ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 17, TO ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1, TO 1999 ASSEMBLY BILL 133

June 29, 1999 – Offered by Representatives Black, La Fave and Lassa.

At the locations indicated, amend the substitute amendment as follows:

1. Page 22, line 10: after that line insert:

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"Section 13k. 15.05 (1) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.05 **(1)** (b) Except as provided in pars. (c) and par. (d), if a department is under the direction and supervision of a board, the board shall appoint a secretary to serve at the pleasure of the board outside the classified service. In such departments, the powers and duties of the board shall be regulatory, advisory and policy–making, and not administrative. All of the administrative powers and duties of the department are vested in the secretary, to be administered by him or her under the direction of the board. The secretary, with the approval of the board, shall promulgate rules for administering the department and performing the duties assigned to the department.

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SECTION 13L. 15.05 (1) (bn) of the statutes is created to read:

15.05 **(1)** (bn) Notwithstanding the requirement under par. (b) that the secretary of natural resources be appointed by the natural resources board, the secretary of natural resources who is appointed by the governor and who is holding office on the effective date of this paragraph [revisor inserts date], shall continue to serve until the secretary vacates his or her office or is removed from office by the natural resources board.

SECTION 13m. 15.05 (1) (c) of the statutes is repealed.".

9 (END)