

1981 Senate Bill 577

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AN ACT to repeal 14.015 (2) (b); to renumber 14.015 (2) (c) and (d); and to amend 14.015 (2) (c), as renumbered, of the statutes, relating to membership on the conservation work projects board (suggested as remedial legislation by the conservation work projects board).

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

LAW REVISION COMMITTEE PREFATORY NOTE: This bill is a remedial legislation proposal, requested by the conservation work projects board, and introduced by the law revision committee under s. 13.83 (1) (c) 4 of the statutes. After careful consideration of the various provisions of this bill, the law revision committee has determined that this bill makes minor substantive changes in the statutes, and that these changes are desirable as a matter of public policy.

SECTION 1. 14.015 (2) (b) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 2. 14.015 (2) (c) and (d) of the statutes are renumbered 14.015 (2) (b) and (c), and 14.015 (2) (c), as renumbered, is amended to read:

14.015 (2) (c) Six Eight public members, 2 of whom have experience in and knowledge of matters relating to employment and training programs, appointed by the governor with the advice and consent of the senate, for staggered 5-year terms.

NOTE: This bill changes the membership of the conservation work projects board. The 2 members of the board who are members of the state employment and training council are deleted, and replaced by 2 public members, appointed by the governor with the advice and consent of the senate, for 5-year terms. Two of the public members must have experience in and knowledge of matters relating to employment and training programs. As under current law, no qualifications are specified for the other 6 public members.

This bill is necessary because the conservation work projects board has found it difficult to fill the 2 state employment and training council positions on the board. The state employment and training council is appointed annually, so any delays in this appointment mean that the membership of the conservation work projects board is incomplete. Also, it has proven difficult to find individuals who are willing to devote time to 2 state bodies.

SECTION 3. Initial applicability. (1) EXPIRATION OF TERMS OF CURRENT MEMBERS OF THE CONSERVATION WORK PROJECTS BOARD. The terms of the 2 members of the conservation work projects board who are also members of the state employment and training council expire upon the appointment of the 2 additional public members under this act.

(2) INITIAL APPOINTMENT OF ADDITIONAL MEMBERS TO THE CONSERVATION WORK PROJECTS BOARD. The 2 additional public members appointed under this act shall serve terms of 2 and 3 years plus a period ending on the following May 1. The governor shall designate which member is to serve what term.
