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Educational Telecommunications Access Program (TEACH Board)

[LFB 1999-01 Budget Summary: Page 566, #6]

CURRENT LAW

The TEACH telecommunications access program provides eligible entities with subsidized access to new data lines and video links or grants for data lines and video links in existence prior to October 14, 1997. In the 1997-99 biennium, a total of \$9,875,000 SEG is budgeted to provide telecommunications access subsidies and grants to public school districts and technical college districts. A total of \$1,821,400 SEG is appropriated to provide access to new data lines and video links to private and tribal colleges and public library boards in those years. In addition, \$620,000 SEG is provided for private schools subsidies and grants in the 1997-99 biennium. Total expenditure authority for the telecommunications access program is \$12,316,400 SEG in the 1997-99 biennium. Funding for the program is provided through the segregated universal service fund (USF), which receives its funding through assessments on annual gross operating revenues from intrastate telecommunications providers. In addition, participants are required to pay DOA \$100 for data lines or video links that operate at speeds of 1.544 megabits per second and \$250 per month for data lines or video links that operate at different speeds.

GOVERNOR

Provide \$3,994,600 SEG in 1999-00 and \$6,534,100 SEG in 2000-01 for the educational telecommunications access program. Of this funding amount provide: (a) \$1,854,200 in 1999-00 and \$3,391,400 in 2000-01 for school districts and CESAs; (b) \$1,518,700 in 1999-00 and \$1,846,400 in 2000-01 for private colleges, technical colleges and libraries; and (c) \$621,700 in 1999-00 and \$1,296,300 in 2000-01 for private K-12 schools.

DISCUSSION POINTS

1. The TEACH Board indicates that, as of March 18, 1999, it has provided subsidies for 101 new video links and 367 new data lines under the access program for fiscal year 1998-99. In addition, TEACH provided grants for 116 video links and 16 data lines that were in existence prior to the passage of the 1997-99 biennial budget (1997 Act 27). Table 1 provides information, as reported by TEACH, regarding the number of data lines and video links that have been approved for each type of institution as of March 18, 1999, under both components of the access program.

TABLE 1

Number of Services Provided Institution Type - As of March 18, 1999

	<u>New</u> <u>Video Link</u>	<u>New</u> <u>Data Line</u>	<u>Existing</u> <u>Video</u>	<u>Existing</u> <u>Data</u>	<u>Total</u>
Public School Districts	69	165	112	9	355
CESAs	2	2	NA	NA	4
Technical College District	16	0	NA	NA	16
Public Library Boards	0	168	NA	NA	168
Private Colleges	8	10	NA	NA	18
Private K-12 Schools	5	22	2	7	36
Tribal School	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>1</u>
Total	101	367	114	16	598

2. The actual access to a data line or a video link is provided by telecommunications providers under contract with DOA. The TEACH Board submits its portion of the program's cost to DOA for payments to those providers under contracts with DOA to the extent that the amounts are not paid by the participating institutions. The amount of the subsidy that the TEACH Board provides for new data lines and video links varies due to a number of factors including: the types of data line or video link installed, the location of the institution and the contract amounts that DOA negotiates.

3. Based on the state contract amounts for telecommunications access, the total cost of a data line provided by DOA in 1998-99 operating at a speed of 1.544 megabits per second is \$640 a month. Therefore, under an annual contract term an institution would pay \$1,200 per year for the data line and the TEACH Board would pay the remaining \$6,480 per year. The current contract amounts for the data lines operating at a speed other than 1.544 megabits per second vary, but have a monthly average cost of approximately \$1,800. Using this average cost, an institution would pay \$3,000 per year and the TEACH Board would pay \$18,600 per year. In addition to these costs there is a one-time installation charge of \$350 for every data line that TEACH pays.

4. Video link prices are site-specific. The average video link cost in 1998-99 is

approximately \$2,300. Currently, every new video link is operating at a speed other than 1.544 megabits; therefore, using this average cost, an institution would have a yearly cost of \$3,000 and the TEACH Board would be responsible for \$24,600 annually for each video link. The TEACH Board has financed its video link costs through the state's master lease program.

5. The TEACH Board indicates that it has provided \$1,956,700 SEG in 1998-99 in grants to private schools (\$58,900) and public schools (\$1,897,800) that had data lines and video links in place prior to October 14, 1997. Grants are limited to the amount of the subsidy received by an institution under the new data line or video link component of the access program, but the grant may not be greater than the contract cost in effect on October 14, 1997. Districts and private schools that receive funding for existing contracts may not also receive support for new lines or links. The existing contracts grant component of the access program will sunset on June 30, 2002.

6. Staff from the TEACH Board estimate that 1998-99 expenditures for the access program will be the following: (a) \$9,817,100 SEG for school districts and technical college districts; (b) \$1,781,400 SEG for private colleges and libraries; and (c) \$609,900 SEG for private schools, for total program expenditures of \$12,231,400 SEG. These amounts include estimated prepayments on the seven-year master lease for video links in the amount of \$5,600,500. Staff indicate that any remaining funding (\$85,000) will also be used to make additional prepayments on its master lease, if possible.

1999-01 Telecommunications Access Funding Levels

7. The Governor recommended an additional \$3,994,600 SEG in 1999-00 and \$6,534,100 SEG in 2000-01 for total funding of \$10,941,000 SEG in 1999-00 and \$13,480,500 SEG in 2000-01. DOA estimates that this additional funding will cover the costs to install approximately 120 new video links and 190 new data lines during 1999-01. Table 2 provides the 1997-99 appropriated amounts and Governor's 1999-01 funding recommendations by appropriation for the access program. Funding for the program is provided through biennial appropriations. Due to the timing of the 1997-99 biennial budget, the TEACH Board did not expend any funding during the 1997-98 fiscal year.

TABLE 2

**1997-98 Through 2000-01 Appropriated and Recommended
Telecommunication Access Funding**

	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>
School District, CESAs and Technical College Districts	\$4,375,000	\$5,500,000		
School District and CESAs*			\$7,354,200	\$8,891,400
Private Colleges and Public Library Boards	730,000	1,091,400		
Private and Technical Colleges and Libraries*			2,610,100	2,937,800
Private Schools	<u>265,000</u>	<u>355,000</u>	<u>976,700</u>	<u>1,651,300</u>
Total	\$5,370,000	\$6,946,400	\$10,941,000	\$13,480,500

*In 1999-01, these appropriations would be modified to remove funding for technical college districts from the appropriation that is included in the calculation of the funding two-thirds of K-12 partial school revenues.

8. For purposes of its 1999-01 estimate, DOA budget staff projected the following cost components for the program. First, new data lines costs would remain at \$640 a month and continue to include a one-time installation charge of \$350. Second, new video link costs were estimated at \$3,000 a month per link with a \$4,000 installation charge per link and a \$50 Division of Technology Management (DTM) overhead charge per link. No price changes were included in DOA's estimate for those video links and data lines that were installed in 1998-99.

9. Staff from DOA's Division of Technology Management indicate that 1999-00 costs for the TEACH program will not be set until shortly before July 1, 1999. Currently, DTM staff is in the process of performing a detailed review of the costs of the program. Given that there is no new information currently available with which to estimate next year's costs, the Committee could approve the Governor's recommendation for funding the access program. If the costs are substantially higher than DOA projected, less institutions would be able to receive new access services. Conversely, if costs are less than estimated more institutions should receive access services during the biennium.

10. However, the Committee may wish to review the costs of the access program including administrative costs that will be charged by DOA to the TEACH Board. Actual costs for the program have increased significantly over the amounts estimated during legislative deliberations on the creation of the program under 1997 Act 27. At that time, based on the best information available from DOA staff, it was estimated that the data line rates would be approximately \$400 a month and video links rates would be approximately \$1,500.

11. If the Committee wishes to have more information on the actual costs of the

program before providing the full amount of additional expenditure authority, it could transfer one-half of the proposed funding increase to the Committee's appropriation, for release to the Board under a 14-day passive review process, after DOA's charges have been finalized. The Committee would then be able to review all of the cost components of the program and provide expenditure authority based on more current cost information. By approving one-half of the funding increase at this time, the Board could continue to provide services without delaying installation of new lines or links. Further, by allowing the Board to request the additional expenditure through a passive review process, the Board could submit its request to the Committee shortly after DOA sets its rates in June or July of each year, thereby minimizing any potential delays in the program.

Federal E-Rate Discounts

12. Another issue the Committee may wish to consider is the funding that is expected to be received by the state from the federal universal service fund under the federal E-Rate program. The federal E-Rate program provides eligible schools and libraries with federally funded discounts on telecommunications services, Internet access and internal connection (computer wiring, hubs and routers). Discounts, which range from 20 to 90 percent, are based in part on the number of students eligible for the federal free and reduced price school lunch program and the classification of the school or library as rural or urban. For the 1998 program year (January, 1998 through June 30, 1999), 948 applicants in Wisconsin received approximately \$37 million in total discounts. Of that amount, Milwaukee Public Schools received \$23 million.

13. Staff from the TEACH Board is currently in the process of identifying institutions that received a 1998 discount for TEACH provided services and trying to recoup any amounts it may have paid over the discounted cost of the service. In addition, the TEACH Board has filed the state's 1999 E-Rate application on behalf of current and anticipated future telecommunications applicants. As a result this filing, the TEACH Board indicates that it, rather than the schools and libraries, will receive the federal discount moneys from the telecommunications carriers; however, they do not know how much or when they would receive this funding.

14. It is unknown whether the TEACH Board will receive cash from telecommunications carriers. It is possible that the telecommunications carriers involved may decide to discount DOA's contract costs, rather than provide a cash grant to the state. The Executive Director of TEACH indicates that staff are currently working with the telecommunications carriers to ensure that the Board would receive cash; however, if an agreement is not reached, the carriers will discount the contract costs. The Executive Director also has indicated that if cash is received under the program it would be deposited into TEACH's federal appropriation and possibly used for network scheduling, a help desk or reducing program costs.

15. Under current law, the TEACH Board may administer and expend all federal monies received according to the provisions of the federal grant or program under which the monies were received. In addition, the Board can request that the Governor create or abolish positions to be funded from the appropriation. The Governor is required to report to the Committee, at least

quarterly, of any federal funds received in excess of those approved in the biennial budget process and of any federal positions created or abolished.

16. Due to the uncertainties regarding receipt and possible expenditure of E-rate moneys received by the TEACH Board, the Committee may wish to ensure that any discount received are directly applied to reduce the total costs of the telecommunications access program. In this regard, the Committee could consider creating two continuing PR appropriations under the TEACH Board for the receipt of any E-Rate funding from nonstate entities for school districts and libraries. The appropriations could specify that all monies received under the appropriation be used to offset the spending in the SEG appropriations that fund school districts and libraries. In addition, the Committee could require that Board report annually on the amount E-rate discounts received by the TEACH Board for schools and libraries.

Source of Telecommunications Access Funding

17. Funding for the TEACH telecommunications program is provided through the segregated universal services fund (USF), which receives its funding through assessments on annual gross operating revenues from intrastate telecommunications providers. These assessments also fund the costs of providing telecommunications access services through BadgerNet to UW-River Falls, UW-Stout, UW-Superior and UW-Whitewater. The monthly assessment for TEACH, effective October 1, 1998, will total \$12,316,400 in 1998-99. The UW-System assessment is set to recover \$1,872,000 during 1998-99.

18. As provided for under 1997 Act 27, the assessments for the TEACH access and UW BadgerNet programs may be passed through by the utilities to customers as an increase on their monthly telephone bill. Under the budget bill, \$11.86 million in 1999-00 and \$14.4 million in 2000-01 would be provided from these assessments. At \$14.4 million in 2000-01, this pass-through assessment would be larger than two separate general fund taxes (the occupational tax on beer--\$9.3 million, and tobacco products--\$9.1 million) and would equal 22% of the estimated general fund tax that is imposed on telecommunications companies in that year. As a matter of tax policy, the state does not earmark taxes for specific programs. Because the pass-through assessment affects millions of telephone customers and has reached a level similar to that of other general fund taxes, consideration could be given to eliminating this assessment and, instead, funding these programs from the general fund. This would have the advantage of placing these programs on a par with all general fund programs, so that they would compete for resources and receive the same level of oversight as other general fund activities.

ALTERNATIVES TO BASE

A. 1999-01 Telecommunications Access Funding Levels

1. Approve the Governor's recommendation to provide \$3,994,600 SEG in 1999-00

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	1999-00	2000-01
(1)(s)	927,100	1,695,700
(1)(+)	759,400	923,200
(1)(tm)	310,800	648,200

and \$6,534,100 SEG in 2000-01 for the educational telecommunications access program.

Alternative A1	SEG
1999-01 FUNDING (Change to Base)	\$10,528,700
[Change to Bill]	\$0

2. Modify the Governor's recommendation by transferring half of the recommended increase in expenditure authority to the Joint Committee on Finance's appropriation (\$1,997,300 SEG in 1999-00 and \$3,267,100 SEG in 2000-01). Specify that the monies placed in reserve in the Committee's appropriation could be released to TEACH under a 14-day passive review process after receipt of information relating to estimated program demand and finalized annual costs.

Alternative A2	SEG
1999-01 FUNDING (Change to Base)	\$10,528,700
[Change to Bill]	\$0

Tricia is not sure whether this last phrase is necessary. Don't include, if not necessary.

3. Maintain current law.

Alternative A3	SEG
1999-01 FUNDING (Change to Base)	\$0
[Change to Bill]	-\$10,528,700

B. Federal E-Rate Discounts

1. Create two continuing PR appropriations under the TEACH Board for receipt of any funding from discounts provided under the E-Rate program for school districts and for libraries. Provide that all monies received under these appropriations would be used to offset spending in the SEG appropriations that fund school districts and libraries. In addition, require the TEACH Board to report by October 1 of each year on the federal E-rate discounts provided for TEACH telecommunication access services.

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C. Source Of Telecommunications Access Funding

1. Delete \$11,860,200 SEG in 1999-00 and \$14,399,700 SEG in 2000-01 and provide \$11,860,200 GPR in 1999-00 and \$14,399,700 GPR in 2000-01 to fund the TEACH access program and UW BadgerNet services currently funded with USF pass-through assessments. In addition, delete all statutory language associated with these assessments.

<u>Alternative C1</u>	<u>GPR</u>	<u>SEG</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1999-01 FUNDING (Change to Base)	\$26,259,900	-\$15,620,800	\$10,639,100
<i>[Change to Bill]</i>	<i>\$26,259,900</i>	<i>-\$26,259,900</i>	<i>\$0</i>

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Senator Jauch
Senator Panzer

TEACH BOARD

Report of Federal E-Rate Discounts

[Modification to Alternative B1 of Paper #902]

Motion:

Move to modify Alternative B1 of Paper #902 to specify that the TEACH Board submit its report to the Department of Administration, Joint Committee on Finance and the Public Service Commission.

Note:

This motion would clarify Alternative B1 by specifying which agencies the TEACH Board is required to submit its annual report on the federal E-rate discounts provided for TEACH telecommunications access services.



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8 (a) ✓ and, prior to July 1, 2002, to make grants to school districts under s. 44.73 (6). ✓

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Item #. Page 563, line 9: after that line insert:

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"SECTION 953. CR: 44.71 (2) ~~and~~ (a) 6m.

44.71 (2) No later than October 1 of each year, submit (a) 6m.

provided to the board

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End of Ins.

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Insert 3-14 ~~(b)(1)~~

after that line

After #. Page 1421, line 15: insert:

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provisions.

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Insert 4-13
to LRB 60328/4

§ (b) (5) STATE SCHOOL AIDS

Notwithstanding section 121.15(3m)(a) 2. of the statutes, as affected by this act, the definition of state school aids under section 121.15(3m)(a) 2. of the statutes, as affected by this act, includes all of the following:

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\$ 927,000 of the amount appropriated in the 1999-2000 fiscal year under section 20.865(4)(u) of the statutes, as affected by this act.

in the 2000-01 fiscal year

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**DRAFTER'S NOTE
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act.

under section 20.275(1)(s),(t) or (tm) of the statutes, as affected by this act,

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DEFINITION OF ^{CS}



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