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LRB, Mary Gibson-Glass

From:

Matt, Rep. Gard's office

Date:

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Regarding:

Bill draft request

Please see the attached information regarding the request. Also, Gene Francisco, Div. of Forestry, DNR is available for any questions you may have with the draft. Thank you.

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CREATION OF A GOVERNOR'S COUNCIL ON FORESTRY

There is hereby created a Governor's Council on Forestry which shall consist of 15 appointed members to be appointed by the governor with the advice and consent of the senate. Two members shall be appointed to represent the senate and two members shall be appointed to represent the assembly with equal representation from the two major political parties. One member shall be appointed to represent each of the following: small private forest land owner, county forest land owner, large industrial forest land owner, pulp and paper industry, lumber industry, statewide conservation organization having as one (1) of its principle objectives the conservation and use of forest resources, consultant forester, forestry school, public education, union affiliated with the forest industry and the chief state forester.

13 members

Four (4) of the members shall be appointed for a period of three (3) years, three (3) members shall be appointed for a period of four (4) years, four (4) members shall be appointed for five (5) years and three (3) members shall be appointed for six (6) years, as designated by the governor in the governor's appointments.

The chief state forester shall serve as a permanent member of the council.

Upon expiration of such terms, appointments thereafter shall be for a period of five (5) years.

The governor shall appoint a council chair from the membership. The chair shall appoint council officers. The council shall meet at such time and place as designated by the council or chair thereof, but the chair shall call a meeting at least four (4) times each year. Council members shall receive no compensation but shall be eligible for reimbursement for expenses while engaged in council activities.

The DNR Division of Forestry shall provide clerical and staff assistance for conducting council business.

The Council will advise the governor, legislature, Department of Natural Resources and Commerce Secretaries as well as other state agency heads on the following issues that effect the economic, social and ecological use of Wisconsin's forests.

- (1) Adequate forest fire protection on all forest land in Wisconsin.
- (2) Forest insects and disease protection.
- (3) Sustainable forest management practices on public and private forest lands.
- (4) Opportunities for increasing forest industry economic development and employment.
- (5) Forestry education and awareness needs.
- (6) Staffing and funding needs for state forestry programs.
- (7) Legislation that impacts the sustainable management of Wisconsin's forests.
- (8) Reforestation and forest genetics.
- (9) Urban forest management and protection.
- (10) Utilization and marketing of forest products.
- (11) Forestry research.

The Council will report to the legislature biennially on the condition and health of Wisconsin's forestry resources and the forest industry. Specifically the Council shall:

- (a) determine the magnitude, nature and extent of the State's forestry resources:
- (b) determine current use and project future demand for forest products, services and benefits in Wisconsin;
- (c) determine and evaluate the ownership characteristics of the State's forests, the motives of forest ownership and the success of incentives necessary to stimulate development of forest resources;

(d) determine the economic development and management opportunities that could result from improvements in local and regional forest product marketing and from establishment of new or additional wood related businesses in Wisconsin;

(e) determine the opportunities for increasing employment and economic growth through

development of forest resources;

(f) determine the effect of current governmental policies and regulations on the management of woodlands and the location of wood products markets;

(g) determine the staffing and funding needs for forestry and other conservation programs

to support and enhance forest resources development;

(h) determine needs for forestry education programs in this state;



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AN ACT ,...; relating to: creating a council on forestry.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This is a preliminary draft. An analysis will be provided in a later version. For further information see the state and 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:

SECTION 1. 15.347 (1**k**) of the statutes is created to read:

15.347 (17) COUNCIL ON FORESTRY. (a) There is created in the department of natural resources a council of forestry consisting of:

- 1. The chief state forester or his or her designee.
- 2. One member of the senate, appointed by the president of the senate.
- 7 3. One member of the senate appointed by the senate minority leader.
 - 4. One member of the assembly appointed by the speaker of the assembly.
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20		(b) Each member specified in par. (a) 2. to 5. shall be appointed in the same
21		manner as members of standing committees are appointed.
22		(c) Each member specified in par. (a) 6. to 15. shall be nominated by the
23		governor, and with the advice and consent of the senate appointed, to serve a 5-year
24		term.

(d) Notwithstanding s. 15.09 (2) The governor shall annually appoint a chairperson for the council from its members before the first meeting of each year, and the chairperson at the first meeting of each year shall annually appoint the vice chairperson and secretary from the council's members. Any of these appointees may be appointed for successive terms.

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Section 3. 26.02 of the statutes is created to read:

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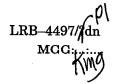
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MEMORANDUM

To:

Representative Gard

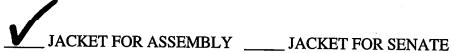
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Re:

LRB-4497/1 Creation of council on forestry

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.



If you have any questions concerning the attached draft, or would like to have it redrafted, please contact me at (608) 267-3215 or at the address indicated at the top of this memorandum.

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