

## 2003 SENATE BILL 144

1     **AN ACT relating to:** ratification of the agreement negotiated between the state  
2           of Wisconsin and the Wisconsin Education Association Council, for the 2001–03  
3           biennium, covering employees in the professional education collective  
4           bargaining unit, and authorizing an expenditure of funds.

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*Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

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

5           **SECTION 1. Agreement ratified.** The legislature ratifies the tentative  
6           agreement negotiated for the 2001–03 biennium between the state of Wisconsin,  
7           department of employment relations, and the Wisconsin Education Association  
8           Council, covering employees in the professional education collective bargaining unit  
9           under subchapter V of chapter 111 of the statutes, as approved by the employees of  
10          the professional education collective bargaining unit and approved and  
11          recommended by the joint committee on employment relations, and authorizes the

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1 necessary expenditure of moneys for implementation from the appropriations made  
2 by section 20.865 (1) of the statutes, subject to section 20.865 (intro.) of the statutes.  
3 The secretary of employment relations shall file an official copy of the agreement,  
4 certified by the cochairpersons of the joint committee on employment relations, with  
5 the secretary of state. No formal or informal agreement between the parties that is  
6 not a part of the official copy is deemed to be approved by the legislature under this  
7 act.

8 **SECTION 2. Effective date.**

9 (1) This act takes effect on the day following publication, except that those  
10 provisions specifically identified as having other effective dates in the agreement  
11 covering employees in the professional education collective bargaining unit are  
12 effective on the dates provided in that agreement.

13 (END)