ASSEMBLY BILL 526 (LRB -2487)

An Act to amend 814.61 (7) (b) of the statutes; relating to: waiver of filing fee if parties stipulate to certain revisions of judgment or order. (FE)

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10-07.	A.	Introduced by Representatives Albers, Musser, Bies, Hahn, McCormick, F. Lasee, J. Lehman, Seratti and Staskunas; cosponsored by Senators Roessler, A. Lasee and Lassa.	
09-18.	A.	Read first time and referred to committee on Corrections and the Courts	261
10-07.	A.	Fiscal estimate received.	301
10-08.	A.	Public hearing held.	
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01-14.	A.	Executive action taken.	
01-21.	A.	Report passage recommended by committee on Corrections and the Courts, Ayes 9, Noes 1	622
01-21.	A.	Referred to committee on Rules	033
02-19.	A.	Placed on calendar 2-25-2004 by committee on Rules.	. 055
02-25.	A.	Read a second time	740
02-25.	A.	Ordered to a third reading	740
02-25.	A.	Kules suspended	7/10
02-25.	A.	Read a third time and passed	740
02-25.	A.	Ordered immediately messaged	740
02-26.	S.	Received from Assembly	625
02-26.	S.	Read first time and referred to committee on Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy	636
03-05.	S.	Public hearing held.	. 050
03-05.	S.	Executive action taken.	
03-05.	S.	Report concurrence recommended by committee on Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy, Ayes 5, Noes 0.	
03-05.	S.	Available for scheduling.	
03-10.	S.	Placed on calendar 3-11-2004 by committee on Senate Organization.	
03-11.	S.	Placed on calendar 3-11-2004 by committee on Senate Organization.	
03-11.	S.	Read a second time.	
03-11.	S.	Referred to joint committee on Finance.	
03-11.	S.	Withdrawn from joint committee on Finance and taken up.	
03-11.	S.	Ordered to a third reading.	
03-11.	S.	Rules suspended.	
03-11.	S.	Read a third time and concurred in.	
03-16.	S.	Ordered immediately messaged.	
03-16.	A.	Received from Senate concurred in	895
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Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, a party who files a petition or motion to revise a judgment or order for child support, family support, or maintenance must pay a filing fee of \$30 to the clerk of circuit court. Fifty percent of the filing fee is retained for general use by the county and 50% is paid to the state treasurer for deposit in the general fund. No filing fee is required, however, if the parties stipulate to the revision in child or family support or maintenance.

Also under current law, a party who files a petition, motion, or order to show cause to revise a judgment or order for legal custody of, or physical placement with, a child must pay a filing fee of \$50 to the clerk of circuit court. Twenty—five percent of the filing fee is retained for general use by the county, 25% is paid to the state treasurer for deposit in the general fund, and 50% must be used exclusively for the county's family court counseling services, which include mediation. This bill provides that no filing fee is required for filing a petition, motion, or order to show cause to revise a judgment or order for legal custody or physical placement if the parties stipulate to the revision.

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:

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SECTION 1.	814.61 (7	(b) of	the statutes i	is amend	ed to read:
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814.61 (7) (b) Upon the filing of any petition, motion, or order to show cause by either party under s. 767.325 or 767.327, \$50. No fee may be collected under this paragraph for filing a petition, motion, or order to show cause for the revision of a judgment or order for legal custody or physical placement if both parties have stipulated to the revision of the judgment or order. Of the fees received by the clerk under this paragraph, the county treasurer shall pay 25% to the state treasurer for deposit in the general fund, retain 25% for the use of the county, and deposit 50% in a separate account to be used by the county exclusively for the purposes specified in s. 767.11.

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