



2003 ASSEMBLY BILL 57

February 13, 2003 - Introduced by Representative BLACK, cosponsored by Senator RISSER. Referred to Committee on Energy and Utilities.

1 **AN ACT to amend** 20.285 (1) (c) of the statutes; and **to affect** 2001 Wisconsin Act
2 109, section 9156 (2z); **relating to:** construction of a cogeneration facility at the
3 University of Wisconsin-Madison campus and making an appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, the board of regents of the University of Wisconsin (UW) System and the Department of Administration are required to negotiate an agreement with the public utility, or its affiliate, that provides electric service to the UW-Madison campus. The agreement must require the public utility or its affiliate to construct a centralized cogeneration facility at the campus for the purpose of providing electric, steam, and chilled water services. The cogeneration facility must have a nominal output of 150 megawatts.

This bill eliminates all of the requirements described above.

For further information see the *state* 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:

4 **SECTION 1.** 20.285 (1) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:
5 20.285 (1) (c) *Energy costs.* The amounts in the schedule to pay for utilities and
6 for fuel, heat, and air conditioning, and to pay costs incurred under ss. 16.858 and

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1 16.895, including all operating costs recommended by the department of
2 administration that result from the installation of pollution abatement equipment
3 in state-owned or operated heating, cooling, or power plants, by or on behalf of the
4 board of regents, ~~and including the cost of purchasing electricity, steam, and chilled~~
5 ~~water generated by the cogeneration facility constructed pursuant to an agreement~~
6 ~~under 2001 Wisconsin Act 109, section 9156 (2z) (b).~~

7 **SECTION 2.** 2001 Wisconsin Act 109, section 9156 (2z) is repealed.

8 (END)