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2021 Wisconsin Act 139 [2021 Senate Bill 871]

Ratification of Collective Bargaining Agreement

2021 Wisconsin Act 139 ratifies a collective bargaining agreement for the 2019-21 biennium that was negotiated between the State of Wisconsin and the Wisconsin Law Enforcement Association for covered State Patrol Troopers and State Patrol Inspectors. The Joint Committee on Employment Relations approved the agreement.

The agreement revises the prior 2017-19 agreement for State Patrol Troopers and State Patrol Inspectors, and contains both general employment and compensation-related provisions.

Among the compensation-related provisions, the agreement provides two general wage adjustment increases of two percent each, and a market adjustment that corresponds to an employee's years of State Patrol law enforcement experience, effective with this ratification.

The agreement also provides lump sum payments, for the general wage adjustment increases and the market adjustment, for current employees' hours in pay status as follows:

- Two percent from January 5, 2020.
- Two percent from January 3, 2021.
- Market adjustment from June 6, 2021.

Effective date: February 13, 2022

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