



2015 ASSEMBLY BILL 657

January 7, 2016 - Introduced by Representatives NYGREN, NOVAK, VANDERMEER, KRUG, QUINN, SCHRAA, LOUDENBECK, SKOWRONSKI, TITTL, KNUDSON, SWEARINGEN, T. LARSON, STEFFEN, SANFELIPPO, ROHRKASTE, JAGLER, BALLWEG, SPIROS, A. OTT, RIPP, KLEEFISCH, PETRYK, CZAJA, MURSAU, KULP, GANNON, SINICKI, SUBECK, OHNSTAD, BILLINGS, HINTZ, KOLSTE, DOYLE, GOYKE, JORGENSEN and SPREITZER, cosponsored by Senators S. FITZGERALD, DARLING, MOULTON, OLSEN, PETROWSKI, WANGGAARD, SHILLING, RINGHAND, VINEHOUT, ERPENBACH, HARRIS DODD and HANSEN. Referred to Joint Committee on Finance.

1 **AN ACT relating to:** treatment and diversion programs and making an
2 appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill increases, by \$2,000,000 each fiscal year, funding for a grant program administered by the Department of Justice that provides grants to counties that establish alternatives, for individuals charged with certain crimes, to prosecution and incarceration.

For further information see the ***state and local*** fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

3 **SECTION 1. Fiscal changes.**

4 (1) TREATMENT AND DIVERSION PROGRAMS. In the schedule under section 20.005
5 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation to the department of justice under section
6 20.455 (2) (em) of the statutes, as affected by the acts of 2015, the dollar amount for
7 fiscal year 2015-16 is increased by \$2,000,000 to provide grants for counties that

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1 establish alternatives to prosecution and incarceration. In the schedule under
2 section 20.005 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation to the department of justice
3 under section 20.455 (2) (em) of the statutes, as affected by the acts of 2015, the dollar
4 amount for fiscal year 2016-17 is increased by \$2,000,000 to provide grants for
5 counties that establish alternatives to prosecution and incarceration.

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