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## **Rep. Rodriguez Joins Colleagues at Red Tape Review Rollout**

MADISON, Wis – State Rep. Jessie Rodriguez (R-Franklin) joined colleagues at a Capitol press conference announcing the rollout of The Red Tape Review on Tuesday, an initiative that reflects the Republican Forward Agenda to reduce excessive government regulation.

“Through the review process we want to eliminate unnecessary regulatory code,” said Rodriguez. “We need to make Wisconsin an attractive destination for businesses and allow employers throughout the state to continue creating jobs.”

The Red Tape Review is part of a multi-session process that began in the 2013-14 legislative session formerly called Right the Rules. The initiative analyzes each chapter of Wisconsin Administrative Code and eliminates rules that are either outdated or burdensome. Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce reported that overregulation was one of the top concerns for employers in Wisconsin.

“The Red Tape Review is an important project that will benefit citizens throughout the state,” said Rodriguez. “We hope this process will make it easier to create more jobs and continue moving Wisconsin Forward.”

Assembly committee chairs have started looking at regulation within their respective areas to eliminate parts or entire chapters of the administrative code if it is deemed obsolete or unnecessary. According to Rep. Ballweg (R-Markesan) in the last session Assembly members reviewed 20 percent of the existing state code and repealed or modified 83 chapters.

“I’m eager to hear how this review process can be effective for the residents of my district,” concluded Rodriguez.

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