2007 SENATE BILL 584

May 27, 2008 – Introduced by JOINT COMMITTEE ON EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS. Referred to Committee on Senate Organization.

AN ACT relating to: ratification of the agreement negotiated between the state of Wisconsin and the Milwaukee Graduate Assistants Association, AFT/WFT, Local 2169, AFL–CIO, for the 2007–09 biennium, covering employees in the program, project, and teaching assistants of the University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee collective bargaining unit, and authorizing an expenditure of funds.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This proposal is introduced under section 111.92 (1) of the statutes. The proposal ratifies the collective bargaining contract for state employees in the program, project, and teaching assistants of the University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee collective bargaining unit negotiated for the 2007–09 biennium under the State Employment Labor Relations Act. Currently, statutory program supplement appropriations fund the costs of collective bargaining agreements to the extent that they exceed budgeted costs. The proposal authorizes expenditure of moneys from those appropriations to fund the cost of this agreement.

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:

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1 **SECTION 1. Agreement ratified.** The legislature ratifies the tentative 2 agreement negotiated for the 2007–09 biennium between the state of Wisconsin, the office of state employment relations, and the Milwaukee Graduate Assistants 3 4 Association, AFT/WFT, Local 2169, AFL–CIO, covering employees in the program, 5 project, and teaching assistants of the University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee collective 6 bargaining unit under subchapter V of chapter 111 of the statutes, as approved by 7 the employees of the program, project, and teaching assistants of the University of 8 Wisconsin–Milwaukee collective bargaining unit and approved and recommended 9 by the joint committee on employment relations, and authorizes the necessary 10 expenditure of moneys for implementation from the appropriations made by section 11 20.865 (1) of the statutes, subject to section 20.865 (intro.) of the statutes. The 12 director of the office of state employment relations shall file an official copy of the 13 agreement, certified by the cochairpersons of the joint committee on employment 14 relations, with the secretary of state. No formal or informal agreement between the 15 parties that is not a part of the official copy is deemed to be approved by the 16 legislature under this act.

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SECTION 2. Effective date.

(1) This act takes effect on the day following publication, except that those
provisions specifically identified as having other effective dates in the agreement
covering employees in the program, project, and teaching assistants of the
University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee collective bargaining unit are effective on the
dates provided in that agreement.

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