



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

2019 Senate Bill 15

Senate Amendment 1

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2019 SENATE BILL 15

2019 Senate Bill 15 directs the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation and the University of Wisconsin System to jointly administer a grant program for businesses that begin internships, funded by an annual appropriation of \$500,000. To be eligible for a grant under the program, a business must plan to hire at least three paid interns in Wisconsin in the three-year period following receipt of a grant. Grant funds may be used only for legal, human resources, and staff training expenses related to beginning an internship program.

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Senate Amendment 1 expands the permitted uses of grant funds to also include intern recruitment expenses.

BILL HISTORY

2019 Senate Bill 15 was introduced by Senator Feyen, and others, on January 29, 2019. Senate Amendment 1 was offered by Senator Feyen on February 26, 2019. On March 27, 2019, the Senate Committee on Economic Development, Commerce and Trade recommended adoption of Senate Amendment 1 and passage of Senate Bill 15, as amended, by successive votes of Ayes, 5; Noes, 0.

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