2007 SENATE BILL 318

November 9, 2007 – Introduced by LAW REVISION COMMITTEE. Referred to Committee on Ethics Reform and Government Operations.

1 AN ACT to amend 20.916 (8) (a) of the statutes; relating to: duties of the director of the Office of State Employment Relations (suggested as remedial legislation by the Office of State Employment Relations).

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

The bill corrects an obsolete reference to the duties of the secretary of employment relations. That position no longer exists and all duties of the secretary are now those of the director of the Office of State Employment Relations.

For further information, see the NOTE provided by the Law Revision Committee of the Joint Legislative Council.

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

LAW REVISION COMMITTEE PREFATORY NOTE: This bill is a remedial legislation proposal, requested by the Office of State Employment Relations and introduced by the Law Revision Committee under s. 13.83 (1) (c) 4., stats. After careful consideration of the various provisions of the bill, the Law Revision Committee has determined that this bill makes minor substantive changes in the statutes, and that these changes are desirable as a matter of public policy.

SECTION 1. 20.916 (8) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
20.916 (8) (a) The director of the office of state employment relations shall recommend to the joint committee on employment relations uniform travel schedule amounts for travel by state officers and employees whose compensation is established under s. 20.923 or 230.12. Such amounts shall include maximum permitted amounts for meal and lodging costs, other allowable travel expenses under sub. (9) (d), and porterage tips, except as authorized under s. 16.53 (12) (c). In lieu of the maximum permitted amounts for expenses under sub. (9) (b), (c), and (d), the secretary director may recommend to the committee a per diem amount and method of reimbursement for any or all expenses under sub. (9) (b), (c), and (d).

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