

ASSEMBLY BILL 518 (LRB -3014)

An Act to amend 7.03 (1) (a) and 7.31 (1) and (5) of the statutes; relating to: requirements for certification for a chief inspector position. (FE)

2003

09-25. A. Introduced by Representatives **Freese, Albers, Bies, Hahn, Hines, Krawczyk, Kreibich, Ladwig, M. Lehman, Owens and Seratti**; cosponsored by Senators **Kedzie, Breske and Stepp**.

09-11. A. Read first time and referred to committee on Campaigns and Elections 355

09-18. A. Public hearing held.

09-18. A. Executive action taken.

09-22. A. Fiscal estimate received.

09-25. A. Report passage recommended by committee on Campaigns and Elections, Ayes 5, Noes 0 379

09-25. A. Referred to committee on Rules 379

10-30. A. Placed on calendar 11-5-2003 by committee on Rules.

11-05. A. Read a second time 492

11-05. A. Ordered to a third reading 492

11-05. A. Rules suspended 492

11-05. A. Read a third time and **passed** 492

11-05. A. Ordered immediately messaged 492

11-06. S. Received from Assembly 471

11-06. S. Read first time and referred to committee on Education, Ethics and Elections 472

12-17. S. Public hearing held.

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01-30. S. Executive action taken.

01-30. S. Report concurrence recommended by committee on Education, Ethics and Elections, Ayes 7, Noes 0 584

01-30. S. Available for scheduling.

02-24. S. Placed on calendar 2-26-2004 by committee on Senate Organization.

02-26. S. Read a second time.

02-26. S. Ordered to a third reading.

02-26. S. Rules suspended.

02-26. S. Read a third time and **concurred in**.

02-26. S. Ordered immediately messaged.

02-27. A. Received from Senate concurred in.

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September 11, 2003 - Introduced by Representatives FREESE, ALBERS, BIES, HAHN, HINES, KRAWCZYK, KREIBICH, LADWIG, M. LEHMAN, OWENS and SERATTI, cosponsored by Senators KEDZIE, BRESKE and STEPP. Referred to Committee on Campaigns and Elections.

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2 requirements for certification for a chief inspector position.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Currently, no person may serve as a chief inspector (chief poll worker) at any polling place in this state unless that person is certified by the state Elections Board as qualified to hold that position. To ensure that candidates for chief inspector positions are qualified, the board must prescribe requirements for certification, which must include training programs and administration of examinations to applicants for these positions. Previously certified inspectors must also participate in these programs to maintain their certifications.

This bill provides that the requirements prescribed by the board for certification as a chief inspector shall not include taking an examination. Under the bill, municipal governing bodies retain the authority to administer examinations to all applicants for election official positions.

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:

3 **SECTION 1.** 7.03 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

