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1999 - 2000 LEGISLATURE

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1 AN ACT ...; relating to: terms of municipal judges.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, a municipal judge is elected in April and his or her term begins on May 1. The term of a municipal judge is two[✓] years unless a longer term, not to exceed four years, is provided by ordinance or bylaw. This bill sets the term for all municipal judge at four[✓] years.

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

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

2 SECTION 1. 755.02^{✓x} of the statutes is amended to read:

3 755.02 Term. The judges shall be elected at large for a term of 2[✓] 4 years^{plain} unless
4 a longer term, not exceeding 4 years, is provided by ordinance or bylaw. The term
5 shall commence on May 1 of the year of the judge's election.

History: 1977 c. 187 s. 94; 1977 c. 273, 305, 447; Stats. 1977 s. 755.02.

6 SECTION 2. Effective date.

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(1) This act takes effect on July 1, 2000. ✓

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**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: 09/08/1999

To: Representative Stone

Relating to LRB drafting number: LRB-3499

Topic

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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.

Robert P. Nelson, Senior Legislative Attorney
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