

October 13, 2015

The Honorable Jeremy Thiesfeldt
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The Honorable Luther Olsen
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Representative Thiesfeldt and Senator Olsen:

The department is resubmitting PI 17, related to changes as a result of 2013 Wisconsin Act 257, with germane modifications. As outlined in the administrative rules process, I believe this extends your respective committees' jurisdiction over the rule for an additional 10 days. To that end, I have copied the Assembly and Senate Chief Clerks on the email containing this letter, so they are aware of this resubmission.

The department revised the rule to make the two changes that were requested related to the minutes of instruction. The requested changes are noted below.

PI 17.03 (2) (c) is amended to read as follows:

(2) (c) ~~Up to 270 minutes of instructional time, including field trips~~ Instructional minutes, per student, per day, including field trips if accompanied by a department-licensed teacher and if all pupils have equal access to the field trips, regardless of their ability to pay.

PI 17.04 (2) is amended to read as follows:

(2) The ~~summer-school~~ average daily membership equivalent reported under sub. (1) shall be calculated using the school district's total summer ~~school resident~~ interim session pupil membership minutes, divided by 48,600; and rounding to the nearest whole number, as provided under s. 121.004 (8), Stats.

Please contact Jennifer Kammerud in my office if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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State Superintendent

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