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Appendix A

 The 2005 drafting file for LRB 05-0815

has been transferred to the drafting file for

2007 LRB 07-0143

 This cover sheet, the final request sheet, and the final version of the 2005 draft were copied on yellow paper, and returned to the original 2005 drafting file.

 The attached 2005 draft was incorporated into the new 2007 draft listed above. For research purposes, this cover sheet and the complete drafting file were transferred, as a separate appendix, to the 2007 drafting file. If introduced this section will be scanned and added, as a separate appendix, to the electronic drafting file folder.

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Bill

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Identical to LRB:

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By/Representing: **Joe Hoey**

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Topic:

Accumulated unused sick leave credit program for state legislators

Instructions:

See Attached.

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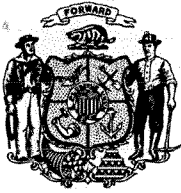
Rick,

Sheldon has asked me to request redrafts of
2003 LRB-0364/1
and
2003 LRB-0365/1
for the 2005-2006 session. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks for your help.

Joey

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2 statutes; relating to: accumulated unused sick leave credit program for state
3 legislators.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, a state employee in a position that is covered under the Wisconsin Retirement System (WRS) is entitled to receive paid sick leave credits as part of his or her compensation under the state compensation plan, at the election of the employer, or pursuant to a collective bargaining agreement. If a state employee does not use all of his or her sick leave credits during a calendar year, he or she may accumulate this unused sick leave from year to year in a sick leave account. If a state employee terminates covered employment under WRS and has attained the minimum age to begin receiving a WRS retirement benefit, the employee's accumulated unused sick leave may be converted, at his or her basic pay rate immediately prior to termination, to credits for the payment of postretirement health insurance premiums under a health insurance plan administered by the Group Insurance Board.

This bill provides that no member of the legislature may accumulate unused sick leave from year to year in his or her sick leave account for work performed as a member of the State Legislature beginning on the first day of the member's next term in office.

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✓ 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:

1 **SECTION 1.** 13.121 (4) of the statutes is renumbered 13.121 (4) (a) and amended
2 to read:

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4 (5) each member of the legislature shall accrue sick leave at a rate equivalent to a
5 percentage of time worked recommended for such positions by ^{the director of} the secretary of
6 ^{state} employment relations and approved by the joint committee on employment relations
7 in the same manner as compensation for such positions is determined under s.
8 20.923, except as provided in par. (b). This percentage of time worked shall be
9 applied to the sick leave accrual rate established under s. 230.35 (2). The approved
10 percentage shall be incorporated into the compensation plan under s. 230.12 (1).

11 **SECTION 2.** 13.121 (4) (b) of the statutes is created to read:

12 13.121 (4) (b) For the purpose of receiving benefits under s. 40.05 (4) (b) and
13 (bc) and (5), all of the following shall apply:

14 1. No member of the assembly may accumulate unused sick leave from year to
15 year in his or her sick leave account for work performed as a member of the
16 legislature on or after January 3, ~~2005~~ 2007

17 2. No member of the senate, who is serving a term of office that begins on
18 January 3, ~~2005~~ 2007 may accumulate unused sick leave from year to year in his or her
19 sick leave account for work performed as a member of the legislature on or after
20 January 3, ~~2005~~ 2007

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1 3. No member of the senate, who is serving a term of office that begins on or
2 after January 1, 2007, may accumulate unused sick leave from year to year in his or
3 her sick leave account for work performed as a member of the legislature on or after
4 January 1, 2007.

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In order to avoid the problem of, an unconstitutional diminution of legislator compensation under article IV, section 26 (2), of the Wisconsin Constitution, this bill provides that members of the Legislature may not accumulate unused sick leave from year to year beginning on their first day of their next term in office. ✓

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**DRAFTER'S NOTE
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November 23, 2004

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2 after January 5, 2009, may accumulate unused sick leave from year to year in his or
3 her sick leave account for work performed as a member of the legislature on or after
4 January 5, 2009.

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