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**SENATE AMENDMENT 1,  
TO SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1,  
TO SENATE BILL 475**

January 4, 2018 - Offered by Senator LEMAHIEU.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the substitute amendment as follows:

2 **1.** Page 2, line 8: after “authority,” insert “making appropriations,”.

3 **2.** Page 9, line 9: after that line insert:

4 **“SECTION 2b.** 20.155 (1) (q) of the statutes, as affected by 2017 Wisconsin Act  
5 59, is amended to read:

6 20.155 (1) (q) *Universal telecommunications service; broadband service.* From  
7 the universal service fund, the amounts in the schedule for the promotion of  
8 broadband service and universal telecommunications service for the purposes  
9 specified in s. 196.218 (5) (a) 1., 4., 8., 9., and 10. ~~Notwithstanding s. 20.001 (3) (a),~~  
10 ~~the unencumbered balance on June 30 of each year shall be transferred to the~~  
11 ~~appropriation account under sub. (3) (r).~~

1           **SECTION 2d.** 20.155 (3) (r) of the statutes, as affected by 2017 Wisconsin Act 59,  
2 is amended to read:

3           20.155 (3) (r) *Broadband expansion grants; transfer funding.* From the  
4 universal service fund, all moneys transferred from the appropriation accounts  
5 under par. (rm), sub. (1) (q), and ss. 20.255 (1) (q) and (3) (q), (qm), and (r), 20.285 (1)  
6 (q) and 20.505 (4) (s), under s. 196.218 (3) (a) 2s. a., 2015 Wisconsin Act 55, section  
7 9236 (1v), and under 2017 Wisconsin Act 59, section 9237 (1) and (2) (a), for  
8 broadband expansion grants under s. 196.504.

9           **SECTION 2e.** 20.155 (3) (rm) of the statutes, as created by 2017 Wisconsin Act  
10 59, is amended to read:

11           20.155 (3) (rm) *Broadband grants; other funding.* From the universal service  
12 fund, as a continuing appropriation, all moneys transferred under s. 196.218 (3) (a)  
13 2s. b., for broadband expansion grants under s. 196.504. Notwithstanding s. 20.001  
14 (3) (e), the unencumbered balance on June 30 of each year shall be transferred to the  
15 appropriation account under sub. (3) (r).

16           **SECTION 2h.** 20.255 (1) (q) of the statutes, as affected by 2017 Wisconsin Act  
17 59, is amended to read:

18           20.255 (1) (q) *Digital learning collaborative.* From the universal service fund,  
19 the amounts in the schedule for a digital learning collaborative for the statewide web  
20 academy and for the delivery of digital content and collaborative instruction under  
21 s. 115.28 (53) and (54). Notwithstanding s. 20.001 (3) (a), the unencumbered balance  
22 on June 30 of each year shall be transferred to the appropriation account under s.  
23 20.155 (3) (r).

24           **SECTION 2L.** 20.255 (3) (q) of the statutes, as affected by 2017 Wisconsin Act  
25 59, is amended to read:

1           20.255 (3) (q) *Periodical and reference information databases; Newsline for the*  
2 *Blind.* From the universal service fund, the amounts in the schedule for the  
3 Newsline for the Blind, provided by the Regional Library for the Blind and Physically  
4 Handicapped, and to contract for periodical and reference information databases  
5 under s. 115.28 (26). ~~Notwithstanding s. 20.001 (3) (a), the unencumbered balance~~  
6 ~~on June 30 of each year shall be transferred to the appropriation account under s.~~  
7 ~~20.155 (3) (r).~~

8           **SECTION 2m.** 20.255 (3) (qm) of the statutes, as affected by 2017 Wisconsin Act  
9 59, is amended to read:

10           20.255 (3) (qm) *Aid to public library systems.* From the universal service fund,  
11 the amounts in the schedule for state aid to public library systems under s. 43.24.  
12 ~~Notwithstanding s. 20.001 (3) (a), the unencumbered balance on June 30 of each year~~  
13 ~~shall be transferred to the appropriation account under s. 20.155 (3) (r).~~

14           **SECTION 2o.** 20.255 (3) (r) of the statutes, as affected by 2017 Wisconsin Act 59,  
15 is amended to read:

16           20.255 (3) (r) *Library service contracts.* From the universal service fund, the  
17 amounts in the schedule for library service contracts under s. 43.03 (6) and (7).  
18 ~~Notwithstanding s. 20.001 (3) (a), the unencumbered balance on June 30 of each year~~  
19 ~~shall be transferred to the appropriation account under s. 20.155 (3) (r).~~

20           **SECTION 2r.** 20.285 (1) (q) of the statutes, as affected by 2017 Wisconsin Act 59,  
21 is amended to read:

22           20.285 (1) (q) *Telecommunications services.* From the universal service fund,  
23 the amounts in the schedule to provide telecommunications services as specified in  
24 s. 196.218 (5) (a) 6. ~~Notwithstanding s. 20.001 (3) (a), the unencumbered balance on~~

1 ~~June 30 of each year shall be transferred to the appropriation account under s. 20.155~~  
2 ~~(3) (r).~~

3 **SECTION 2u.** 20.505 (4) (s) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 20.505 (4) (s) *Telecommunications access for educational agencies,*  
5 *infrastructure grants, and teacher training grants.* Biennially, from the universal  
6 service fund, the amounts in the schedule to make payments to telecommunications  
7 providers under contracts under s. 16.971 (13), (14), and (15) to the extent that the  
8 amounts due are not paid from the appropriation under sub. (1) (is), to make  
9 payments to telecommunications providers under contracts under s. 16.971 (16) to  
10 the extent that the amounts due are not paid from the appropriation under sub. (1)  
11 (kL), to make grants to school district consortia under s. 16.997 (7), to make  
12 information technology infrastructure grants under s. 16.9945, and to make  
13 educational technology teacher training grants under s. 16.996. ~~Notwithstanding s.~~  
14 ~~20.001 (3) (b), the unencumbered balance on June 30 of each odd-numbered year~~  
15 ~~shall be transferred to the appropriation account under s. 20.155 (3) (r).~~

16 **SECTION 2y.** 20.505 (4) (s) of the statutes, as affected by 2017 Wisconsin Acts  
17 59 and .... (this act), is repealed and recreated to read:

18 20.505 (4) (s) *Telecommunications access for educational agencies,*  
19 *infrastructure grants, and teacher training grants.* Biennially, from the universal  
20 service fund, the amounts in the schedule to make payments to telecommunications  
21 providers under contracts under s. 16.971 (13), (14), and (15) to the extent that the  
22 amounts due are not paid from the appropriation under sub. (1) (is), to make  
23 payments to telecommunications providers under contracts under s. 16.971 (16) to  
24 the extent that the amounts due are not paid from the appropriation under sub. (1)

1 (kL), to make grants to school district consortia under s. 16.997 (7), and to make  
2 educational technology teacher training grants under s. 16.996.”.

3 **3.** Page 25, line 25: after that line insert:

4 “**SECTION 45d.** 196.218 (3) (a) 2e. a., b. and c. of the statutes, as created by 2017  
5 Wisconsin Act 59, are amended to read:

6 196.218 (3) (a) 2e. a. The commission shall estimate the amount of  
7 unencumbered balances under s. 20.155 (1) (q) and (3) (rm) for that fiscal year that  
8 ~~will transfer to the appropriation account under s. 20.155 (3) (r).~~

9 b. The department of public instruction shall provide the commission with the  
10 department’s estimate of the total amount of unencumbered balances under s.  
11 20.255 (1) (q) and (3) (q), (qm), and (r) for that fiscal year ~~that will transfer to the~~  
12 ~~appropriation account under s. 20.155 (3) (r).~~

13 c. The Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System shall provide the  
14 commission with the board’s estimate of the amount of unencumbered balance under  
15 s. 20.285 (1) (q) for that fiscal year ~~that will transfer to the appropriation account~~  
16 ~~under s. 20.155 (3) (r).~~

17 **SECTION 45h.** 196.218 (3) (a) 2m. of the statutes, as created by 2017 Wisconsin  
18 Act 59, is amended to read:

19 196.218 (3) (a) 2m. No later than 30 days after the close of a fiscal biennium,  
20 the department of administration shall provide the commission with the  
21 department’s estimate of the amount of unencumbered balance under s. 20.505 (4)  
22 (s) for that fiscal biennium ~~that will transfer to the appropriation account under s.~~  
23 ~~20.155 (3) (r).~~

