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DOA:.....Ziegler - Study of state-local fringe benefit partnerships

FOR 2001-03 BUDGET - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION

2001 Bill

the department of
employment relations

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study of state-local fringe
benefit partnerships

1 AN ACT ...; relating to: the budget.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

This bill requires ~~DEB~~ and the Wisconsin employment relations commission, and ~~DETF~~ if it elects to participate, to organize committees to study and make recommendations on a variety of issues affecting local government compensation and fringe benefits costs. A report of the recommendations must be submitted to the governor, the secretary of administration, and to the legislature no later than January 1, 2003.

For further information see the *state* 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 ^{Fix component} SECTION 9159. Nonstatutory provisions, [#] other.

3 (1) STATE-LOCAL FRINGE BENEFIT STUDY COMMITTEES.

4 (a) The department of employment relations and the employment relations
5 commission, and the department of employee trust funds if it elects to participate,

the department of employee trust funds

1 shall organize, and appoint members to, committees to study and make
2 recommendations on all of the following:

3 1. Fiscal pressures on local governments created by personnel costs, including
4 fringe benefits costs.

5 2. Strategies for local governments to control personnel costs, especially health
6 insurance costs.

7 3. Creating a permanent labor-management partnership team, consisting of
8 representatives of local governments and local government employees, to review
9 issues of common concern and to make policy recommendations to state and local
10 officials.

11 4. Options for local governments to expand their fringe benefit partnerships
12 with state government and other local governments.

13 5. Changes to the interest arbitration process under subchapter IV of chapter
14 111 of the statutes, including exempting health insurance coverage from interest
15 arbitration under that subchapter if an employer offers to its employees the local
16 government insurance plan under subchapter IV of chapter 40 of the statutes.

17 6. Allowing local government employers to change insurance carriers to the
18 local government insurance plan under subchapter IV of chapter 40 of the statutes
19 if the employer offers a pre-determined wage increase to its employees.

20 (b) In organizing committees under paragraph (a),^{a.r.} the department of
21 employment relations and the employment relations commission, and the
22 department of employee trust funds if it elects to participate, shall seek to appoint
23 to the committees representatives of local governments and local government
24 employees.

1 (c) The department of employment relations and the employment relations
2 commission, and the department of employee trust funds if it elects to participate,
3 shall submit a report incorporating the recommendations of the committees
4 organized under paragraph ^{a.r.}(a) to the governor, the secretary of administration, and
5 to the chief clerk of each house of the legislature, for distribution to the legislature
6 under section 13.172 (2) of the statutes, no later than January 1, 2003.

7 (END)

Champagne, Rick

From: Kreye, Joseph
Sent: Thursday, March 01, 2001 4:46 PM
To: Shovers, Marc; Champagne, Rick; Kuesel, Jeffery; Nelson, Robert P.
Subject: Kettl Commission recommendations

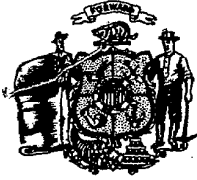
Hello all. I received a call today from Shaun Haas at leg.council. He is assigned to Rep. Underheim's Assembly Committee on State and Local Finance. Rep. Underheim has requested that the budget drafts related to the Kettl Commission recommendations be drafted as separate bills for consideration by his committee. Rick Olin at LFB has identified the following drafts as drafts that should be turned into bills for Rep. Underheim:

1. 1744/3 JK
2. 2118/3 JK
3. 1911/3 JK&MES
4. 1922/1 MES
5. 1870/2 MES
6. 1940/3 RAC
7. 2059/3 JTK
8. 1923/1 MES
9. 1895/2 RPN

Please enter all requests as requests for Underheim. The Committee will probably meet at the end of March, so Underheim is looking to distribute the drafts around March 21 or 22. Please let me know if you have any questions or need some assistance with the drafts. If there are other drafts that are related to Kettl that are not listed above, let me know that as well. Thanks.

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March 2, 2001

MEMORANDUM

TO: Representative Underheim

From: Rick A. Champagne, Senior Attorney

Re: LRB-2699 Study of state-local fringe benefit partnerships

The attached draft was prepared at your request. Please review it carefully to ensure that it is accurate and satisfies your intent. If it does and you would like it jacketed for introduction, please indicate below for which house you would like the draft jacketed and return this memorandum to our office. If you have any questions about jacketing, please call our program assistants at 266-3561. Please allow one day for jacketing.

JACKET FOR ASSEMBLY JACKET FOR SENATE

If you have any questions concerning the attached draft, or would like to have it redrafted, please contact me at (608) 266-9930 or at the address indicated at the top of this memorandum.

If the last paragraph of the analysis states that a fiscal estimate will be prepared, the LRB will request that it be prepared after the draft is introduced. You may obtain a fiscal estimate on the attached draft before it is introduced by calling our program assistants at 266-3561. Please note that if you have previously requested that a fiscal estimate be prepared on an earlier version of this draft, you will need to call our program assistants in order to obtain a fiscal estimate on this version before it is introduced.

Please call our program assistants at 266-3561 if you have any questions regarding this memorandum.