

Fiscal Estimate — 2001 Session

- Original Updated
 Corrected Supplemental

LRB Number LRB-0161/1	Amendment Number if Applicable
Bill Number AB 90	Administrative Rule Number

Subject
 National teacher certification grant program.

Fiscal Effect

State: No State Fiscal Effect

Check columns below only if bill makes a direct appropriation or affects a sum sufficient appropriation.

- Increase Existing Appropriation Increase Existing Revenues
 Decrease Existing Appropriation Decrease Existing Revenues
 Create New Appropriation

Increase Costs — May be possible to absorb within agency's budget.

Yes No

Decrease Costs

Local: No Local Government Costs

1. Increase Costs
 Permissive Mandatory
 2. Decrease Costs
 Permissive Mandatory

3. Increase Revenues
 Permissive Mandatory
 4. Decrease Revenues
 Permissive Mandatory

5. Types of Local Governmental Units Affected:
 Towns Villages Cities
 Counties Others
 School Districts WTCS Districts

Fund Sources Affected

- GPR FED PRO PRS SEG SEG-S

Affected Chapter 20 Appropriations
 20.255 (3) (c)


Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill removes the residency requirement in the department's national teacher certification program.

In fiscal year 2000, the department awarded grants to ten persons who had earned national certification through the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards. First year grant recipients are awarded up to \$2,000 each. In fiscal year 2001, the department is expected to expend \$68,500: \$46,000 for 23 teachers who were awarded initial grants of up to \$2,000 each, and \$22,500 for nine grantees from fiscal year 2000 (one of the original ten recipients no longer resides in Wisconsin and is not eligible to receive a grant under current law) who will receive \$2,500 each.

This bill would result in increased expenditures from the appropriation under s. 20.255 (3)(c), Wis. Stats., if residents of other states who teach in Wisconsin's schools attain national teacher certification. It is unknown how many nonresidents who are Wisconsin teachers will earn national teacher certification and become eligible for state grants, so the fiscal effect of this bill is indeterminable.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

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