

WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

2017 Wisconsin Act 92 [2017 Assembly Bill 250]

Alternative Education Grants

Under prior law, the Department of Public Instruction (DPI) was required to award grants to school districts and consortia of school districts for alternative education programs. DPI was also required to promulgate rules to define "alternative education program" and to implement and administer the grant program. However, the last biennial budget act to appropriate funding for the grant program was the 2009-11 Biennial Budget, 2009 Wisconsin Act 28.

2017 Wisconsin Act 92 repeals the statutory requirement that DPI award alternative education grants, the statutory appropriation language for the program, and ch. PI 44, Wis. Adm. Code., DPI's rules relating to the administration of the program.

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