



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

2007 Assembly Bill 90

Assembly Amendment 1

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Assembly Bill 90 requires the Higher Educational Aids Board (HEAB) to establish a loan program for residents of Wisconsin who are enrolled in a program at the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health or at the Medical College of Wisconsin leading to the degree of Doctor of Medicine and who agree to practice medicine for not less than six years in a health professional shortage area. The bill also provides forgiveness of the loan based on practice in the health professional shortage area.

Assembly Amendment 1 specifies that the health professional shortage area must be located in Wisconsin.

Legislative History

The Assembly Committee on Public Health recommended adoption of Assembly Amendment 1, and passage of the bill as amended, both on votes of Ayes, 8; Noes, 0.

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