



2005 SENATE BILL 149

March 29, 2005 - Introduced by Senators BROWN, OLSEN, A. LASEE, KAPANKE, ROESSLER, DARLING and GROTHMAN, cosponsored by Representatives MUSSER, NISCHKE, JESKEWITZ, KRAWCZYK, OTT, HINES, HAHN, PETROWSKI, TOWNSEND and BALLWEG. Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Insurance.

1 **AN ACT to amend** 15.165 (2) of the statutes; **relating to:** membership of the
2 Group Insurance Board.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

The Group Insurance Board (board) currently consists of the governor, the attorney general, the secretary of administration, the director of the Office of State Employment Relations, and the commissioner of insurance (or their designees), and five persons appointed by the governor for two-year terms. This bill adds a new appointed member to the board; this new member must be either the chief executive or a member of the governing body of a local unit of government that is a participating employer in the Wisconsin Retirement System.

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:

3 **SECTION 1.** 15.165 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:
4 15.165 (2) GROUP INSURANCE BOARD. There is created in the department of
5 employee trust funds a group insurance board. The board shall consist of the
6 governor, the attorney general, the secretary of administration, the director of the

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1 office of state employment relations, and the commissioner of insurance or their
2 designees, and ~~5~~ 6 persons appointed for 2-year terms, of whom one shall be an
3 insured participant in the ~~Wisconsin retirement system~~ Retirement System who is
4 not a teacher, one shall be an insured participant in the ~~Wisconsin retirement system~~
5 Retirement System who is a teacher, one shall be an insured participant in the
6 ~~Wisconsin retirement system~~ Retirement System who is a retired employee, and one
7 shall be an insured employee of a local unit of government, and one shall be the chief
8 executive or a member of the governing body of a local unit of government that is a
9 participating employer in the Wisconsin Retirement System.

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