## DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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## Representative Sherman:

Because the redraft no longer distinguishes between awards resulting from a hearing and awards resulting from a compromise, there is no reason to say "if the award results from a hearing, compromise, etc." An award cannot result from anything else. Also, it is misleading to say that the reimbursement may be an amount agreed to if the award results from a hearing. If an award results from a hearing, it is not agreed to, it is ordered. Accordingly, this redraft simply eliminates the phrase, "if the award results from a hearing, compromise ...."

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