1999 SENATE BILL 28

February 3, 1999 – Introduced by Senators MOEN, PLACHE, BRESKE, ROBSON, DRZEWIECKI, SCHULTZ, ROESSLER and FARROW, cosponsored by Representatives TURNER, MUSSER, LADWIG, J. LEHMAN, BOYLE, BRANDEMUEHL, MILLER, POWERS and SERATTI. Referred to Committee on Education.

1 AN ACT *to repeal* 121.15 (1g) (e) of the statutes; **relating to:** the school aid 2 distribution schedule.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, each school district receives 15% of its total aid entitlement in September, 25% of its total aid entitlement in December, 25% of its total aid entitlement in March and 35% of its total aid entitlement in June. If a school district submits a request to the department of public instruction (DPI) before May 1, however, in the following school year it will receive 10% of its total aid entitlement in each month from September to June. A school district that chooses the latter distribution schedule must pay to DPI an amount equal to the earnings that the school district's aid entitlement would have accrued had the school district's aid been distributed under the former distribution schedule.

This bill eliminates the provision requiring school districts that choose the modified schedule to pay DPI the lost earnings.

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:

SECTION 1. 121.15 (1g) (e) of the statutes is repealed.

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SECTION 2. Initial applicability.

2 (1) This act first applies to state aid paid to school districts in the 2000–01 fiscal

3 year.

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