



State of Wisconsin  
2003 - 2004 LEGISLATURE

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**ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1,  
TO 2003 ASSEMBLY BILL 95**

February 25, 2004 - Offered by Representative MUSSER.

1 **AN ACT** *to create* 36.27 (2) (cr) of the statutes; **relating to:** allowing aliens who  
2 are not legal permanent residents of the United States to pay resident tuition.

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***Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau***

Generally, current law allows a University of Wisconsin (UW) System student who has been a bona fide Wisconsin resident for the 12 months preceding the beginning of a semester or session for which the student registers to pay resident, as opposed to nonresident, tuition.

This substitute amendment allows an alien who is not a legal permanent resident of the United States to pay resident, as opposed to nonresident, tuition if he or she: 1) graduated from a Wisconsin high school or received a high school graduation equivalency from Wisconsin; 2) was continuously present in Wisconsin for at least three years following the first day of attending a Wisconsin high school; and 3) enrolls in a UW System institution and provides the institution with an affidavit stating that he or she has filed an application for permanent residency with U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services.

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

3 **SECTION 1.** 36.27 (2) (cr) of the statutes is created to read:

