DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

April 24, 2013

Representative Knodl:

1. This draft is the initial draft of your items 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15 (all components), 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 draft also contains a new item relating to submittal dates for departmental reports. Several items have been revised based upon your instructions on April 22. The other items will be added in successive redrafts when we have all the information we need to reduce them to draft format.

2. We did not include an initial applicability provision for the provision requiring initial training for ALJs. Please let us know if such a provision is necessary (i.e., if it should only apply to ALJs appointed after the bill's effective date).

In this version, we did not make any changes related to the employer handbook because we need to consult with DWD for further guidance and clarification on this item.

3. This draft amends s. 16.48 (1), stats., to provide that the report concerning UI financial outlook be divided into two reports and that they be submitted on dates later than the date on which this report is currently submitted. Section 16.48 (3), stats., provides for a subsequent report that is currently submitted one month after the report submitted under s. 16.48 (1), stats., which must contain certain information derived from the report submitted under s. 16.48 (1), stats. As a result, this draft amends s. 16.48 (3), stats., to postpone the latest date for submittal of the report under that subsection to a date that is one month later than the submittal date for the report under s. 16.48 (1) (b), stats., as proposed in this draft. Please let us know if you would like to treat this matter differently.

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