

WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

2007 Wisconsin Act 74 [2007 Senate Bill 402] Payment to Georgia Thompson for Costs of Criminal Action

2007 Wisconsin Act 74 appropriates \$228,792.62 to pay Hurley, Burish and Stanton, S.C., of Madison for the costs of defending Department of Administration employee Georgia Thompson in a criminal action that was filed against her for acts performed during the course of and within the scope of her state employment. Ms. Thompson was convicted, but the conviction was reversed by the U.S. Court of Appeals.

Effective Date: Act 74 took effect on March 26, 2008.

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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: <u>http://www.legis.state.wi.us/</u>.