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## 2025 ASSEMBLY BILL 96

February 28, 2025 - Introduced by JOINT COMMITTEE ON EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS.  
Referred to Committee on Rules.

1     **AN ACT relating to:** ratification of the agreement negotiated between the  
2             Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System and the Wisconsin  
3             State Building Trades Negotiating Committee, for the 2024-25 fiscal year,  
4             covering employees in the building trades crafts collective bargaining unit,  
5             and authorizing an expenditure of funds.

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***Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau***

This proposal is introduced under s. 111.92 (1), stats. The proposal ratifies the collective bargaining contract for state employees in the building trades crafts collective bargaining unit negotiated for the 2024-25 fiscal year under the State Employment Labor Relations Act. Currently, statutory program supplement appropriations fund the costs of collective bargaining agreements to the extent that they exceed budgeted costs. The proposal authorizes expenditure of moneys from those appropriations to fund the cost of this agreement.

For further information see the state fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

**ASSEMBLY BILL 96****SECTION 1**

**SECTION 1. Agreement ratified.** The legislature ratifies the tentative agreement negotiated for the 2024-25 fiscal year between the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System and the Wisconsin State Building Trades Negotiating Committee, covering employees in the building trades crafts collective bargaining unit under subch. V of ch. 111, other than employees who are assigned to the University of Wisconsin-Madison, as approved by the employees of the building trades crafts collective bargaining unit and approved and recommended by the joint committee on employment relations, and authorizes the necessary expenditure of moneys for implementation from the appropriations made by s. 20.865 (1), subject to s. 20.865 (intro.). The Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System shall file an official copy of the agreement, certified by the cochairpersons of the joint committee on employment relations, with the secretary of state. No formal or informal agreement between the parties that is not a part of the official copy is deemed to be approved by the legislature under this act.

**SECTION 2. Effective date.**

(1) This act takes effect on the day after publication, except that those provisions specifically identified as having other effective dates in the agreement covering employees in the building trades crafts collective bargaining unit are effective on the dates provided in that agreement.

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