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Report From Agency

Rule Report for Legislative Review

Wisconsin Works Time Limits and Extensions

Chapter DCF 101

CR 18-016

Basis and Purpose of the Proposed Rule

The proposed rule implements the 48-month limit on program participation or receipt of benefits for the Wisconsin Works program under s. 49.145 (2) (n), Stats., as affected by 2015 Wisconsin Act 55.

Public Hearing Summary

The department held a public hearing in Madison on March 26, 2018. A summary of comments received and the department's response is attached.

Department Response to Legislative Council Rules Clearinghouse Recommendations

The proposed rule was rewritten in response to Legislative Council Rules Clearinghouse comments that several provisions in the rule were unclear. All comments were accepted or rendered moot by revisions.

Changes to Analysis Prepared under Section 227.14 (2), Stats.

The agency authority section of the analysis was modified in response to comments by the Legislative Council Rules Clearinghouse. The summary of proposed rule was modified due to changes in the criteria for extension of the 48-month time limit, the maximum number of extensions, and effective dates.

Final Regulatory Flexibility Analysis

The proposed rule does not affect small businesses as defined in s. 227.114 (1), Stats.

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