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Steve Miller

Legislative Reference Bureau

From:

Kerry Holden, SBO, 6-8593

Subject:

Draft for Governor's 1999-2001 Budget Bill -- Grievance Arbitration Fee

Please draft the following for inclusion in the Governor's 1999-2001 budget bill. I have attached a drafting proposal relating to the Wisconsin Employe Relation Commission's request for authority to collect a grievance arbitration fee. Please call me with any questions. Thanks.

### WISCONSIN EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION (425)

Proposed Statutory Language Change for: Sections 111.09(3), 111.94(3) and 111.71(5)

The commission shall assess and collect a fee of \$30 from any party asking that the commission provide it with a panel of grievance arbitrators who are not employes or members of the commission. The commission shall not provide a panel until the fee is paid.

### EXPLANATION AND INTENT OF PROPOSED STATUTORY LANGUAGE CHANGE

The Wisconsin Employment Relations Commission maintains a roster of arbitrators who are qualified to provide grievance and interest arbitration services to unions and employers in Wisconsin.

To ensure that the arbitrators on its roster provide the best possible service, the Commission conducts periodic training for roster members. The Commission is also responsible for recruiting and training new members for the arbitration roster.

The Commission is statutorily required to collect a filing fee from unions and employers who use the <u>interest</u> arbitration process -- which includes providing a panel of arbitrators where necessary. At present the Commission does not have statutory authority to collect a fee when it provides a panel of arbitrators from its roster for use in a grievance arbitration proceeding. During the past four fiscal years (94-95 through 97-98) the Commission has provided 492, 573, 774 and 464 grievance arbitration panels, respectively.

The Commission seeks statutory authorization to collect a fee for each grievance arbitration panel it provides. Revenue from the fees would defray the costs of providing the panels (labor, material, software development) and of training and recruiting panel members.

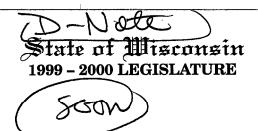
The \$30 fee is the same fee charged by the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service for providing grievance arbitration panels.



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

**SECTION 1.** 20.425 (1) (i) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.425 (1) (i) Fees. The amounts in the schedule for the performance of

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History: 1981 c. 20; 1983 a. 27; 1985 a. 29, 318; 1991 a. 39; 1993 a. 16; 1995 a. 27.

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**SECTION 3.** 111.71 (2m) of the statutes is created to read:

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Kerry Holden:

I provided that the fees are to be credited to the appropriation account under s. 20.425(1)(i). Is this your intent?

Richard A. Champagne Legislative Attorney 266–9930

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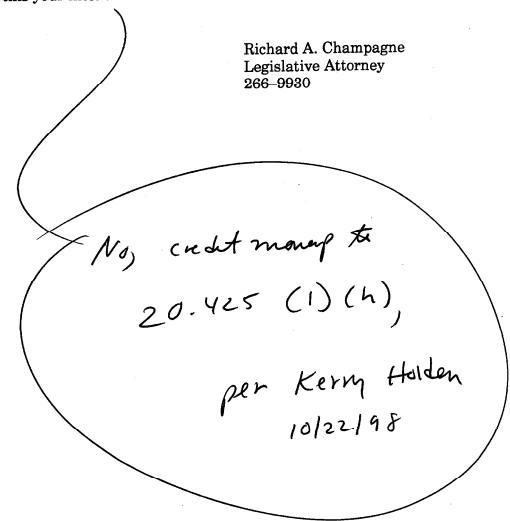
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Section 9316. Initial applicability; employment relations commission.

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#### 1999-2000 DRAFTING INSERT FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

#### Insert 2-4:

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