



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

2001 Senate Bill 254

Senate Substitute Amendment 1

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Senate Bill 254 relates to the counting of summer school enrollment for revenue limit purposes. Current law limits the annual increase in a school district's revenue derived from general school aid and property taxes. This revenue limit is calculated by comparing a school district's average pupil enrollment in the three previous school years. Current law also phases into this pupil enrollment average between 20% and 40% of summer school enrollment depending upon the school year.

Senate Bill 254 includes 100% of the school district's summer school enrollment in the pupil enrollment. The bill would first apply to the calculation of a school district's revenue limit for the school year beginning after the effective date of the legislation.

Senate Substitute Amendment 1 makes a technical change to the original bill. Under the original bill, s. 121.90 (1) (a) to (d), Stats., were repealed. However, two other sections, s. 121.90 (1) (dm) and (dr), Stats., relating to summer school enrollment calculations, should also have been repealed by the bill since they are inconsistent with counting 100% of summer school enrollment in the pupil enrollment.

The substitute amendment makes no other changes in the original legislation.

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