

### Fiscal Estimate - 2005 Session

Original       Updated       Corrected       Supplemental

<b>LRB Number 05-3319/2</b>		<b>Introduction Number SB-383</b>	
<b>Description</b> Transportation of children with disabilities			
<b>Fiscal Effect</b>			
<b>State:</b>			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No State Fiscal Effect			
<input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate			
<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations		<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues	
<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations		<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues	
<input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations		<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs	
<b>Local:</b>			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Local Government Costs			
<input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate			
1. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs		3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue	
<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory		<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	
2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs		4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue	
<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory		<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	
5. Types of Local Government Units Affected			
<input type="checkbox"/> Towns		<input type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Cities	
<input type="checkbox"/> Counties		<input type="checkbox"/> Others	
<input type="checkbox"/> School Districts		<input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts	
<b>Fund Sources Affected</b>		<b>Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> GPR <input type="checkbox"/> FED <input type="checkbox"/> PRO <input type="checkbox"/> PRS <input type="checkbox"/> SEG <input type="checkbox"/> SEGS			
<b>Agency/Prepared By</b>		<b>Authorized Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>
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**Fiscal Estimate Narratives**

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**Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate**

Current law requires each school board to provide transportation for a child with a disability to any public or private elementary or high school, to the school operated by the Wisconsin Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired or the school operated by the Wisconsin Educational Services Program for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing, or to any special education program for children with disabilities sponsored by a state college or university. This requirement is true regardless of distance, if the request is approved by the state superintendent.

This bill would eliminate approval by the state superintendent and instead require transportation, when it is not otherwise required, if the child has an individualized education program that requires transportation to school and the child resides less than two miles from school, if the child has been placed in the private school by a school board, and if the child's parent or guardian has not refused a school board's placement of the child in a public school.

State Fiscal Effect: None.

Local Fiscal Effect:

While clarifying district responsibility with respect to transporting pupils with disabilities, the bill is not expected to have a fiscal effect on school districts.

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications**