2009 ASSEMBLY BILL 803

March 4, 2010 – Introduced by Representatives Roth, Mursau, Lemahieu, Suder and Spanbauer. Referred to Committee on Labor.

AN ACT *to create* 104.01 (2) (b) 5. of the statutes; **relating to:** exempting from the state minimum wage law an individual engaged on a seasonal basis in performing services for a ski resort that are directly related to skiing.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Currently, the state minimum age law requires that employers pay a living wage to their employees. The state minimum wage law, however, does not apply to an individual engaged in the house—to—house delivery of newspapers or in direct retail sale to the consumer, a real estate agent or salesperson who is remunerated solely by commission, an individual who volunteers to perform services for the state or a local governmental unit, or a personal staffer, policymaking appointee, or immediate advisor of such an elective officer. In addition, the Department of Workforce Development has exempted, by rule, from the state minimum wage law employees who perform less than 15 hours per week of casual employment, such as babysitting or lawn mowing, in and around an employer's home, employees who provide companionship services to elderly or infirm individuals, and elementary and secondary school students performing work—like activities in their schools.

This bill exempts from the state minimum wage law an individual engaged on a seasonal basis in performing services for a ski resort that are directly related to skiing.

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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:				

- **SECTION 1.** 104.01 (2) (b) 5. of the statutes is created to read:
- 2 104.01 **(2)** (b) 5. Any individual engaged on a seasonal basis in performing services for a ski resort that are directly related to skiing.

SECTION 2. Initial applicability.

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(1) MINIMUM WAGE EXEMPTION FOR SKI-RELATED EMPLOYEES.. This act first applies to services performed on the effective date of this subsection.

SECTION 3. Effective date.

(1) MINIMUM WAGE EXEMPTION FOR SKI-RELATED EMPLOYEES.. This act takes effect
on November 1, 2010.

10 (END)