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AN ACT to ratify the agreement negotiated between the state of Wisconsin and the Wisconsin Nurses Association covering employes in the Professional Patient Care bargaining unit, and authorizing an expenditure of funds.

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

SECTION 1. Agreement ratified. The legislature hereby ratifies the tentative agreement negotiated between the state of Wisconsin, department of administration, and the Wisconsin Nurses Association, covering employes in the professional patient care bargaining unit under subchapter V of chapter 111 of the statutes, as approved by the employes of the professional patient care bargaining unit and approved and recommended by the joint committee on employment relations, and authorizes the necessary funds from the appropriation made by section 20.865 (1) (cm) of the statutes for implementation. Official certified copies of the agreement shall be filed with the secretary of state.

SECTION 2. Effective date. This act shall become effective on the day following publication, except that upon the administrative date closest to approval of the joint committee on employment relations, employes in the bargaining unit may commence to earn the wages and additional compensation provided for in the agreement subject to approval by the legislature and the governor and to be paid after the effective date of this act. This act shall remain in effect until June 30, 1979.