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# 1999 BILL

1 AN ACT to amend 250.02 (1) of the statutes; relating to: requirements for a state  
2 health officer.

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### *Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

Under current law, the secretary of health and family services must appoint and may assign duties to a state health officer. No qualifications are required for appointment as the state health officer. The state health officer is required to appoint state epidemiologists for program areas of acute and communicable diseases, occupational and environmental diseases, maternal and child health and chronic diseases and to appoint chief medical officers to provide consultation and leadership to state health programs. (The chief medical officers also serve as state epidemiologists and have those powers that the state health officer designates to them to enforce state health laws and advise state and local officials on certain health matters.) In addition, the state health officer is authorized to appoint advisory and examining bodies.

Also, under current law, certain medical education, licensure and experience requirements are specified for local health officers of Level I, II and III local health departments. In all counties of this state except one (Racine County), the local health officer of a Level I local health department must have at least a bachelor's degree from a nursing program that is accredited by certain entities.

This bill requires that the state health officer meet at least the educational requirement that is specified for local health officers of Level I local health departments in all counties of the state except Racine County. The bill takes effect on January 1, 2000, or on the first day of the 4th month beginning after this bill becomes law, whichever is earlier.

**BILL**

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

1       **SECTION 1.** 250.02 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

2       250.02 (1) STATE HEALTH OFFICER; DUTIES. The secretary shall appoint a state  
3 health officer ~~and, who shall have at least the level of education that is required~~  
4 under s. 251.06 (1) (a) 1. The secretary may assign the state health officer such duties  
5 of the secretary or department as the secretary provides. The state health officer  
6 may appoint such advisory and examining bodies as are needed to carry out the  
7 duties of the state health officer and as provided by law. The state health officer shall  
8 appoint state epidemiologists for program areas of acute and communicable  
9 diseases, occupational and environmental diseases, maternal and child health and  
10 chronic diseases. Individuals appointed as state epidemiologists shall have  
11 advanced training and expertise in epidemiology in their program areas.

12       **SECTION 2. Effective date.**

13       (1) This act takes effect on January 1, 2000, or on the first day of the 4th month  
14 beginning after publication, whichever is earlier.

15                               **(END)**

**SUBMITTAL  
FORM**

**LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU  
Legal Section Telephone: 266-3561  
5th Floor, 100 N. Hamilton Street**

The attached draft is submitted for your inspection. Please check each part carefully, proofread each word, and sign on the appropriate line(s) below.

**Date:** 3/15/99

**To:** Representative Urban

**Relating to LRB drafting number:** LRB-2494

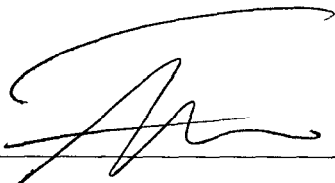
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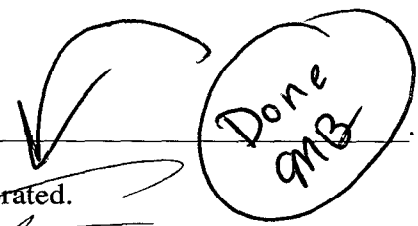
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1. **JACKET** the draft for introduction \_\_\_\_\_



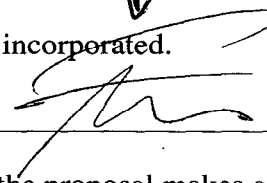
in the **Senate** \_\_\_\_ or the **Assembly**  (check only one). Only the requester under whose name the drafting request is entered in the LRB's drafting records may authorize the draft to be submitted. Please allow one day for the preparation of the required copies.

2. **REDRAFT.** See the changes indicated or attached \_\_\_\_\_



A revised draft will be submitted for your approval with changes incorporated.

3. Obtain **FISCAL ESTIMATE NOW**, prior to introduction \_\_\_\_\_



If the analysis indicates that a fiscal estimate is required because the proposal makes an appropriation or increases or decreases existing appropriations or state or general local government fiscal liability or revenues, you have the option to request the fiscal estimate prior to introduction. If you choose to introduce the proposal without the fiscal estimate, the fiscal estimate will be requested automatically upon introduction. It takes about 10 days to obtain a fiscal estimate. Requesting the fiscal estimate prior to introduction retains your flexibility for possible redrafting of the proposal.

If you have any questions regarding the above procedures, please call 266-3561. If you have any questions relating to the attached draft, please feel free to call me.

Debra A. Kennedy, Managing Attorney  
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# ***FISCAL ESTIMATES***

**BILL NUMBER:**

**ASSEMBLY BILL 415**

Note: The analysis of this bill states that a fiscal estimate was required for this bill. A request was made through the department of administration to have a fiscal estimate prepared. The agency(s) assigned to prepare a fiscal estimate for this bill did not return an estimate for this bill so none are included in this file.