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REP NELSON: STATE INCENTIVES HELP CREATE MORE THAN 20 JOBS IN DE PERE

MADISON – Assembly Majority Leader Thomas Nelson (D-Kaukauna) announced today that Romo, Inc. will use state job creation incentives to create more than 20 jobs in De Pere. The expansion was made possible by job creation incentives the Legislature created last year.

“Last year, Assembly Democrats created some of the most powerful and effective economic development tools in the country,” said Representative Nelson. “Today’s announcement underscores the success of these incentives.”

Last year, Assembly Democrats – without a single Republican vote – passed \$200 million in targeted incentives to help businesses expand and create new jobs. The programs have helped dozens of Wisconsin companies hire new workers and encouraged businesses to relocate to the state. According to the Department of Commerce, De Pere-based Romo, Inc. will use the incentives to acquire Chicago Decal. The acquisition will create more than 20 new jobs in De Pere. Romo, Inc, which produces durable graphics, currently employs 50 people.

“Although we have significant challenges ahead of us, I am confident that we are making progress in the right direction,” said Representative Nelson. “The incentives that Assembly Democrats passed last year have helped businesses make critical new investments and get people back to work.”

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