

2003 ASSEMBLY BILL 601

1 AN ACT *to amend* 5.05 (11) and 25.425; and *to create* 20.510 (1) (d) and 20.510
2 (1) (t) of the statutes; **relating to:** state contribution towards certain federally
3 financed election administration costs and making appropriations.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

4 **SECTION 1.** 5.05 (11) of the statutes, as created by 2003 Wisconsin Act 35, is
5 amended to read:

6 5.05 **(11)** AIDS TO COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES. From the appropriation
7 appropriations under s. 20.510 (1) (t) and (x), the board may provide financial
8 assistance to eligible counties and municipalities for election administration costs.

9 **SECTION 2.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert
10 the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

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SECTION 2

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2 **20.510 Elections board**

3 (1) ADMINISTRATION OF ELECTION AND CAMPAIGN LAWS

4 (d) Election administration transfer GPR A -0- -0-

5 (t) Election administration SEG A -0- -0-

6 **SECTION 2m.** 20.510 (1) (d) of the statutes is created to read:

7 20.510 (1) (d) *Election administration transfer.* The amounts in the schedule
8 to meet federal requirements for the conduct of federal elections under P.L. 107-252,
9 to be transferred to the appropriation account under par. (t).

10 **SECTION 3m.** 20.510 (1) (t) of the statutes is created to read:

11 20.510 (1) (t) *Election administration.* From the election administration fund,
12 the amounts in the schedule to meet federal requirements for the conduct of federal
13 elections under P.L. 107-252. All moneys transferred from the appropriation
14 account under par. (d) shall be credited to this appropriation account.

15 **SECTION 6.** 25.425 of the statutes, as created by 2003 Wisconsin Act 35, is
16 amended to read:

17 **25.425 Election administration fund.** There is established a separate
18 nonlapsible trust fund, designated the election administration fund, consisting of all
19 moneys received from the federal government under P.L. 107-252 and all moneys
20 transferred to the fund from other funds.

21 **SECTION 7m. Appropriation changes.**

22 (1) In the schedule under section 20.005 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation
23 to the joint committee on finance under section 20.865 (4) (a) of the statutes, as
24 affected by the acts of 2003, the dollar amount is increased by \$477,000 for fiscal year

