



## 2015 SENATE BILL 251

September 4, 2015 – Introduced by Senators LAZICH and MILLER, cosponsored by Representative E. BROOKS. Referred to Committee on Public Benefit and Regulatory Reform.

1     **AN ACT to amend** 14.86 (1) (b) and (c) of the statutes; **relating to:** terms of office  
2             for members of the Midwest Interstate Passenger Rail Commission.

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### *Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

Current law adopts the midwest interstate passenger rail compact and creates a Midwest Interstate Passenger Rail Commission. Among the members of the commission are one representative to the assembly, appointed by the speaker of the assembly for a two-year term, and one senator appointed by the president of the senate for a two-year term. The compact, as enacted into state law, specifies that the members of the commission must include two legislators, one from each house, who shall serve two-year terms, or until successors are appointed.

This bill clarifies that the legislative members of the commission serve two-year terms, or until successors are appointed.

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

3             **SECTION 1.** 14.86 (1) (b) and (c) of the statutes are amended to read:  
4             14.86 (1) (b) One representative to the assembly, appointed by the speaker of  
5             the assembly for a 2-year term, or until a successor is appointed.

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**SECTION 1**

1 (c) One senator appointed by the president of the senate for a 2-year term, or  
2 until a successor is appointed.

3 (END)