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- 4 ✓ • Pg 4, line 16: "including a charter school" located in the pupil's school district of residence and a charter school under 118.40 (8). (budget language)
- 5 ✓ • Pg 6, line 23: last session's draft contained the word "acknowledgment", the budget had the term "consent". Any ideas on why that term was changed? Use consent if that is the more appropriate.
- 6 ✓ • Pg 7, line 21: Insert after "supplementary aids and services", and operating and debt services costs per pupil, as described under s. 118.60(4)(d). (Budget Language)
- 7 ✓ • Pg 8, line 10: Insert new sentence at end of paragraph:

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- 8/ • Pg 8, line 24: replace the language from obtain to the end of the sentence with language consistent with budgetary language stating that the school can submit a letter or form to DPI stating that the municipality does not require an occupancy permit.
- ✓ 9 • Pg 9, line 17: equal to 25% of the total amount
- 2 10 • Include a study done by the DPI that would analyze open enrollment request and denial data for special need students by each school district.

see 118.51 (15)(c)

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Just scrap it.

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✓ Pg 11, line 3: replace "in a timely manner" with within 60 days. (This is the same requirement for the choice program)

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8/15/13 TC's w/ Jason

#1 delete (2v)s; + clarify not "eligible school"

state pays child amt, from SNSP
 approp; sch. must continue to comply
 w/ SNSP requirements

#2 all pupils @ priv school, not just pupils
 receiving a spsch.

#3 for 3 months after eff date -
~~city~~ applica + rejected "any of
 3 yrs: (current or either of
 previous 2.)

#7 delete (2v)s

#15 : delete ; 118.51 (15)(c) OK.

#11 : talk to Layla in LRB
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State of Wisconsin
2013 - 2014 LEGISLATURE



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2013 BILL

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1 AN ACT *to amend* 20.255 (2) (ac), 20.255 (2) (cy), 115.77 (1), 115.791 (4) and
 2 121.54 (3); and *to create* 20.255 (2) (az), 115.7915, 118.60 (4s) and 119.23 (4s)
 3 of the statutes; **relating to:** creating a Special Needs Scholarship Program for
 4 disabled pupils, granting rule-making authority, and making an
 5 appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill establishes a Special Needs Scholarship Program. Under the program, beginning in the 2014-15 school year, a child with a disability may receive a scholarship to attend a public school located outside the pupil's school district of residence, or a private school, if all of the following conditions are met:

1. The child has applied to attend a public school outside of his or her school district of residence under the Open Enrollment Program and was rejected by the school board of the nonresident school district or was prohibited from attending school in a nonresident school district by the school board of the child's resident school district.
2. The school has notified the Department of Public Instruction (DPI) of its intent to participate in the program and the child has been accepted by the school.
3. If the school is a private school, it is approved as a private school by DPI or is accredited.
4. An individualized education program (IEP) has been completed for the child.
5. In the previous school year, the child attended a public school in this state.

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independent
school,
other than an
charter school

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The bill directs DPI to develop a document, for inclusion with an application, comparing the rights of a child with a disability and his or her parent under state and federal handicapped education law with the rights of a child with a disability under the program created by this bill and federal handicapped education law.

plus the per pupil operation and det services

A school that accepts a child under the program must notify DPI. Upon receipt of the notice, DPI must notify the school board of the pupil's school district of residence and determine the amount of the child's scholarship. The amount is the lesser of the cost to the school the child is attending under the scholarship of providing regular instruction, instructional and pupil support services, special education and related services, and supplementary aids and services to the child, or an amount equal to the statewide cost per public school pupil plus the state aid per child with a disability. If the child is attending for less than a full school term, DPI must prorate the amount of the scholarship.

DPI pays the scholarship directly to the school or school district that the child will attend. The scholarship continues while the child attends a school eligible to participate in the program until he or she graduates from high school or until the end of the school term in which he or she turns 21, whichever comes first.

equalization

Under the bill, the total amount appropriated as state school aid is reduced by the total amount of scholarships paid by DPI to schools and school districts under the program, as described above. A pupil attending a private school, or a public school outside the pupil's school district of residence, under the program is not counted for state aid purposes by the pupil's school district of residence.

if the municipality in which the school is located issues such certificates

Each private school participating in the program must comply with applicable health and safety laws; hold a valid certificate of occupancy; comply with federal law that prohibits discrimination against any person on the basis of race, color, or national origin; conduct criminal background investigations of its employees and exclude from employment any person not permitted to hold a teaching license as the result of an offense and any person who might reasonably be believed to pose a threat to the safety of others; provide to each applicant a profile of the school's special education program; ~~and~~ implement the child's most recent IEP.

(2A)

The private school must also annually submit to DPI a school financial report prepared by a certified public accountant. If the private school expects to receive at least \$50,000 in scholarships during a school year, it must either file a surety bond with DPI or provide DPI with information demonstrating that it has the ability to pay an amount equal to the total amount of scholarships that it expects to receive.

25 percent of

The bill provides that if a child attends a private school under the program, his or her school district of residence must provide transportation to and from the school if the school is located at least two miles from the child's residence, the child resides in the private school's attendance area, and the private school is situated within the school district of residence or not more than five miles beyond the boundaries of the school district.

If the child attends a public school under the program, the child's parent is responsible for transporting the child to and from school unless transportation is required in the child's IEP. If the latter applies, the school district that the child

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attends is responsible for transporting the child. The bill allows a low-income pupil to apply to DPI for reimbursement of transportation costs.

The bill authorizes DPI to bar a school from participating in the program if the school intentionally and substantially misrepresents information required under the bill, routinely fails to comply with financial standards, uses a pupil's scholarship for any purpose other than educational purposes, or fails to refund any scholarship overpayments to the state.

Finally, the bill directs the Legislative Audit Bureau to contract for a study of the program. The results of the study must be reported to the legislature by January 9, 2017.

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:

1 **SECTION 1.** 20.255 (2) (ac) of the statutes is amended to read:

2 20.255 (2) (ac) *General equalization aids.* The amounts in the schedule for the
3 payment of educational aids under ss. 121.08, 121.09, 121.095, 121.105, and 121.137
4 and subch. VI of ch. 121, less the amount appropriated under par. (az).

5 **SECTION 2.** 20.255 (2) (az) of the statutes is created to read:

6 20.255 (2) (az) *Special Needs Scholarship Program.* A sum sufficient to pay the
7 special needs scholarships under s. 115.7915.

8 **SECTION 3.** 20.255 (2) (cy) of the statutes, as affected by 2013 Wisconsin Act 20,
9 is amended to read:

10 20.255 (2) (cy) *Aid for transportation; open enrollment ~~and~~, course options, and*
11 *special needs scholarships.* The amounts in the schedule to reimburse parents for
12 the costs of transportation of pupils under ss. 115.7915, 118.51 (14) (b), and 118.52
13 (11) (b).

14 **SECTION 4.** 115.77 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 115.77 (1) In sub. (1m) (a) to (d), except as provided in s. 118.51 (12) (a) and (b)
 2 2., if a child with a disability is attending a public school in a nonresident school
 3 district under s. 115.7915, 118.51, or 121.84 (1) (a) or (4), "local educational agency"
 4 means the school district that the child is attending.

5 **SECTION 5.** 115.791 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

6 115.791 (4) Subject to s. 115.77 (1m) (d) and (e), this section does not require
 7 a local educational agency to pay the cost of education, including special education
 8 and related services, of a child with a disability at a private school or facility,
 9 including a child with a disability attending a private school under s. 115.7915, if the
 10 local educational agency made a free appropriate public education available to the
 11 child and the child's parents elected to place the child in a private school or facility.

12 **SECTION 6.** 115.7915 of the statutes is created to read:

13 **115.7915 Special Needs Scholarship Program.** (1) DEFINITION. In this
 14 section: *; a charter school located in this state*

15 (a) "Eligible school" means a public school located in this state but outside the
 16 pupil's school district of residence, including a ^{virtual} charter school, or a private school
 17 located in this state.

18 (b) "Services plan" has the meaning given in 34 CFR 300.37.

19 **(1m) SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS.** Beginning in the 2014-15 school year, a child
 20 with a disability shall receive a scholarship under this section to attend an eligible
 21 school if all of the following apply:

22 (a) The child applied to attend a public school in one or more nonresident school
 23 districts under s. 118.51 for the same school year for which he or she is submitting
 24 an application under par. (f), and all of the following occurred:

*located in the pupil's
 school district of
 residence and a
 virtual charter school;
 but
 excluding
 a charter
 school
 established
 under
 s. 118.40(2r)
 118.40(2r)'*

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1 1. The child was rejected by the school boards of all the nonresident school
2 districts to which he or she applied under s. 118.51 (3) (a), (3m) (a), or (7); or was
3 prohibited from attending public school in all the nonresident school districts to
4 which he or she applied under s. 118.51 (3m) (d), (7), or (12) (b) 1.

5 2. If the child's parent appealed any school board decision under subd. 1., the
6 department affirmed the decision.

7 (b) The school district in which the eligible public school is located, the eligible
8 charter school, or the eligible private school notified the department of its intent to
9 participate in the program under this section. The notice shall specify the number
10 of pupils who may participate in the program under this section for whom the school
11 has space.

12 (c) The eligible school, if a private school, is approved by the state
13 superintendent under s. 118.165 (2) or is accredited by the Wisconsin North Central
14 Association, Wisconsin Religious and Independent Schools Accreditation, the
15 Independent Schools Association of the Central States, Wisconsin Evangelical
16 Lutheran Synod School Accreditation, National Lutheran School Accreditation, the
17 diocese or archdiocese within which the private school is located, or any other
18 organization recognized by the National Council for Private School Accreditation, as
19 of the August 1 preceding the school term for which the scholarship is awarded.

20 (d) An individualized education program or services plan has been completed
21 for the child.

22 (e) The child attended a public school in this state for the entire school year
23 immediately preceding the school year for which the child first receives a scholarship
24 under this section.

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1 (f) The child, or the child's parent on behalf of the child, has submitted an
2 application to the eligible school, on a form prepared by the department, for a
3 scholarship under this section to attend the eligible school. The application shall
4 include the document developed by the department under sub. (2) (a). An application
5 may be made, and a child may begin attending an eligible school under this section,
6 at any time during the school year.

7 (g) The child has been accepted by the school district in which the eligible public
8 school is located, the eligible charter school, or the eligible private school.

9 **(1s) ACCEPTANCE OF PUPILS.** If an eligible school receives more applications
10 under sub. (1m) (f) than the number of pupils specified in the notice under sub. (1m)
11 (b), it shall select pupils on a random basis except that it may give preference to
12 siblings of pupils who are already attending the eligible school.

13 **(2) DEPARTMENT DUTIES.** (a) 1. The department shall develop a document for
14 inclusion with an application under sub. (1m) (f), and revise it as necessary,
15 comparing the rights of a child with a disability and of his or her parent under this
16 subchapter, other than this section, and 20 USC 1400 to 1482, with the rights of a
17 child with a disability and of his or her parent under this section and 20 USC 1400
18 to 1482.

19 2. Receipt by an applicant of the document developed under subd. 1.,
20 acknowledged in a format prescribed by the department, constitutes notice that the
21 applicant has been informed of his or her rights under this section and 20 USC 1400
22 to 1482. Subsequent acceptance of a scholarship under this section constitutes the
23 applicant's informed acknowledgment of the rights specified in the document.

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1 (b) The governing body of an eligible school that accepts a child under sub. (1m)
2 (g) shall notify the department. Upon being notified, the department shall do all of
3 the following:

4 1. Notify the school board of the pupil's school district of residence that the pupil
5 has been awarded a scholarship under this section. The school board shall, within
6 3 days of receiving the notice, provide the department and the governing body of the
7 eligible school that accepted the pupil with a copy of the pupil's individualized
8 education program.

9 2. Determine the amount of the pupil's scholarship. The amount shall be the
10 lesser of the following:

11 a. Divide the sum of the statewide gross property tax levy for schools in the
12 previous year and the total amount of general school aid appropriated under s.
13 20.255 (2) (ac), (ar), and (bb) in the previous fiscal year by the total statewide
14 membership, as defined in s. 121.004 (5), in the previous school year, and add to the
15 quotient the result obtained by dividing the amount appropriated under s. 20.255 (2)

16 (b) in the previous fiscal year by the total ~~full-time equivalent~~ number of children
17 with disabilities enrolled in public schools in the previous school year

*as determined for
federal aid purposes
under
20 USC
1480 to
1482*

18 b. The cost to the school district in which the eligible public school is located,
19 the eligible charter school, or the eligible private school of providing to the pupil
20 regular instruction, instructional and pupil support services, special education and
21 related services, and supplementary aids and services, other than costs under s.
22 115.88 (3) and (4)

23 3. Prorate the amount determined under subd. 2. for a pupil attending an
24 eligible school for less than a full school term.

*the
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service cost per pupil, as
described in s. 118.60 (4) (d)*

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1 4. Notify the parent of the scholarship amount, as determined under subd. 2.
2 or 3., accompanied by an explanation of how the amount was determined.

3 5. On behalf of the pupil's parent, pay the scholarship to the school district,
4 charter school, or private school that the pupil attends from the appropriation under
5 s. 20.255 (2) (az), except that the department may not pay a scholarship to a private
6 school unless the pupil's parent has acknowledged receiving the private school's
7 profile under sub. (4) (g) in the manner provided by the department. *Except as provided in par. (c)*
8 continues while the pupil attends an eligible school until the pupil graduates from
9 high school or until the end of the school term in which the pupil attains the age of
10 21, whichever comes first.

8-10 → 11 (3) SCHOOL BOARD DUTIES. (a) Annually, each school board shall notify the
12 parents of each child with a disability enrolled in the school district of the program
13 under this section.

14 (b) Upon the request of a parent of a pupil receiving a scholarship, the pupil's
15 resident school district shall administer the appropriate examinations under s.
16 118.30 to the pupil at no cost if the school attended by the pupil does not administer
17 them.

8-17 → 18 (4) PRIVATE SCHOOL DUTIES. Each private school participating in the program
19 under this section *or receiving a payment under sub. (2) (c)* shall do all of the following:

20 (a) Comply with all health and safety laws or codes that apply to private
21 schools.

22 (b) Hold a valid certificate of occupancy, if required by the municipality in which
23 the school is located *or, if* the municipality in which the school is located does not
24 issue certificates of occupancy, *the private school shall* obtain a certificate of occupancy issued by the local
25 or regional governmental unit with authority to issue certificates of occupancy.

or submit to the department a letter or form from the municipality in which the private school is located that explains that the municipality does not issue certificates of occupancy

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1 (c) Comply with 42 USC 2000d.

2 (d) Conduct criminal background investigations of its employees and exclude
3 from employment any person not permitted to hold a teaching license as the result
4 of an offense and any person who might reasonably be believed to pose a threat to the
5 safety of others.

6 (e) Annually submit to the department a school financial information report,
7 prepared by a certified public accountant, that complies with uniform financial
8 accounting standards established by the department by rule. The report shall be
9 accompanied by an auditor's statement that the report is free of material
10 misstatements and fairly represents pupil costs. The report shall be limited in scope
11 to those records that are necessary for the department to make payments to the
12 private school.

13 (f) If the private school expects to receive at least \$50,000 in scholarships under
14 this section during a school year, do one of the following before the beginning of the
15 school year:

16 1. File with the department a surety bond payable to the state in an amount
17 equal to ^{25 percent of} the total amount of scholarships expected to be received by the private school
18 during the school year under this section.

19 2. File with the department financial information demonstrating that the
20 private school has the ability to pay an amount equal to the total amount of
21 scholarships expected to be received by the private school during the school year
22 under this section.

23 (g) Provide to each applicant under sub. (1m) (f) a profile of the private school's
24 special education program, in a form prescribed by the department, that includes the
25 methods of instruction that will be used by the school to provide special education

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1 and related services to the child and the qualifications of the teachers and other
2 persons who will be providing special education and related services to the child.

3 (h) 1. Implement the child's most recent individualized education program or
4 services plan, as modified by agreement between the private school and the child's
5 parent, and related services agreed to by the private school and the child's parent
6 that are not included in the child's individualized education program or services
7 plan.

8 2. Provide a record of the implementation of the child's individualized
9 education program or services plan under subd. 1., including an evaluation of the
10 child's progress, to the school board of the school district in which the child resides
11 in the form and manner prescribed by the department.

12 (i) Regularly report to the parent of a child attending the private school and
13 receiving a scholarship under this section on the child's progress.

14 (5) TRANSPORTATION. (a) *Private school.* Section 121.54 applies to the
15 transportation of a pupil to and from the private school he or she is attending under
16 this section.

17 (b) *Public school.* Section 118.51 (14) applies to the transportation of a pupil
18 to and from the public school he or she is attending under this section.

19 (6) PENALTIES. (a) The department may bar a school district, charter school,
20 or private school from participating in the program under this section if the
21 department determines that the school district, charter school, or private school has
22 done any of the following:

23 1. Intentionally and substantially misrepresented information required under
24 sub. (4).

25 2. Routinely failed to comply with the standards under sub. (4) (e) or (f).

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1 3. Used a pupil's scholarship for any purpose other than educational purposes
2 or rebated, refunded, or shared a pupil's scholarship with a parent or pupil.

3 4. Failed to refund to the state, in a timely manner, any scholarship
4 overpayments. *← within 60 days*

5 (b) If the department bars a school district, charter school, or private school
6 from participating in the program under this section, it shall notify all children
7 eligible to participate in the program and their parents as quickly as possible. A
8 pupil who is receiving a scholarship and attending a school district, charter school,
9 or private school barred from the program may attend another participating school
10 district, charter school, or private school under the scholarship.

11 (7) STUDY. (a) The legislative audit bureau shall contract for a study of the
12 program under this section with one or more researchers who have experience
13 evaluating school choice programs. The study shall evaluate all of the following:

14 1. The level of satisfaction with the program expressed by participating pupils
15 and their parents.

16 2. The percentage of participating pupils who were victimized because of their
17 special needs at their resident school district and the percentage of such pupils at
18 their participating school.

19 3. The percentage of participating pupils who exhibited behavioral problems
20 at their resident school district and the percentage of such pupils at their
21 participating school.

22 4. The average class size at participating pupils' resident school districts and
23 at their participating schools.

24 5. The fiscal impact of the program on the state and on resident school districts.

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1 (b) The contract under par. (a) shall require the researchers who conduct the
2 study to do all of the following:

3 1. Apply appropriate analytical and behavioral science methodologies to
4 ensure public confidence in the study.

5 2. Protect the identity of participating schools and pupils.

6 (c) The contract under par. (a) shall require that the results of the study be
7 reported to the appropriate standing committees of the legislature under s. 13.172
8 (3) by January 9, 2017.

9 **(8) RULES.** The department shall promulgate rules to implement and
10 administer this section, including rules relating to all of the following:

11 (a) The eligibility and participation of eligible schools, including timelines that
12 maximize pupil and school participation.

13 (b) The calculation and distribution of scholarships.

14 (c) The application and approval procedures for pupils and eligible schools.

12-14 →

15 **SECTION 7.** 118.60 (4s) of the statutes is created to read:

16 118.60 **(4s)** Notwithstanding subs. (4), (4m), and (4r), a pupil attending a
17 private school participating in the program under this section who is receiving a
18 scholarship under s. 115.7915 shall not be counted as a pupil attending the private
19 school under this section under sub. (4), (4m), or (4r).

20 **SECTION 8.** 119.23 (4s) of the statutes is created to read:

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22 private school participating in the program under this section who is receiving a
23 scholarship under s. 115.7915 shall not be counted as a pupil attending the private
24 school under this section under sub. (4), (4m), or (4r).

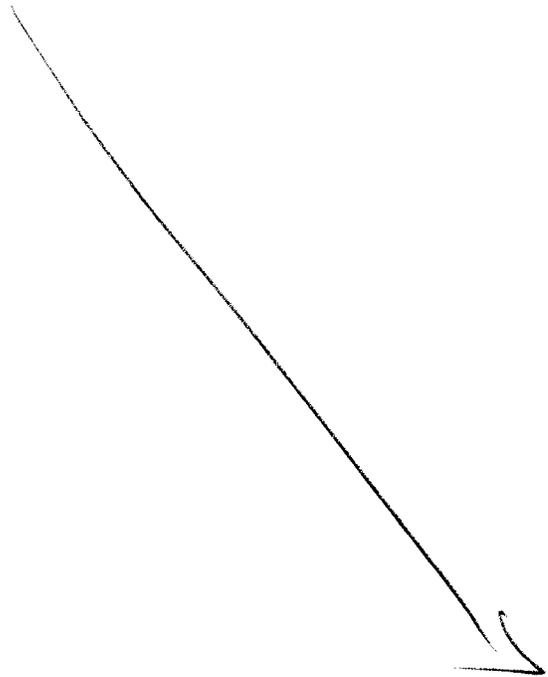
25 **SECTION 9.** 121.54 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 121.54 (3) TRANSPORTATION FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES. Every Except as
2 provided in s. 115.7915 (5), every school board shall provide transportation for
3 children with disabilities, as defined in s. 115.76 (5), to any public or private
4 elementary or high school, to the school operated by the Wisconsin Center for the
5 Blind and Visually Impaired or the school operated by the Wisconsin Educational
6 Services Program for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing or to any special education
7 program for children with disabilities sponsored by a state tax-supported institution
8 of higher education, including a technical college, regardless of distance, if the
9 request for such transportation is approved by the state superintendent. Approval
10 shall be based on whether or not the child can walk to school with safety and comfort.
11 Section 121.53 shall apply to transportation provided under this subsection.

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SECTION # [91] **Nonstatutory provisions; ...**

(#1) () ^{(1m) (a)} Notwithstanding section 115.7915 ^{(1m) (a)} of the statutes, as created by this act, if a child or his or her parents on behalf of the child apply to attend an eligible school under section 115.7915 of the statutes, as created by this act, within 90 days after the effective date of this subsection, the child satisfies ^(1m) the eligibility requirement under section 115.7915 ^(1m) (a) (intro.) of the statutes, as created by this act, if the child applied to attend a public school in one or ^{more} more nonresident school districts under section 118.51 of the statutes for the same school year for which he or she is submitting an application under section 115.7915 (1m) (f) of the statutes, as created by

in the 2014-15 school year

this act, or for ~~the~~ either of the 2 previous school years, and the conditions under section 115.7915 (1m) (a) 1. and 2. of the statutes, as created by this act, are satisfied for any of those school years.

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¶ 6. If the pupil is attending a private school under this section, pay the scholarship to the private school under subd. 5. according to the payment schedule specified in s. 119.23 (4)(c).

~~¶ (c) Annually by September 1, report to the appropriate standing committees of the legislature under s. 13.172 (3) the number of applications for scholarships (under this section) in the previous school year~~

~~¶ (c) If, as the result of the determination of an individualized education program team under sub. (3)(c), a child is ineligible to receive a scholarship under this section beginning in the following school term, and the child continues to attend the private school, the department shall pay~~

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¶ (c) If an individualized education program team, upon reevaluation of a child under sub. (3)(c), unanimously determines that the child is no longer a child with a disability, the child is ineligible to receive a special needs scholarship, as calculated under sub. (2)(b) 2., beginning in the school term following the determination. If the child continues to attend the private school, the department shall pay



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pupil's parent, an amount equal to
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program under s. 118.60 or 119.23. The
department shall make the payment from
the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2)(a2)
according to the payment schedule specified in
s. 119.23 (4)(c).

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5. Page 6, line 1: delete "The scholarship" and substitute "Except as provided in sub. (3) (c), the scholarship".

6. Page 6, line 11: after that line insert:

2 (c) If a child attends a private school under this section, the school board of the child's school district of residence shall ensure that the child's individualized education program team reevaluates the child as provided in s. 115.782 (4). ^{unanimously} If the individualized education program team determines that the child is no longer a child with a disability, the child is ineligible to receive a scholarship under this section beginning in the school term following the determination.

7. Page 7, line 3: after "rule" insert "under s. 118.60 (11) (a)".

8. Page 7, line 12: after "equal to" insert "25 percent of".

9. Page 10, line 9: after that line insert:

"(d) In a manner consistent with federal law, requiring the school board of a school district participating in the program under this section to spend its federal equitable share funds on children with disabilities who are enrolled by their parents in private schools other than under this section."

10. Page 11, line 2: after "district." insert "The department shall ensure that the amount of the aid reduction under this paragraph does not affect the amount determined to be received by a school district as state aid under this section for any other purpose."

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Section #. 118.305 (1) (h) of the statutes is amended to read:

118.305 (1) (h) "School" means a public school, including a charter school.

History: 2011 a. 125, s. 13.92 (1) (bm) 2.

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Grant, Peter

From: Rostan, Jason
Sent: Wednesday, August 21, 2013 11:12 AM
To: Grant, Peter
Subject: RE: Changes to LRB 2515/2

For eligible students, they would get the special needs scholarship, no matter if it is greater or less. However, I would assume that it would always be greater.

From: Grant, Peter
Sent: Wednesday, August 21, 2013 11:07 AM
To: Rostan, Jason
Subject: RE: Changes to LRB 2515/2

Hi Jason,

If (2r) charters are eligible, and the state is paying for the pupil to attend the (2r) charter under s. 118.40 (2r) (e), should the school get whichever amount is greater, that amount or the special needs scholarship?

Peter

From: Rostan, Jason
Sent: Wednesday, August 21, 2013 10:18 AM
To: Grant, Peter
Subject: Changes to LRB 2515/2

Hi Peter,

I think there may have been some confusion. We did not want to exempt 2r charters from our bill.

Pg 4, line 18: remove the exclusion language for 2r charters

Make any other appropriate changes to include 2r charters under the bill.

Thanks.

Jason

From: Grant, Peter
Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2013 1:59 PM
To: Rostan, Jason
Subject: RE: Changes to LRB 2515/2

Jason, look at s. 118.51 (15) (c), which currently requires an annual DPI report. Here's what it says:



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1 **AN ACT to amend** 20.255 (2) (ac), 20.255 (2) (cy), 115.77 (1), 115.791 (4), 118.305
 2 (1) (h) and 121.54 (3); and **to create** 20.255 (2) (az), 115.7915, 118.60 (4s) and
 3 119.23 (4s) of the statutes; **relating to:** creating a Special Needs Scholarship
 4 Program for disabled pupils, granting rule-making authority, and making an
 5 appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill establishes a Special Needs Scholarship Program. Under the program, beginning in the 2014-15 school year, a child with a disability may receive a scholarship to attend a public school located outside the pupil's school district of residence, a charter school ~~other than an independent charter school~~, or a private school, if all of the following conditions are met:

1. The child has applied to attend a public school outside of his or her school district of residence under the Open Enrollment Program and was rejected by the school board of the nonresident school district or was prohibited from attending school in a nonresident school district by the school board of the child's resident school district.
2. The school has notified the Department of Public Instruction (DPI) of its intent to participate in the program and the child has been accepted by the school.
3. If the school is a private school, it is approved as a private school by DPI or is accredited.
4. An individualized education program (IEP) has been completed for the child.

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5. In the previous school year, the child attended a public school in this state.

The bill directs DPI to develop a document, for inclusion with an application, comparing the rights of a child with a disability and his or her parent under state and federal handicapped education law with the rights of a child with a disability under the program created by this bill and federal handicapped education law.

A school that accepts a child under the program must notify DPI. Upon receipt of the notice, DPI must notify the school board of the pupil's school district of residence and determine the amount of the child's scholarship. The amount is the lesser of the cost to the school the child is attending under the scholarship of providing regular instruction, instructional and pupil support services, special education and related services, and supplementary aids and services to the child, plus the per pupil operating and debt service costs, or an amount equal to the statewide cost per public school pupil plus the state aid per child with a disability. If the child is attending for less than a full school term, DPI must prorate the amount of the scholarship.

DPI pays the scholarship directly to the school or school district that the child will attend. The scholarship continues while the child attends a school eligible to participate in the program until he or she graduates from high school or until the end of the school term in which he or she turns 21, whichever comes first.

Under the bill, the total amount appropriated as state school equalization aid is reduced by the total amount of scholarships paid by DPI to schools and school districts under the program, as described above. A pupil attending a private school, or a public school outside the pupil's school district of residence, under the program is not counted for state aid purposes by the pupil's school district of residence.

Each private school participating in the program must comply with applicable health and safety laws; hold a valid certificate of occupancy if the municipality in which the school is located issues such certificates; comply with federal law that prohibits discrimination against any person on the basis of race, color, or national origin; conduct criminal background investigations of its employees and exclude from employment any person not permitted to hold a teaching license as the result of an offense and any person who might reasonably be believed to pose a threat to the safety of others; provide to each applicant a profile of the school's special education program; implement the child's most recent IEP; and comply with the restrictions on the use of seclusion and physical restraint that currently apply to public and charter schools.

The private school must also annually submit to DPI a school financial report prepared by a certified public accountant. If the private school expects to receive at least \$50,000 in scholarships during a school year, it must either file a surety bond with DPI or provide DPI with information demonstrating that it has the ability to pay an amount equal to 25 percent of the total amount of scholarships that it expects to receive.

The bill provides that if a child attends a private school under the program, his or her school district of residence must provide transportation to and from the school if the school is located at least two miles from the child's residence, the child resides in the private school's attendance area, and the private school is situated within the

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school district of residence or not more than five miles beyond the boundaries of the school district.

If the child attends a public school under the program, the child's parent is responsible for transporting the child to and from school unless transportation is required in the child's IEP. If the latter applies, the school district that the child attends is responsible for transporting the child. The bill allows a low-income pupil to apply to DPI for reimbursement of transportation costs.

The bill authorizes DPI to bar a school from participating in the program if the school intentionally and substantially misrepresents information required under the bill, routinely fails to comply with financial standards, uses a pupil's scholarship for any purpose other than educational purposes, or fails to refund any scholarship overpayments to the state.

Finally, the bill directs the Legislative Audit Bureau to contract for a study of the program. The results of the study must be reported to the legislature by January 9, 2017.

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:

1 **SECTION 1.** 20.255 (2) (ac) of the statutes is amended to read:

2 20.255 (2) (ac) *General equalization aids.* The amounts in the schedule for the
3 payment of educational aids under ss. 121.08, 121.09, 121.095, 121.105, and 121.137
4 and subch. VI of ch. 121, less the amount appropriated under par. (az).

5 **SECTION 2.** 20.255 (2) (az) of the statutes is created to read:

6 20.255 (2) (az) *Special Needs Scholarship Program.* A sum sufficient to pay the
7 special needs scholarships under s. 115.7915.

8 **SECTION 3.** 20.255 (2) (cy) of the statutes, as affected by 2013 Wisconsin Act 20,
9 is amended to read:

10 20.255 (2) (cy) *Aid for transportation; open enrollment ~~and~~, course options, and*
11 *special needs scholarships.* The amounts in the schedule to reimburse parents for
12 the costs of transportation of pupils under ss. 115.7915, 118.51 (14) (b), and 118.52
13 (11) (b).

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1 **SECTION 4.** 115.77 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

2 115.77 (1) In sub. (1m) (a) to (d), except as provided in s. 118.51 (12) (a) and (b)
3 2., if a child with a disability is attending a public school in a nonresident school
4 district under s. 115.7915, 118.51, or 121.84 (1) (a) or (4), “local educational agency”
5 means the school district that the child is attending.

6 **SECTION 5.** 115.791 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

7 115.791 (4) Subject to s. 115.77 (1m) (d) and (e), this section does not require
8 a local educational agency to pay the cost of education, including special education
9 and related services, of a child with a disability at a private school or facility,
10 including a child with a disability attending a private school under s. 115.7915, if the
11 local educational agency made a free appropriate public education available to the
12 child and the child’s parents elected to place the child in a private school or facility.

13 **SECTION 6.** 115.7915 of the statutes is created to read:

14 **115.7915 Special Needs Scholarship Program.** (1) DEFINITION. In this
15 section:

16 (a) “Eligible school” means a public school located in this state but outside the
17 pupil’s school district of residence; a charter school located in this state, including a
18 virtual charter school but excluding a charter school established under s. 118.40 (2r);
19 or a private school located in this state.

20 (b) “Services plan” has the meaning given in 34 CFR 300.37.

21 **(1m) SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS.** Beginning in the 2014–15 school year, a child
22 with a disability shall receive a scholarship under this section to attend an eligible
23 school if all of the following apply:

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1 (a) The child applied to attend a public school in one or more nonresident school
2 districts under s. 118.51 for the same school year for which he or she is submitting
3 an application under par. (f), and all of the following occurred:

4 1. The child was rejected by the school boards of all the nonresident school
5 districts to which he or she applied under s. 118.51 (3) (a), (3m) (a), or (7); or was
6 prohibited from attending public school in all the nonresident school districts to
7 which he or she applied under s. 118.51 (3m) (d), (7), or (12) (b) 1.

8 2. If the child's parent appealed any school board decision under subd. 1., the
9 department affirmed the decision.

10 (b) The school district in which the eligible public school is located, the eligible
11 charter school, or the eligible private school notified the department of its intent to
12 participate in the program under this section. The notice shall specify the number
13 of pupils who may participate in the program under this section for whom the school
14 has space.

15 (c) The eligible school, if a private school, is approved by the state
16 superintendent under s. 118.165 (2) or is accredited by the Wisconsin North Central
17 Association, Wisconsin Religious and Independent Schools Accreditation, the
18 Independent Schools Association of the Central States, Wisconsin Evangelical
19 Lutheran Synod School Accreditation, National Lutheran School Accreditation, the
20 diocese or archdiocese within which the private school is located, or any other
21 organization recognized by the National Council for Private School Accreditation, as
22 of the August 1 preceding the school term for which the scholarship is awarded.

23 (d) An individualized education program or services plan has been completed
24 for the child.

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1 (e) The child attended a public school in this state for the entire school year
2 immediately preceding the school year for which the child first receives a scholarship
3 under this section.

4 (f) The child, or the child's parent on behalf of the child, has submitted an
5 application to the eligible school, on a form prepared by the department, for a
6 scholarship under this section to attend the eligible school. The application shall
7 include the document developed by the department under sub. (2) (a). An application
8 may be made, and a child may begin attending an eligible school under this section,
9 at any time during the school year.

10 (g) The child has been accepted by the school district in which the eligible public
11 school is located, the eligible charter school, or the eligible private school.

12 **(1s)** ACCEPTANCE OF PUPILS. If an eligible school receives more applications
13 under sub. (1m) (f) than the number of pupils specified in the notice under sub. (1m)
14 (b), it shall select pupils on a random basis except that it may give preference to
15 siblings of pupils who are already attending the eligible school.

16 **(2)** DEPARTMENT DUTIES. (a) 1. The department shall develop a document for
17 inclusion with an application under sub. (1m) (f), and revise it as necessary,
18 comparing the rights of a child with a disability and of his or her parent under this
19 subchapter, other than this section, and 20 USC 1400 to 1482, with the rights of a
20 child with a disability and of his or her parent under this section and 20 USC 1400
21 to 1482.

22 2. Receipt by an applicant of the document developed under subd. 1.,
23 acknowledged in a format prescribed by the department, constitutes notice that the
24 applicant has been informed of his or her rights under this section and 20 USC 1400

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1 to 1482. Subsequent acceptance of a scholarship under this section constitutes the
2 applicant's informed acknowledgment of the rights specified in the document.

3 (b) The governing body of an eligible school that accepts a child under sub. (1m)
4 (g) shall notify the department. Upon being notified, the department shall do all of
5 the following:

6 1. Notify the school board of the pupil's school district of residence that the pupil
7 has been awarded a scholarship under this section. The school board shall, within
8 3 days of receiving the notice, provide the department and the governing body of the
9 eligible school that accepted the pupil with a copy of the pupil's individualized
10 education program.

11 2. Determine the amount of the pupil's scholarship. The amount shall be the
12 lesser of the following:

13 a. Divide the sum of the statewide gross property tax levy for schools in the
14 previous year and the total amount of general school aid appropriated under s.
15 20.255 (2) (ac), (ar), and (bb) in the previous fiscal year by the total statewide
16 membership, as defined in s. 121.004 (5), in the previous school year, and add to the
17 quotient the result obtained by dividing the amount appropriated under s. 20.255 (2)
18 (b) in the previous fiscal year by the total number of children with disabilities
19 enrolled in public schools in the previous school year, as determined for federal aid
20 purposes under 20 USC 1400 to 1482.

21 b. The cost to the school district in which the eligible public school is located,
22 the eligible charter school, or the eligible private school of providing to the pupil
23 regular instruction, instructional and pupil support services, special education and
24 related services, and supplementary aids and services, other than costs under s.

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1 115.88 (3) and (4); and the operating and debt service cost per pupil, as described in
2 s. 118.60 (4) (d).

3 3. Prorate the amount determined under subd. 2. for a pupil attending an
4 eligible school for less than a full school term.

5 4. Notify the parent of the scholarship amount, as determined under subd. 2.
6 or 3., accompanied by an explanation of how the amount was determined.

7 5. On behalf of the pupil's parent, pay the scholarship to the school district,
8 charter school, or private school that the pupil attends from the appropriation under
9 s. 20.255 (2) (az), except that the department may not pay a scholarship to a private
10 school unless the pupil's parent has acknowledged receiving the private school's
11 profile under sub. (4) (g) in the manner provided by the department. Except as
12 provided in par. (c), the scholarship continues while the pupil attends an eligible
13 school until the pupil graduates from high school or until the end of the school term
14 in which the pupil attains the age of 21, whichever comes first.

15 6. If the pupil is attending a private school under this section, pay the
16 scholarship to the private school under subd. 5. according to the payment schedule
17 specified in s. 119.23 (4) (c).

18 (c) If an individualized education program team, upon reevaluation of a child
19 under sub. (3) (c), unanimously determines that the child is no longer a child with
20 a disability, the child is ineligible to receive a special needs scholarship, as calculated
21 under sub. (2) (b) 2., beginning in the school term following the determination. If the
22 child continues to attend the private school, the department shall pay to the private
23 school, on behalf of the pupil's parent, an amount equal to the appropriate amount
24 paid per pupil to a private school participating in a parental choice program in the
25 same school year under s. 118.60 or 119.23. The department shall make the payment

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1 from the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (az) according to the payment schedule
2 specified in s. 119.23 (4) (c).

3 (3) SCHOOL BOARD DUTIES. (a) Annually, each school board shall notify the
4 parents of each child with a disability enrolled in the school district of the program
5 under this section.

6 (b) Upon the request of a parent of a pupil receiving a scholarship, the pupil's
7 resident school district shall administer the appropriate examinations under s.
8 118.30 to the pupil at no cost if the school attended by the pupil does not administer
9 them.

10 (c) If a child attends a private school under this section, the school board of the
11 child's school district of residence shall ensure that the child's individualized
12 education program team reevaluates the child as provided in s. 115.782 (4).

13 (4) PRIVATE SCHOOL DUTIES. Each private school participating in the program
14 under this section or receiving a payment under sub. (2) (c) shall do all of the
15 following:

16 (a) Comply with all health and safety laws or codes that apply to private
17 schools.

18 (b) Hold a valid certificate of occupancy, if required by the municipality in which
19 the school is located. If the municipality in which the school is located does not issue
20 certificates of occupancy, the private school shall obtain a certificate of occupancy
21 issued by the local or regional governmental unit with authority to issue certificates
22 of occupancy or submit to the department a letter or form from the municipality in
23 which the private school is located that explains that the municipality does not issue
24 certificates of occupancy.

25 (c) Comply with 42 USC 2000d.

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1 (d) Conduct criminal background investigations of its employees and exclude
2 from employment any person not permitted to hold a teaching license as the result
3 of an offense and any person who might reasonably be believed to pose a threat to the
4 safety of others.

5 (e) Annually submit to the department a school financial information report,
6 prepared by a certified public accountant, that complies with uniform financial
7 accounting standards established by the department by rule. The report shall be
8 accompanied by an auditor's statement that the report is free of material
9 misstatements and fairly represents pupil costs. The report shall be limited in scope
10 to those records that are necessary for the department to make payments to the
11 private school.

12 (f) If the private school expects to receive at least \$50,000 in scholarships under
13 this section during a school year, do one of the following before the beginning of the
14 school year:

15 1. File with the department a surety bond payable to the state in an amount
16 equal to 25 percent of the total amount of scholarships expected to be received by the
17 private school during the school year under this section.

18 2. File with the department financial information demonstrating that the
19 private school has the ability to pay an amount equal to the total amount of
20 scholarships expected to be received by the private school during the school year
21 under this section.

22 (g) Provide to each applicant under sub. (1m) (f) a profile of the private school's
23 special education program, in a form prescribed by the department, that includes the
24 methods of instruction that will be used by the school to provide special education

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1 and related services to the child and the qualifications of the teachers and other
2 persons who will be providing special education and related services to the child.

3 (h) 1. Implement the child's most recent individualized education program or
4 services plan, as modified by agreement between the private school and the child's
5 parent, and related services agreed to by the private school and the child's parent
6 that are not included in the child's individualized education program or services
7 plan.

8 2. Provide a record of the implementation of the child's individualized
9 education program or services plan under subd. 1., including an evaluation of the
10 child's progress, to the school board of the school district in which the child resides
11 in the form and manner prescribed by the department.

12 (i) Regularly report to the parent of a child attending the private school and
13 receiving a scholarship under this section on the child's progress.

14 (5) TRANSPORTATION. (a) *Private school.* Section 121.54 applies to the
15 transportation of a pupil to and from the private school he or she is attending under
16 this section.

17 (b) *Public school.* Section 118.51 (14) applies to the transportation of a pupil
18 to and from the public school he or she is attending under this section.

19 (6) PENALTIES. (a) The department may bar a school district, charter school,
20 or private school from participating in the program under this section if the
21 department determines that the school district, charter school, or private school has
22 done any of the following:

23 1. Intentionally and substantially misrepresented information required under
24 sub. (4).

25 2. Routinely failed to comply with the standards under sub. (4) (e) or (f).

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1 3. Used a pupil's scholarship for any purpose other than educational purposes
2 or rebated, refunded, or shared a pupil's scholarship with a parent or pupil.

3 4. Failed to refund to the state, within 60 days, any scholarship overpayments.

4 (b) If the department bars a school district, charter school, or private school
5 from participating in the program under this section, it shall notify all children
6 eligible to participate in the program and their parents as quickly as possible. A
7 pupil who is receiving a scholarship and attending a school district, charter school,
8 or private school barred from the program may attend another participating school
9 district, charter school, or private school under the scholarship.

10 (7) STUDY. (a) The legislative audit bureau shall contract for a study of the
11 program under this section with one or more researchers who have experience
12 evaluating school choice programs. The study shall evaluate all of the following:

13 1. The level of satisfaction with the program expressed by participating pupils
14 and their parents.

15 2. The percentage of participating pupils who were victimized because of their
16 special needs at their resident school district and the percentage of such pupils at
17 their participating school.

18 3. The percentage of participating pupils who exhibited behavioral problems
19 at their resident school district and the percentage of such pupils at their
20 participating school.

21 4. The average class size at participating pupils' resident school districts and
22 at their participating schools.

23 5. The fiscal impact of the program on the state and on resident school districts.

24 (b) The contract under par. (a) shall require the researchers who conduct the
25 study to do all of the following:

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1 1. Apply appropriate analytical and behavioral science methodologies to
2 ensure public confidence in the study.

3 2. Protect the identity of participating schools and pupils.

4 (c) The contract under par. (a) shall require that the results of the study be
5 reported to the appropriate standing committees of the legislature under s. 13.172
6 (3) by January 9, 2017.

7 (8) **RULES.** The department shall promulgate rules to implement and
8 administer this section, including rules relating to all of the following:

9 (a) The eligibility and participation of eligible schools, including timelines that
10 maximize pupil and school participation.

11 (b) The calculation and distribution of scholarships.

12 (c) The application and approval procedures for pupils and eligible schools.

13 **SECTION 7.** 118.305 (1) (h) of the statutes is amended to read:

14 118.305 (1) (h) “School” means a public school, including a charter school, and
15 a private school participating in the program under s. 115.7915.

16 **SECTION 8.** 118.60 (4s) of the statutes is created to read:

17 118.60 (4s) Notwithstanding subs. (4), (4m), and (4r), a pupil attending a
18 private school participating in the program under this section who is receiving a
19 scholarship under s. 115.7915 shall not be counted as a pupil attending the private
20 school under this section under sub. (4), (4m), or (4r).

21 **SECTION 9.** 119.23 (4s) of the statutes is created to read:

22 119.23 (4s) Notwithstanding subs. (4), (4m), and (4r), a pupil attending a
23 private school participating in the program under this section who is receiving a
24 scholarship under s. 115.7915 shall not be counted as a pupil attending the private
25 school under this section under sub. (4), (4m), or (4r).

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118.40 2r

SEC. (B) CR, 118.40 (2r) (e) S.

118.40 (2r) (e) S. Notwithstanding.

~~subd. 2n. and 2p.~~ A pupil attending a charter school under this subsection who is receiving a scholarship under s. 115.7915 shall not be counted as a pupil attending the charter school under subd. 2n. or 2p.
2n. 2p.

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TO from Jason (Vukmir)

PP. 14-15 :

want to make sure child currently

in priv. school is eligible as long as

satisfies the p. 14 l. 23-25 + p. 15, l. 1 ←

so add par. (e) on p. 14 l 22.