bargaining unit.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information,
consult the text of the law and related legislative documents.