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CHAPTER 395

AN ACT to create 13.50 and 20.015 (4) of the statutes, relating to the establishment of a joint interim committee to study industrial development and making an appropriation.

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

SECTION 1. 13.50 of the statutes is created to read:

13.50 COMMITTEE TO STUDY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT. (1) CREATION. There is created for the biennium, 1953-1955, under the administration of the legislative council, a committee to study industrial development consisting of 2 senators and 2 assemblymen, appointed as are standing committees, and one representative each from the executive branch of the government, industry, agriculture, small business, labor, banking and finance and the university of Wisconsin appointed by the governor. Members of the committee shall receive no compensation, but shall receive their actual and necessary expenses while engaged in the performance of their official duties.

(2) PURPOSE. The committee shall:

(a) Inquire into the factors which encourage and discourage industry to locate in this state;

(b) Inquire into the organization, methods and policies needed to promote the industrial development of the state;

(c) Inquire into the problems resulting from industrial expansion as well as the problems resulting from failure to promote the expansion of industry;

(d) Propose a sound program of industrial promotion including the required administrative organization, if any, to develop and maintain a program likely to provide the state with a wholesome development.

(3) ORGANIZATION. The committee is empowered to employ staff and to request information and assistance from any agency of state government.

(4) REPORT. The committee shall report to the legislative council on or before November 1, 1954, which report shall be transmitted by the legislative council to the legislature upon its convening in 1955.

SECTION 2. 20.015 (4) of the statutes is created to read:

20.015 (4) There is appropriated from the general fund for the biennium, 1953-1955, \$10,000 for the conduct of the study by the interim committee on industrial development.

Approved July 2, 1953.
