



1995 ASSEMBLY BILL 344

April 28, 1995 - Introduced by Representatives GARD, BRANCEL, LEHMAN, HUEBSCH, HUTCHISON, F. LASEE, OTT, DUFF, AINSWORTH, GUNDERSON, OURADA, FOTI, KUNICKI, MUSSER, HOVEN, SILBAUGH, HAHN, KREIBICH, ALBERS, KRUSICK, COLEMAN, ZUKOWSKI, JOHNSRUD, OLSEN, HANDRICK, SKINDRUD, HARS DORF, RYBA, BALDUS, RILEY, ROBSON, SPRINGER, SERATTI and PORTER, cosponsored by Senators ZIEN, WEEDEN, JAUCH, A. LASEE, FARROW, ADELMAN and MOEN. Referred to Committee on Labor and Employment.

- 1 **AN ACT to create** 111.825 (1) (cm) and 111.825 (6) of the statutes; **relating to:**
2 creating a separate collective bargaining unit for certain state employes
3 engaged in law enforcement.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, classified state employes are divided into 14 separate collective bargaining units for the purposes of the state employment labor relations act. The collective bargaining units are organized on a statewide basis and the Wisconsin employment relations commission (WERC) is required to assign employes to the appropriate collective bargaining unit.

This bill creates a separate collective bargaining unit for those employes of the department of administration (DOA), department of transportation (DOT) and the University of Wisconsin (UW) System who engage in the detection and prevention of crime, who enforce the laws and who are authorized to make arrests for violations of the laws, for those employes of DOA, DOT and the UW System who provide technical law enforcement support to such employes and for those employes of DOT who engage in motor vehicle inspection or operator's license examination. Under current law, WERC would most likely assign many of these employes to the "security and public safety" collective bargaining unit.

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:

- 4 **SECTION 1.** 111.825 (1) (cm) of the statutes is created to read:
5 111.825 (1) (cm) Law enforcement.

