



2017 SENATE BILL 420

September 21, 2017 - Introduced by Senators MARKLEIN, KAPENGA, CRAIG, DARLING, HARS DORF, OLSEN and STROEBEL, cosponsored by Representatives NOVAK, E. BROOKS, EDMING, FELZKOWSKI, JACQUE, KULP, MURSAU, PETERSEN, PETRYK, ROHRKASTE, TAUCHEN, THIESFELDT and TUSLER. Referred to Committee on Labor and Regulatory Reform.

1 **AN ACT to create** 103.70 (2) (d) of the statutes; **relating to:** child labor permits.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Subject to certain exceptions, current law prohibits a minor from being employed or permitted to work at any employment unless the minor's employer obtains a written permit authorizing the employment of the minor. Such permits are issued by the Department of Workforce Development or by certain other permit officers designated by DWD.

This bill allows a minor to be employed without a child labor permit by a family business, as defined in the bill.

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

2 **SECTION 1.** 103.70 (2) (d) of the statutes is created to read:

3 103.70 (2) (d) 1. In this paragraph, "family business" means a privately owned
4 business that is owned, in whole or in part, by one or more of the minor's parents,
5 guardians, or grandparents.

6 2. A minor may be employed without a permit by a family business.

7 (END)