



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

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| 2003 Wisconsin Act 10 [2003 Senate Bill 145] | Ratification of Collective Bargaining Agreement: Wisconsin Science Professionals |
| 2003 Acts: www.legis.state.wi.us/2003/data/acts/ | Act Memos: www.legis.state.wi.us/lc/act_memo/act_memo.htm |

2003 Wisconsin Act 10 ratifies the collective bargaining agreement negotiated between the State of Wisconsin and the Wisconsin Science Professionals, for the 2001-03 Biennium, covering employees in the professional science collective bargaining unit. The professional science unit has approximately 1,272 full-time equivalent positions and includes agriculture consultants, chemists, biologists, DNA analysts, environmental enforcement specialists, food scientists, physicists, medical technicians, toxicologists, water resource managers, and others.

A link to the collective bargaining agreement ratified by Wisconsin Act 10 may be found at: <http://der.state.wi.us/home/pdf/wsp0103jcoer.pdf>.

Effective Date: The general effective date of 2003 Wisconsin Act 10 is May 17, 2003. However, the collective bargaining agreement ratified by Act 10 may contain other specific effective dates covering employees in the professional science collective bargaining unit.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents.