



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

2007 Wisconsin Act 7
[2007 Assembly Bill 123]

**Frequency of Wage Payments to
Volunteer Firefighters and EMTs**

Current law generally requires an employer to pay an employee's wages no later than 31 days after the date on which the wages are earned, with exceptions for certain employees, including those engaged in logging or farm labor or those covered by a collective bargaining agreement establishing a different payment frequency.

2007 Wisconsin Act 7 creates an additional exception for volunteer firefighters and volunteer emergency medical technicians who, by agreement with their employers, are paid semiannually or annually.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature's Web site at: <http://www.legis.state.wi.us/>.