

**DRAFTER'S NOTE**  
**FROM THE**  
**LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU**

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Representative Knodl:

This draft is the initial draft of your items 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15 (12-15, 12-27 and 12-28), 16, 17, 19, 22, 24, 25, 27, 28, and 34. We are working on other items at this time and will be reviewing them with the DWD legal staff. The other items will be added in successive redrafts when we have all the information we need to reduce them to draft format.

Currently, s. 108.04 (7) (d), stats., which we have repealed as provided in DWD's original proposal D12-19, allows a claimant to claim benefits after quitting a job, without requalifying, if the claimant quit the job to accept a recall from a former employer for which the claimant worked in the past year. Section 108.04 (8) (c), stats., which the proposal did not propose to repeal or otherwise amend, requires a claimant to either accept a recall under similar circumstances or lose benefits until the claimant requalifies. You may therefore wish to instead consider amending s. 108.04 (7) (d), stats., to limit it so that a claimant who quits a job because the claimant is required to accept a recall in order to maintain eligibility under s. 108.04 (8) (c) is not required to requalify if the recalling employer then lays off the claimant. We have discussed this situation with DWD and DWD confirms that some claimants could face this situation as your instructions now stand. We will let you know if DWD provides further information.

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