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2001 WISCONSIN ACT 21

AN ACT *to renumber and amend* 15.497 (2); and *to create* 15.497 (2) (d) of the statutes; **relating to:** adding one representative of the Wisconsin chapter of the Paralyzed Veterans of America to the council on veterans programs.

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

SECTION 1. 15.497 (2) of the statutes is renumbered 15.497 (2) (intro.) and amended to read:

15.497 (2) COUNCIL ON VETERANS PROGRAMS. (intro.) There is created in the department of veterans affairs a council on veterans programs consisting of one all of the following representatives appointed for one—year terms by the organization that each member represents:

(a) One representative each of the state departments of the American Legion, the Disabled American Veterans, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Marine Corps League, the Navy Club of the U.S.A., the Veterans of World War II (AMVETS), the Veterans of World War I of the U.S.A., Inc., the American Ex–prisoners of War, the Vietnam Veterans Against the War, Inc., the Vietnam Veterans of America, Inc., the Catholic War Veterans of the U.S.A., the Polish Legion of American Veterans, the National Asso-

ciation for Black Veterans, Inc., the Army and Navy Union of the United States of America, the Wisconsin Association of Concerned Veteran Organizations, the United Women Veterans, Inc., the U.S. Submarine Veterans of World War II, the Federation of Minority Veterans, Inc., the Wisconsin Vietnam Veterans, Inc., and the Military Order of the Purple Heart, one.

(b) One representative of the American Red Cross and one.

(c) One representative of the Wisconsin county veterans' service officers, appointed for one—year terms by the organization that each represents.

SECTION 2. 15.497 (2) (d) of the statutes is created to read:

15.497 (2) (d) One representative of the Wisconsin chapter of the Paralyzed Veterans of America.

SECTION 3. Effective date.

(1) This act takes effect on the first day of the 2nd month beginning after publication.

^{*} Section 991.11, WISCONSIN STATUTES 1999–00: Effective date of acts. "Every act and every portion of an act enacted by the legislature over the governor's partial veto which does not expressly prescribe the time when it takes effect shall take effect on the day after its date of publication as designated" by the secretary of state [the date of publication may not be more than 10 working days after the date of enactment].