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1995 SENATE BILL 31

January 24, 1995 – Introduced by Senators Helbach, Andrea, Wineke, Moen, Plewa, Jauch, Breske and Clausing, cosponsored by Representatives Musser, Schneider, Lorge, Hasenohrl, Gronemus, Travis, Black, Vander Loop, Baldus, Baumgart, Cullen, Riley, Boyle, Murat, Grobschmidt, Carpenter, Turner and Morris-Tatum. Referred to Committee on Human Resources, Labor, Tourism, Veterans and Military Affairs.

- AN ACT to amend 21.48 (1) of the statutes; relating to: increasing the minimum
- pay provided to national guard members and making an appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, the minimum base pay for a member of the national guard on active duty in the state is \$50 per day. This bill raises that minimum base pay to \$75 effective on July 1, 1995, and to \$100 beginning on July 1, 1996. On July 1, 1997, and on each July 1 thereafter, the minimum daily base pay shall be increased by the percentage increase in the consumer price index for all urban consumers during the 12 months preceding that July 1.

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. 21.48 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

21.48 (1) Each officer and enlisted person of the Wisconsin national guard on active duty in the state under orders of the governor on a state pay basis shall receive the base pay and allowances of an officer or enlisted person of equal rank in the corresponding branch of the U.S. armed forces except that the base pay so provided shall not be less than \$50 \$75 per day, effective on July 1, 1995. Beginning on July 1, 1996, the base pay shall not be less than \$100 per day. On July 1, 1997, and on

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every July 1 thereafter, the minimum daily base pay shall be increased by the same
percentage as the percentage increase in the consumer price index for all urban
consumers, U.S. city average, for the 12-month period ending on the preceding June
30, as computed by the federal department of labor.

SECTION 2. Appropriation changes; military affairs.

(1) In the schedule under section 20.005 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation to the department of military affairs under section 20.005 (3) of the statutes, as affected by the acts of 1995, the dollar amount is increased by \$12,800 for fiscal year 1995–96 and the dollar amount is increased by \$28,200 for fiscal year 1996–97 to provide increased minimum daily base pay to national guard members.

11 (END)