2001 ASSEMBLY BILL 594

October 29, 2001 – Introduced by Representatives Plouff, Pocan, Ryba, Krug, Staskunas, Richards, Sinicki, J. Lehman and Riley, cosponsored by Senator Burke. Referred to Committee on Tax and Spending Limitations.

AN ACT *to create* 121.91 (4) (i) of the statutes; **relating to:** increasing a school district's revenue limit for expenditures related to participation of pupils in statewide tournaments and competitions.

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 to approximately \$220 per pupil in the 2000–01 school year and, in subsequent school years, to the amount of revenue increase allowed per pupil in the previous school year increased by the percentage change in the consumer price index. Several exceptions exist. 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 increases a school district's revenue limit in any school year by the amount spent by the school district in the previous school year for participation of pupils in statewide tournaments and competitions.

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:

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1	SECTION 1.	121.91 (4) (i) of the statutes is created to read:

121.91 **(4)** (i) The limit otherwise applicable to a school district's revenue under sub. (2m) in any school year is increased by an amount equal to the amount spent by the school district in the previous school year for participation of pupils in statewide tournaments and competitions.

SECTION 2. Initial applicability.

(1) This act first applies to the calculation of a school district's revenue limit for the school year beginning after the effective date of this subsection.

9 (END)