

2003 SENATE BILL 410

AN ACT *to amend* 101.575 (4) (a) 1. and 101.575 (4) (a) 2.; and *to create* 101.573 (5) of the statutes; **relating to:** eligibility for a grant under the fire dues program, defining administrative expenses for purposes of fire prevention and fire dues administration, and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

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

1 **SECTION 1g.** 101.573 (5) of the statutes is created to read:

2 101.573 (5) The department shall promulgate a rule defining “administrative
3 expenses” for purposes of s. 20.143 (3) (La).

4 **SECTION 1m.** 101.575 (4) (a) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

5 101.575 (4) (a) 1. The department determines that the city, village, town or fire
6 department ~~has complied~~ is in substantial compliance with sub. (6) and s. 101.14 (2).

SENATE BILL 410**SECTION 1m**

1 The department shall establish by rule the meaning of “substantial compliance” for
2 purposes of this subdivision.

3 **SECTION 2.** 101.575 (4) (a) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

4 101.575 (4) (a) 2. The city, village or town has submitted a form which is signed
5 by the clerk of the city, village or town and by the chief of the fire department
6 providing fire protection to that city, village or town, which is provided by the
7 department by rule and which certifies that the fire department ~~has complied~~ is in
8 substantial compliance with this section or the department has audited the city,
9 village, town or fire department and determined that it ~~complies~~ is in substantial
10 compliance with sub. (6) and s. 101.14 (2). The department shall establish by rule
11 the meaning of “substantial compliance” for purposes of this subdivision.

12 **SECTION 2m. Nonstatutory provisions.**

13 (1t) FIRE PREVENTION AND FIRE DUES ADMINISTRATION. The department of
14 commerce shall submit in proposed form the rules required under section 101.573 (5)
15 of the statutes, as created by this act, to the legislative council staff under section
16 227.15 (1) of the statutes no later than the first day of the 6th month beginning after
17 the effective date of this subsection.

18 **SECTION 3. Initial applicability.**

19 (1) FIRE DUES DISTRIBUTION. The treatment of section 101.575 (4) (a) 1. and 2.
20 of the statutes first applies to grants under section 101.575 of the statutes that are
21 disbursed by the department of commerce on the effective date of this subsection.

22 **SECTION 4m. Effective dates.** This act takes effect on the day after
23 publication, except as follows:

