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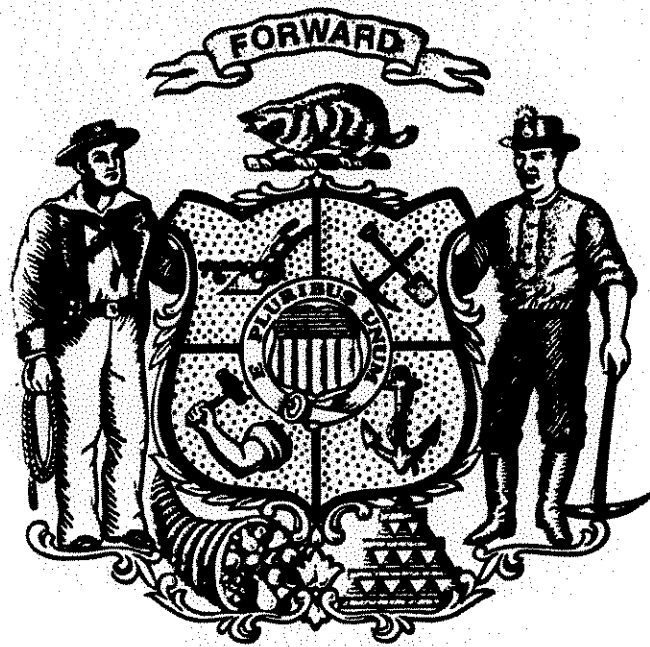
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Talking points for SB 383
Transportation of children with disabilities
Senate Committee on Education
October 18, 2005

- Thank you to committee
- Current law requires the transportation of disabled students only to specific schools and to certain specified programs for disabled children regardless of distance, with approval from the state superintendent.
- Approval is currently based on whether the child can walk to school with safety and comfort.
- This legislation would require that school boards provide transportation for disabled children to any public or private school the child attends if all the following are true:
 1. The child had an individualized education program requiring transportation to school;
 2. The child lives under 2 miles from the school;
 3. The child has been placed in the private school by a school board; and,
 4. The child's parent or guardian has not refused the board's placement of the child in a public school.
- This legislation will mean that disabled children are safely transported to and from the school they attend, regardless of the distance they live from school, and that parents do not need to seek the approval of the state superintendent to have their child transported.
- This bill does not change the law for students outside of the 2 miles radius, only within the 2 mile radius of the school.
- Thank you for allowing me to testify.
- I will take any questions if you have any.



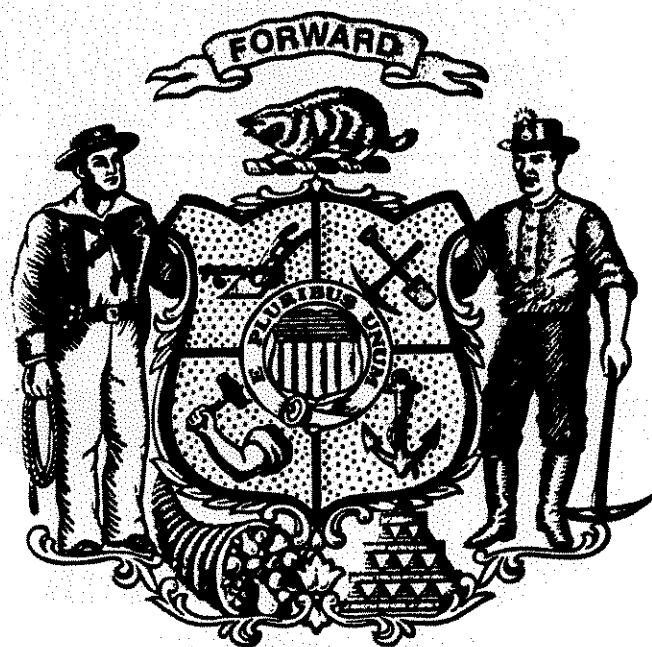
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SB 383 - Under current law school does not have to transport under 2 miles unless IEP says so for disabled students

Clarifies - more consistent to federal law eliminates the need for superintendent's approval

original draft needs to be changed