

WISCONSIN STATE  
LEGISLATURE  
COMMITTEE HEARING  
RECORDS

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1997-08

(session year)

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Senate

(Assembly, Senate or Joint)

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Committee on  
Education  
(SC-Ed)

COMMITTEE NOTICES ...

➤ Committee Hearings ... CH (Public Hearing Announcements)

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➤ Committee Reports ... CR

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➤ Record of Comm. Proceedings ... RCP

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INFORMATION COLLECTED BY COMMITTEE  
CLERK FOR AND AGAINST PROPOSAL

➤ Appointments ... Appt

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Name:

➤ Clearinghouse Rules ... CRule

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➤ Hearing Records ... HR (bills and resolutions)

➤ **97hr\_sb0089\_SC-Ed\_pt01**

➤ Miscellaneous ... Misc

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Vote Record  
Senate Committee on Education

SB 89  
Sub & Bill  
Final

Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Moved by: Job Seconded by: Roesler  
 AB: \_\_\_\_\_ Clearinghouse Rule: \_\_\_\_\_  
 AB: \_\_\_\_\_ SB: \_\_\_\_\_ Appointment: \_\_\_\_\_  
 AJR: \_\_\_\_\_ SJR: \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Be recommended for:

- Passage
- Introduction *of Sub*
- Adoption
- Rejection

- Indefinite Postponement
- Tabling
- Concurrence
- Nonconcurrence
- Confirmation

Committee Member

	<u>Aye</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Absent</u>	<u>Not Voting</u>
Sen. Calvin Potter, Chair	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sen. Robert Jauch	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sen. Kevin Shibilski	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sen. Richard Grobschmidt	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sen. Alberta Darling	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sen. Joanne Huelsman	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sen. Carol Roesler	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Totals: \_\_\_\_\_

Motion Carried

Motion Failed

CALVIN J. POTTER  
State Senator



## Wisconsin State Senate

February 25, 1997

Katharine Lyall, President  
University of Wisconsin System  
1720 Van Hise Hall  
Madison, Wisconsin 53706

Dear Katharine:

I am pleased to know that you will be able to join the Senate Education Committee for a budget briefing on the University of Wisconsin System section of the Governor's proposed 1997-99 biennial budget on Wednesday, March 12. We look forward to hearing from you.

We have scheduled the public hearing to begin at 1 p.m. on SB 83 and SB 89. The hearing will take an hour. The Department of Administration will begin the budget briefing at 2 p.m. with a brief overview of the main provisions of the UW budget as recommended by the Governor. We would like to have your comments immediately after the DOA. Following you the committee will hear from faculty, staff and student representatives.

We have requested the Joint Finance Area located on the first floor at 119 Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard. It is possible we will be "bumped" to a smaller hearing room in the same building should the Joint Finance Committee be meeting. I have asked Paul Rusk of my staff to keep in touch with Margaret Lewis about any last minute details.

Please let me know if you have any questions. We look forward to seeing you March 12.

Sincerely,

SENATOR CALVIN POTTER  
Chair, Committee on Education

CP/pr  
cc: Margaret Lewis

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February 27, 1997

Bob Hanle, Education Team Leader  
State Budget Office  
101 East Wisconsin, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor  
P.O. Box 7864  
Madison, Wisconsin 53707-7864

Dear Mr. Hanle:

Thank you for again agreeing to provide an overview of the University of Wisconsin System section of the Governor's proposed 1997-99 biennial budget for the Senate Education Committee on Wednesday, March 12. We look forward to hearing from you.

We have scheduled a public hearing to begin at 1 p.m. on SB 83 and SB 89. This hearing should take about an hour. We will delay any possible executive session on these bills until after the budget briefing so we can begin our budget briefing with a DOA overview at 2 p.m.

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Please contact Paul Rusk of my staff if you have any questions. We look forward to seeing you on March 12.

Sincerely,

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SENATOR CALVIN POTTER  
Chair, Committee on Education

CP/pr

**CALVIN J. POTTER**  
State Senator



**Wisconsin State Senate**

February 27, 1997

Steve Perela, Legislative Affairs Director  
United Council of UW Student Governments  
122 State Street  
Madison, Wisconsin 53703

Dear Mr. Perela:

I would like to take this opportunity to invite you or a representative of United Council to speak before the Senate Education Committee on the UW System section of the Governor's proposed 1997-99 biennial budget. The committee is in the process of having a series of budget briefings on state functions pertaining to education.

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I would appreciate your confirming your participation with Committee Clerk Paul Rusk of my staff. We look forward to seeing you March 12. Please let us know if you have any questions.

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**SENATOR CALVIN POTTER**  
Chair, Committee on Education

**CALVIN J. POTTER**  
State Senator



## Wisconsin State Senate

February 27, 1997

Richard Ralston, President  
PROFS, Inc.  
258 Bascom Hall  
500 Lincoln Drive  
Madison, Wisconsin 53706

Dear Mr. Ralston:

I would like to take this opportunity to invite you or a representative of PROFS, Inc. to speak before the Senate Education Committee on the UW System section of the Governor's proposed 1997-99 biennial budget. The committee is in the process of having a series of budget briefings on state functions pertaining to education.

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Sincerely,

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**SENATOR CALVIN POTTER**  
Chair, Committee on Education

**CALVIN J. POTTER**  
State Senator



## Wisconsin State Senate

February 27, 1997

Esther Olson, President  
Academic Staff Public Representation Organization  
3731 Schneider Drive  
Stoughton, Wisconsin 53589

Dear Ms. Olson::

I would like to take this opportunity to invite you or a representative of ASPRO to speak before the Senate Education Committee on the UW System section of the Governor's proposed 1997-99 biennial budget. The committee is in the process of having a series of budget briefings on state functions pertaining to education.

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**SENATOR CALVIN POTTER**  
Chair, Committee on Education



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**WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF MEMORANDUM**

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**DATE:** May 28, 1997  
**TO:** SENATOR CALVIN POTTER, CHAIRPERSON; MEMBERS OF THE SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE; AND OTHER INTERESTED LEGISLATORS  
**FROM:** Russ Whitesel, Senior Staff Attorney  
**SUBJECT:** Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to 1997 Senate Bill 89, Relating to Grants for Family Involvement in Education Projects

This memorandum describes the provisions of Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to 1997 Senate Bill 89, relating to authorizing the State Superintendent of Public Instruction to award grants for family involvement in education projects and making appropriations. This memorandum also provides the legislative history of the proposal and a brief description of the Bill as originally introduced.

**A. LEGISLATIVE HISTORY**

1997 Senate Bill 89 was introduced on February 19, 1997 by Senators Grobschmidt, Clausung and Welch; cosponsored by Representatives Cullen, Bock, Notestetin, Kreuser, Hasenohrl, Gronemus, Ryba, Turner, Plale and Morris-Tatum. The Bill was referred to the Senate Committee on Education where a public hearing was held on the Bill on March 12, 1997. At an executive session held on May 14, 1997, the Senate Education Committee voted to introduce Senate Substitute Amendment 1 and recommended passage of the Bill, as amended.

**B. PROVISIONS OF ORIGINAL LEGISLATION**

The Bill, as originally drafted, authorized the State Superintendent of Public Instruction to award a grant to a school district, private school, community-based organization, cooperative educational service agency or consortium of regional staff development organizations representing school districts for a family involvement in an education project. Under the original Bill, the project could be used to teach parenting skills to parents of children in preschool programs, early elementary grades, establish a family resource center or develop and implement a plan to

increase family involvement in education. The Bill also set forth specified criteria and conditions for the two-year grants and provided for an evaluation of the effectiveness of the programs by the Department of Public Instruction (DPI). The legislation contained an annual general purpose revenue (GPR) appropriation of \$500,000 in 1997-98 and an additional \$500,000 in 1998-99 to support the grants and evaluation of the program. In addition, the legislation authorized one additional position to support the activities associated with the family involvement and education projects within DPI.

**C. PROVISIONS OF SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1**

The Substitute Amendment makes the following changes in the original Bill:

1. Authorizes public library system boards, municipal library boards and county library boards to receive grants under the program.
2. Clarifies that a family resource center funded under the grant program is eligible for a grant if it does *any* of the following:
  - a. Distributes parent educational materials.
  - b. Provides respite child care.
  - c. Conduct workshops on child development.
  - d. Facilitates communication between school personnel and parents of pupils enrolled in the school.
  - e. Provides volunteer opportunities for parents within the school.
3. Specifies that the grant application must include a description of the method that will be used to evaluate the effectiveness of the project *and the method that will be used to involve parents in the development of the project.*
4. Requires that the State Superintendent determine, as a condition for making the grant, that all parents in the school district will be permitted to participate in the project.
5. Specifically requires that grant funds will not be used for a sectarian purpose.

The Substitute Amendment makes no other changes to the original legislation.

If there are any questions regarding this legislation, please feel free to contact me directly at the Legislative Council Staff offices.

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