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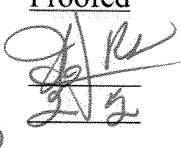
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Kuesel, Jeffery

From: Duerst, Christina
Sent: Thursday, December 21, 2006 1:53 PM
To: Kuesel, Jeffery
Subject: FW: Message for Jeff Kuesel

From: Lundie, Shawn
Sent: Thursday, December 21, 2006 1:49 PM
To: LRB.Legal
Subject: Message for Jeff Kuesel

Senator Kanavas would like to re-draft SB 564 from last session as amended on the floor. The bill deals with limiting the number ballots that can be printed by a first class city. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

*Shawn Lundie
Office of Senator Ted Kanavas
10 South, State Capitol
Madison, WI 53707-7882
(608) 266-9174*

Kuesel, Jeffery

From: Lundie, Shawn
Sent: Monday, January 08, 2007 9:41 AM
To: Kuesel, Jeffery
Subject: RE: LRB 1270 (Ballot printing restricted- 05 SB-564)

Yes.

From: Kuesel, Jeffery
Sent: Wednesday, January 03, 2007 4:27 PM
To: Lundie, Shawn
Subject: LRB 1270 (Ballot printing restricted- 05 SB-564)

Shawn,

Last session Sen. Kanavas requested, and the senate adopted, Senate Amendment 1, which limits the scope of this bill to first class cities. Do you want to incorporate that amendment into the above draft for 2007?

Jeffery Kuesel

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2005 SENATE BILL 564

February 3, 2006 - Introduced by Senators KANAVAS and STEPP, cosponsored by Representatives MURSAU, LEMAHIEU, LOTHIAN, GUNDERSON, KERKMAN, VOS, STRACHOTA and JESKEWITZ. Referred to Committee on Labor and Election Process Reform.

Lps: Please PWF

Regen

1 AN ACT *to amend* 5.66 (1), 7.15 (2) (b) and 7.15 (2) (c); and *to create* 5.66 (1m)
2 of the statutes; **relating to:** the number of ballots authorized to be printed at
3 an election ^{in 1st class cities}

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Currently, the county clerk or board of election commissioners of each county is generally responsible for printing ballots for elections, except that each municipality must print ballots when required for local elections; a first class city (Milwaukee) may print its own ballots for any election; any municipality that uses an electronic voting system may print ballots with the permission of the county clerk or board of election commissioners of the county or counties in which the municipality is located; and no ballots are printed for distribution to electors in a municipality that uses voting machines. When printed, ballots for an election must be printed in a sufficient quantity to assure a ballot for each elector voting at the election. There is no limit on the number of ballots that may be printed.

presently only

This bill prohibits any ~~county or municipality~~ that prints ballots for distribution to electors at any election from printing ballots prior to election day in a number greater than 150 percent of the votes cast in the ~~county or municipality~~ at the most recent election that corresponds to the election for which ballots are to be printed, as prescribed in the bill.

city

1st class city (Milwaukee)
represent only

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

SENATE BILL 564**SECTION 1**

1 **SECTION 1.** 5.66 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

2 5.66 (1) For Except as provided in sub. (1m), for local elections, where
3 necessary, municipal clerks shall have sufficient ballots printed or otherwise
4 prepared whenever a voting system does not utilize printed ballots to assure a ballot
5 for all electors or voting machines. For all other elections the municipal clerks shall
6 certify to their county clerk, on the first day of the 2nd month preceding the month
7 in which the primary is held, the approximate number of electors in the municipality.
8 The county clerk shall total these estimates and order a sufficient supply to assure
9 ballots for all electors and voting machines.

10 **SECTION 2.** 5.66 (1m) of the statutes is created to read:

11 5.66 (1m) No ~~county or municipality~~ ^{1st class city} that prints ballots for distribution to
12 electors may print ballots for any election prior to election day in a number greater
13 than 150 percent of the votes cast in the ~~county or municipality~~ ^{city} at the most recent
14 election that corresponds to the election for which ballots are to be printed. For
15 purposes of this subsection, the most recent spring election corresponds to a current
16 spring election; the most recent presidential election corresponds to a current
17 general election at which the president is to be elected; the most recent gubernatorial
18 election corresponds to a current general election at which the governor is to be
19 elected; and the most recent regular election for an office to be filled at a special
20 election corresponds to a special election called to fill the same office.

21 **SECTION 3.** 7.15 (2) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

22 7.15 (2) (b) Cities over 500,000 population may prepare their own official and
23 sample ballots, subject to s. 5.66 (1m). Official ballots not utilized as absentee ballots
24 shall be printed so they are ready at least 2 days before the election.

25 **SECTION 4.** 7.15 (2) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

Kuesel, Jeffery

To: Lundie, Shawn
Subject: RE: Submitted: LRB 07-1279/1 Topic: Ballot printing restricted

Shawn,
I will take care of it.

Jeffery Kuesel

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From: Lundie, Shawn
Sent: Tuesday, February 06, 2007 1:23 PM
To: Kuesel, Jeffery
Subject: Submitted: LRB 07-1279/1 Topic: Ballot printing restricted

Jeff,

The ballot printing bill had two amendments on the floor last session. The first limited the legislation to First Class cities, LRB 07-1279/1 reflects this amendment. The second floor amendment changed the percentage of ballots to 200%. The Senator would like the bill to represent the 200% change. Thank you.

-Shawn

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This bill prohibits any first class city (Milwaukee) that prints ballots for distribution to electors at any election from printing ballots prior to election day in a number greater than ~~50~~ percent of the votes cast in the city at the most recent election that corresponds to the election for which ballots are to be printed, as prescribed in the bill.

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14 the election for which ballots are to be printed. For purposes of this subsection, the
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25 **SECTION 4.** 7.15 (2) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

Duerst, Christina

From: Lundie, Shawn
Sent: Wednesday, February 07, 2007 2:59 PM
To: LRB.Legal
Subject: Draft Review: LRB 07-1279/2 Topic: Ballot printing restricted

Please Jacket LRB 07-1279/2 for the SENATE.