

DRAFTER'S NOTE
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Representative Wieckert:

This bill is a redraft of 2001 Assembly Bill 829.

Please note that I revised the position authorization to increase DRL's appropriation by \$31,900 for fiscal year 2003-04 and for fiscal year 2004-05. You might want to consult with DRL to determine whether these amounts are okay. (In 2001 Assembly Bill 829, the appropriation was increased for only one fiscal year. However, the reason for affecting only one fiscal year was probably due to the likelihood that the bill would not have passed until the 2nd fiscal year of the biennium.)

Also, note that, under s. 16.47 (2), stats., no bill increasing the cost of state government by an annual amount exceeding \$10,000 may be passed by either house before the budget bill has passed both houses, unless the bill's passage has been recommended by the governor, the joint committee on finance or, in the case of bills that do not affect state finances by more than \$100,000 biennially, the house's committee on organization.

If you have any questions or redraft instructions, please contact me.

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