



1997 ASSEMBLY BILL 165

March 6, 1997 - Introduced by Representatives OTTE, WASSERMAN, OTT, PLALE, UNDERHEIM, ROBSON, ZUKOWSKI, BAUMGART, R. YOUNG, BLACK, GRONEMUS, J. LEHMAN and GUNDERSON, cosponsored by Senators C. POTTER, GROBSCHMIDT and PLACHE. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

1 **AN ACT to amend** 121.07 (6) (a) (intro.); and **to create** 121.91 (4) (f) of the
2 statutes; **relating to:** increasing a school district's revenue limit by the amount
3 necessary to comply with certain orders and excluding that amount from the
4 school district's shared cost.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Current law limits the increase in the total amount of revenue that a school district may receive from general school aids and property taxes. The maximum allowable increase per pupil is \$206. Several exceptions are provided. For example, if a school district increases the services that it provides by adding responsibility for providing a service transferred to it from another governmental unit, its revenue limit is increased by the cost of that service.

This bill provides that a school district's revenue limit is increased by the amount necessary to comply with an order of a court, a federal agency or a city, village, town or county to remedy any violation of law relating to health or safety. The bill also excludes from a school district's shared cost (costs that are aidable through the general aid formula) the amount described above.

For further information see the *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:

