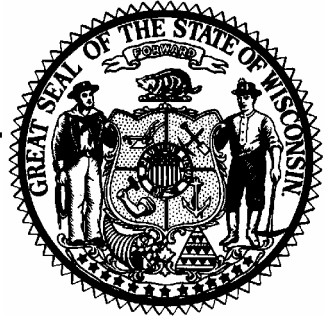


FRED A. RISSER

Wisconsin State Senator



SENATE PRESIDENT RISSER: ANNOUNCES APPOINTMENTS TO BUDGET CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

(Madison)...In accordance with the joint resolution that will set up a conference committee to review the state budget differences between the Senate and Assembly, Senate President Fred Risser (D-Madison) indicated today he would be appointing the following Senate Democrats to the conference committee:

Majority Leader Judy Robson
Finance Co-Chair Russ Decker
Senator Bob Jauch

“The leadership and experience of this budget team will serve the state well as the legislature works to pass a budget,” Risser said.

The joint resolution calls for appointment of three members from the majority party and one member from the minority party in each house of the legislature. Three members from each house must sign the final conference report before it is submitted to the legislature for final action.

The minority members of the conference committee will be selected by the minority leaders while the majority members are appointed by the Speaker in the Assembly and the President of the State Senate.