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(ignore attachment may encumber moneys under this appropriation for the biennium up to 60 days after the end of that biennium if an estimate is first submitted to and approved by the 2 secretary of administration showing the amounts that will be encumbered during 3 that 60-day period. 4 5 **SECTION 38.** 20.485 (2) (tj) of the statutes is amended to read: 6 20.485 (2) (tj) Retraining grant assistance program. The amounts in the 7 schedule for the veterans' veterans retraining grant assistance program under s. 8 45.397 45.21. 9 **SECTION 39.** 20.485 (2) (u) of the statutes is amended to read: 20.485 (2) (u) Administration of loans and aids to veterans. The amounts in 10 the schedule for the administration of loans and aids to veterans, and for payment 11 12 of legal services under s. 45.35 (14) (d) 45.03 (13) (d). **SECTION 40.** 20.485 (2) (vg) of the statutes is amended to read: 13 20.485 (2) (vg) Health care aid grants. The amounts in the schedule for the 14 payment of benefits to veterans and their dependents under s. 45.351 (1) 45.40 (2). 15 16 **Section 41.** 20.485 (2) (vm) of the statutes is amended to read: ssistance to needy veterans (I) 17 20.485 (2) (vm) Subsistence grants aids The amounts in the schedule for payment of subsistence grants aid to veterans and their dependents under s. 45.35 18 19 (1) 45.40 (1). Payments under 20 **Section 42.** 20.485 (2) (vw) of the statutes is amended to read: PLAIN 20.485 (2) (vw) Payments to veterans organizations for claims service. The 2122 amounts in the schedule to pay veterans organizations for claims services as 23 prescribed in s. 45.353 45.41. 24 **SECTION 43.** 20.485 (2) (vx) of the statutes is amended to read:

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SECTION 20.485 (2.) (vm) of the statutes, as affected by 2005 Wisconsin Act

(AB210), is amended to read:

SECTION 41. 20.485 (2) (vm) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.485 (2) (vm) Substitutes and the interpolation of substitutes and their dependents under s. 44.351

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45.61 (3) shall be credited to this appropriation account.

**Section 64.** 20.485 (4) (h) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.485 (4) (h) Gifts, grants and bequests. All moneys received under s. 45.358 (4) 45.61 (1) as gifts, grants or bequests to be expended for the purposes made.

**SECTION 65.** 20.485 (4) (m) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.485 (4) (m) Federal aid; cemetery operations and burials. All moneys received from the federal government for the operation of veterans memorial cemeteries under s. 45.358 45.61 as authorized by the governor under s. 16.54, to be used for that purpose.

**SECTION 66.** 20.485 (4)(q) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.485 (4) (q) Cemetery administration and maintenance. From the veterans trust fund, the amounts in the schedule for the administrative and maintenance costs of operating the veterans memorial cemeteries under s. 45.358 45.61.

**SECTION 67.** 20.485 (4) (r) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.485 (4) (r) Cemetery energy costs. From the veterans trust fund, the amounts in the schedule to be used at the veterans memorial cemeteries operated under s.

45.358 45.61 for utilities and for fuel, heat and air conditioning and for costs incurred by or on behalf of the department of veterans affairs under \$5,716.858 and 16.895.

**SECTION 68.** 20.485 (5) (g) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.485 (5) (g) Proprietary school programs. The amounts in the schedule for the examination and approval of proprietary school programs. All moneys received from the issuance of solicitor's permits under s. 45.54 (8) 39.90 (6) and from the fees

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under s. 38.50 (10) 39.90 (7) shall be credited to this appropriation, except those fees credited to par. (gm). Strike, no score

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20.485 (5) (gm) Student protection. All moneys received from the fees received under s. 45.54 (10) (c) 4. 39.90 (7) (c) 4., for the purpose of indemnifying students, parents, or sponsors under s. 45.54 (10) (a) 39.90 (7) (a).

**SECTION 70.** 20.866 (2) (zn) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.866 (2) (zn) Veterans affairs; self-amortizing mortgage loans. From the capital improvement fund, a sum sufficient for the department of veterans affairs for loans to veterans under s. 45.79 (6) (a) 45.37 (6) (a). The state may contract public debt in an amount not to exceed \$2,120,840,000 for this purpose.

**SECTION 71.** 21.11 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

21.11 (3) The adjutant general may activate members of the national guard for the purpose of serving on an honors detail of —a—military honors funeral funeral honors for a deceased veteran person described under s. 45.19 45.60 (1).

SECTION 72. 21.16 of the statutes is repealed.

**SECTION 73.** 21.49 (4) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

21.49 (4) (c) No guard member may receive a grant under sub. (3) for any semester in which he or she received a grant payment under s. 45.25 45.20 (2).

**SECTION 74.** 21.74 of the statutes is created to read:

21.74 Soldiers and sailors civil relief act; federal service. (1) In this section, unless the context indicates otherwise:

(a) "Interest and penalties" means interest and penalties accruing on taxes during the period of military service and 6 months thereafter. In case several owners jointly own property, other than property held jointly or as marital property with the

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SECTION 389. 20.505 (1) (ie) of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

20.505 (1) (ie) Land information; incorporations and annexations. From the moneys received by the department under s. 59.72 (5) (a), the amounts in the schedule for the land information program under's. 16.967 and for reviews of proposed municipal incorporations and annexations by the department.

**Section 389m.** 20.505 (1) (if) of the statutes is repealed.

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SECTION 20485 ( 1 Not 1) of the statutes, as affected by 2005 Wisconsin Ac (AB210), is amended to read: 15 25.36 (1) of the statutes is amended to read; 25.36 (1) Except as provided in sub. (2), all moneys appropriated or transferred 16 17 by law shall constitute the veterans trust fund which shall be used for the lending 18 of money to the mortgage loan repayment fund under s. 45.35 (22) STET: leave as typed and for the veterans programs under ss. 20.485 (2) (m), (mn), (tm), (u), (v), (vo), (vy) 19  $(\mathbf{w}, \mathbf{z})$  (w), (z), and (zm) 45.896, 45.897, and 45.48 (7) 45.03 (19), 45.07, 45.20, 45.21 21 22 and 45.82 and administered by the department of veterans affairs, including all moneys received from the federal government for the benefit of veterans or their 23 dependents; all moneys paid as interest on and repayment of loans under the 24 post-war rehabilitation fund; soldiers rehabilitation fund, veterans housing funds 25 as they existed prior to July 1, 1961; all moneys paid as interest on and repayment 1 of loans under this fund; all moneys paid as expenses for, interest on, and repayment 2 of veterans trust fund stabilization loans under s. 45.356, 1995 stats.; all moneys 3 paid as expenses for, interest on, and repayment of veterans personal loans; the net 4 proceeds from the sale of mortgaged properties related to veterans personal loans; 5 all mortgages issued with the proceeds of the 1981 veterans home loan revenue bond 6 issuance purchased with moneys in the veterans trust fund; all moneys received from 7 the state investment board under s. 45.356 (2) (b) 45.42 (8) (b); all moneys received 8 from the veterans mortgage loan repayment fund under s. 45.79 (7)(2) ar 9 10 a) and (c); and all gifts of money received by the board of veterans affairs for the 11 purposes of this fund.

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(3) A business that receives a grant under this section shall submit to the board, within 6 months after spending the full amount of the grant proceeds, a report detailing how the grant proceeds were used.

(4) The board shall promulgate rules to implement and administer this section. **Section 725.** 38.50 (11) of the statutes is created to read:

38.50 (11) Closed schools; preservation of records. (a) In this subsection:

- 1. "Association" means the Wisconsin Association of Independent Colleges and Universities or a successor organization.
- 2. Notwithstanding sub. (1) (e), "school" has the meaning given in sub. (1) (e) (intro.) and also includes a school described in sub. (1) (e) 1., 6., 7., or 8.
- 3. "Student record" means, in the case of a school, as defined in sub. (1) (e) (intro.), a transcript for a student or former student of a school showing the name of the student, the title of the program in which the student was or is enrolled, the total number of credits or hours of instruction completed by the student, the dates of enrollment, the grade for each course, lesson, or unit of instruction completed by the student, the student's cumulative grade for the program, and an explanation of the school's credit and grading system. In the case of a school described in sub. (1) (e) 1., 6., 7., or 8., "student record" means a transcript for a student or former student of the school showing such information about the academic work completed by the student or former student as is customarily maintained by the school.
- (b) 1. If a school operating in this state discontinues its operations, proposes to discontinue its operations, or is in imminent danger of discontinuing its operations as determined by the board, if the student records of the school are not taken into possession under subd. 2., and if the board determines that the student records of the school are in danger of being destroyed, secreted, mislaid, or otherwise made

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- 2. If a school operating in this state that is a member of the association discontinues its operations, proposes to discontinue its operations, or is in imminent danger of discontinuing its operations as determined by the association and if the association determines that the student records of the school are in danger of being destroyed, secreted, mislaid, or otherwise made unavailable to the persons who are the subjects of those student records or the authorized representatives of those persons, the association shall take possession of those student records.
- (c) If necessary to protect student records from being destroyed, secreted, mislaid, or otherwise made unavailable to the persons who are the subjects of those student records or the authorized representatives of those persons, the board or association may seek a court order authorizing the board or association to take possession of those student records.
- (d) The board or association shall preserve a student record that comes into the possession of the board or association under par. (b) 1. or 2. and shall keep the student record confidential as provided under 20 USC 1232g and 34 CFR part 99. A student record in the possession of the board is not open to public inspection or copying under s. 19.35 (1). Upon request of the person who is the subject of a student record or an authorized representative of that person, the board or association shall provide a copy of the student record to the requester. The board or association may charge a fee for providing a copy of a student record. The fee shall be based on the administrative cost of taking possession of, preserving, and providing the copy of the

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student record. All fees collected by the board under this paragraph shall be credited to the appropriation account under s. 20.292 (2) (i).

**SECTION 725m.** 39.374 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

39.374 (2) There is created a separate nonlapsible trust fund designated the Wisconsin health education loan repayment fund consisting of all All revenues received in repayment of loans funded under this section or loans financed from moneys made available under chapter 20, laws of 1981, section 2022 (1). The board may pledge revenues received or to be received by the fund to secure revenue obligations issued under this section, and shall have all other powers necessary and convenient to distribute the proceeds of the revenue obligations and loan repayments in accordance with subch. II of ch. 18, shall be deposited in the general fund.

**SECTION 727.** 39.435 (7) (a) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

39.435 (7) (a) 1. For purposes of determining the appropriation calculating the amount to be appropriated under s. 20.235 (1) (fe) for fiscal year 2005–06 2007–08, "base amount" means the amount shown in the schedule under s. 20.005 for that appropriation for fiscal year 2004–05 2006–07.

Section 728d. 39.435 (7) (a) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

39.435 (7) (a) 2. For purposes of determining the appropriation calculating the amount to be appropriated under s. 20.235 (1) (fe) for each fiscal year after fiscal year 2005–06 2007–08, "base amount" means the maximum appropriation amount determined calculated under par. (b) for the previous fiscal year.

Section 729d. 39.435 (7) (b) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

39.435 (7) (b) (intro.) Annually Biennially, beginning on February 1, 2005 2007, the board shall determine the appropriation calculate the amounts to be appropriated under s. 20.235 (1) (fe) for the next fiscal year biennium as follows:

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36.27 (2) (b) 4. A person who has served on active duty under honorable 1 2 conditions in the U.S. armed forces or in forces incorporated in the U.S. armed forces, 3 except service on active duty for training purposes, who meets one of the conditions in s. 45.001 (4) (a) 1. a. to d. is a veteran, as defined in s. 45.01 (12), and who is a 4 5 resident for purposes of receiving benefits under ch. 45, is entitled to the exemption 6 under par. (a). 7 **SECTION 87.** 36.27 (3r) of the statutes is amended to read: 8 36.27 (3r) FEE REMISSIONS FOR FUNERAL ASSISTANTS. The board shall grant a \$25 remission of nonresident tuition or academic fees to any student enrolled in the 9 system as an undergraduate for each valid voucher issued to the student under s. 10 11 45.19 (3) 45.60 (3). 12 **SECTION 88.** 38.24 (6) of the statutes is amended to read: 38.24 (6) FEE REMISSIONS FOR FUNERAL ASSISTANTS. The district board shall grant 13 a \$25 remission of fees under subs. (1m) and (3) to a student for each valid voucher 14 15 issued to the student under s. 45.19 (3) 45.60 (3). SECTION 89, Subchapter V (title) of chapter 39 [precedes 39.90] of the statutes 16 is created to read: 17 18 CHAPTER 39 19 SUBCHAPTER V 20 EDUCATIONAL APPROVAL BOARD 21 **Section 90.** 39.90 of the statutes is created to read: 22 **39.90 Educational approval board.** (1) Definitions. In this section, unless 23 the context clearly requires otherwise: (a) "Board" means the educational approval board. 24

Notwithstanding s. 38.01 (2), "board"

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- (f) Solicitor" means a person employed by or representing a school located either within or outside this state that, in places other than the actual business premises of the school, personally attempts to secure the enrollment of a student in the school.
  - (g) "Teaching location" means the area and facilities designated for use by a school required to be approved by the board under this section.
  - (2) Responsibilities. The board shall protect the general public by inspecting and approving private trade, correspondence, business, and technical schools doing business within this state, whether located within or outside this state, changes of ownership or control of the schools, teaching locations used by the schools, and courses of instruction offered by the schools and regulate the soliciting of students for correspondence or classroom courses and courses of instruction offered by the schools.
  - (3) RULE-MAKING POWER. The board shall promulgate rules and establish standards necessary to administer this section.
  - EMPLOYEES, QUARTERS. The board shall employ a person to perform the duties of an executive secretary and any other persons under the classified service that may be necessary to carry out the board's responsibilities. The person performing the duties of the executive secretary shall be in charge of the administrative functions of the board. The board shall, to the maximum extent practicable, keep its office with the department of veterans affairs.
  - (5) APPROVAL OF SCHOOLS GENERALLY. To protect students, prevent fraud and misrepresentation in the sale and advertising of courses and courses of instruction, and encourage schools to maintain courses and courses of instruction consistent in

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- (i) Require schools to furnish a surety bond in an amount as provided by rule of the board.
- (6) Soliciting of Students. (a) In general. No solicitor representing any school offering any course or course of instruction shall sell any course or course of instruction or solicit students for a course of course of instruction in this state for a consideration or remuneration, except upon the actual business premises of the school, unless the solicitor first secures a solicitor's permit from the board. If the solicitor represents more than one school, a separate permit shall be obtained for each school the solicitor represents.
- (b) Solicitor's permit. The application for a solicitor's permit shall be made on a form furnished by the board and shall be accompanied by a fee and a surety bond acceptable to the board in the sum of \$2,000. The board shall, by rule, specify the amount of the fee for a solicitor's permit. The bond may be continuous and shall be conditioned to provide indemnification to any student suffering loss as the result of any fraud or misrepresentation used in procuring his or her enrollment or as a result of the failure of the school to perform faithfully the agreement the solicitor made with the student, and may be supplied by the solicitor or by the school itself either as a blanket bond covering each of its solicitors in the amount of \$2,000 or the surety bond under sub. (5)/(i). Upon approval of a permit, the board shall issue an identification card to the solicitor giving his or her name and address, the name and address of the employing school, and certifying that the person whose name appears on the card is authorized to solicit students for the school. A permit shall be valid for one year from the date issued. Liability under this paragraph of the surety on the bond for each solicitor covered by the bond shall not exceed the sum of \$2,000 as an aggregate for any and all students for all breaches of the conditions of the bond. The surety of a



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bond may cancel the bond upon giving 30 days' notice in writing to the board and shall be relieved of liability under this paragraph upon giving the notice for any breach of condition occurring after the effective date of the cancellation. An application for renewal shall be accompanied by a fee, a surety bond acceptable to the board in the sum of \$2,000 if a continuous bond has not been furnished, and such information as the board requests of the applicant. The board shall, by rule, specify the amount of the fee for renewal of a solicitor's permit.

- (c) Refusal or revocation of permit. The board may refuse to issue or renew, or may revoke, any solicitor's permit upon one or any combination of the following grounds:
- 1. Willful violation of this subsection or any rule promulgated by the board under this section.
  - 2. Furnishing false, misleading, or incomplete information to the board.
- 3. Presenting information to prospective students relating to the school, a course, or a course of instruction that is false, fraudulent, or misleading.
- 4. Refusal by the school to be represented to allow reasonable inspection or to supply information after written request therefor by the board.
- 5. Failure of the school which the solicitor represents to meet requirements and standards established by and to comply with rules promulgated by the board under sub. (7)
  - 6. Cancellation of the solicitor's bond by surety.
- 7. Subject to ss. 111.321, 111.322, and 111.335, the applicant has an arrest or conviction record.
- (d) Notice of refusal to issue or renew permit. Notice of refusal to issue or renew a permit or of the revocation of a permit shall be sent by registered mail to the last

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address of the applicant or permit holder shown in the records of the board. Revocation of a permit shall be effective 10 days after the notice of revocation has been mailed to the permit holder.

- (e) Request for appearance. Within 20 days of the receipt of notice of the board's refusal to issue or renew a permit or of the revocation of a permit, the applicant or holder of the permit may request permission to appear before the board in person, with or without counsel, to present reasons why the permit should be issued, renewed, or reinstated. Upon receipt of a request, the board shall grant a hearing to the applicant or holder of the permit within 30 days giving that person at least 10 days' notice of the date, time, and place.
- (f) Recovery by students. The bond in force under par. (b) shall not limit or impair any right of recovery otherwise available under law, nor shall the amount of the bond be relevant in determining the amount of damages or other relief to which any plaintiff may be entitled.
- (g) Recovery on contracts. No recovery shall be had by any school or its assignee on any contract for or in connection with a course or course of instruction if the representative who sold or solicited the course was not the holder of a solicitor's permit under this subsection at the time of the sale or solicitation.
- (h) *Enforcement*. The attorney general or any district attorney may bring an action in circuit court for the enforcement of this subsection.
- (i) *Penalty*. Whoever violates this subsection may be fined not more than \$500 or imprisoned not more than 3 months or both.

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PROPRIETARY SCHOOL APPROVAL (a) Authority. All proprietary schools shall be examined and approved by the board before operating in this state. Approval shall be granted to schools meeting the criteria established by the board for a period not



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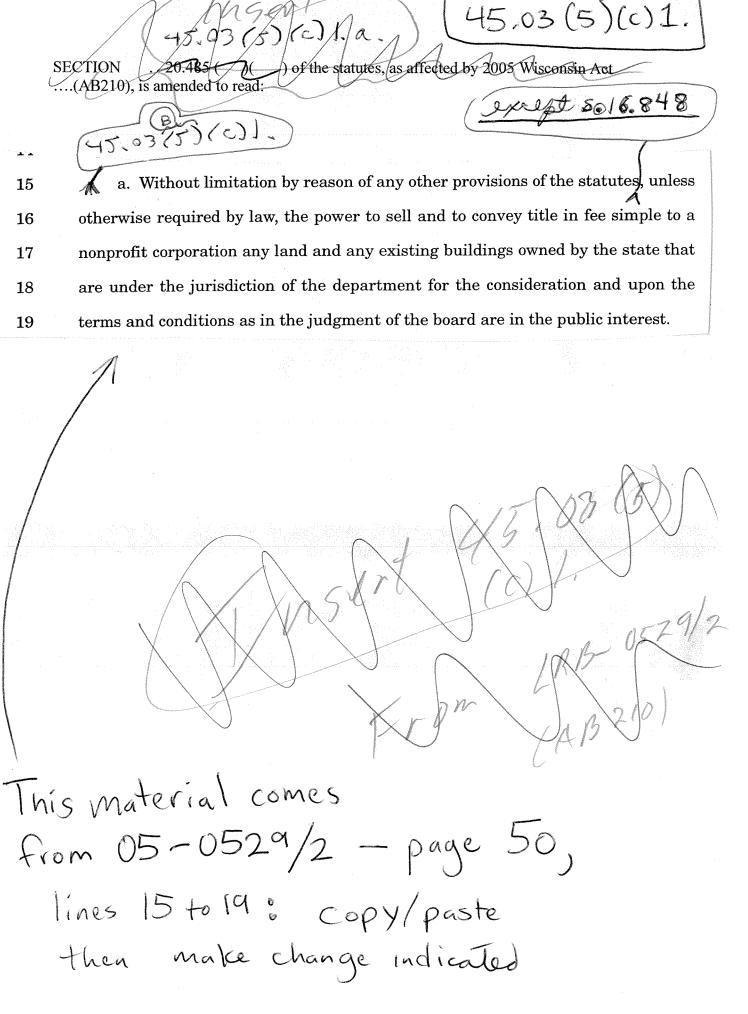
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to exceed one year. No school may advertise in this state unless approved by the board. All approved schools shall submit quarterly reports, including information on enrollment, number of teachers and their qualifications, course offerings, number of graduates, number of graduates successfully employed, and such other information as the board considers necessary. If a school closure results in losses to students, parents, or sponsors, the board may authorize the full or partial payment of these losses from the appropriation under a 20.29.

of those losses from the appropriation under s. 20.485 (5) (gm).

- (b) Application. Application for initial approval of a school or a course of instruction, approval of a teaching location, change of ownership, or control of a school, renewal of approval of a school or reinstatement of approval of a school or course of instruction that has been revoked shall be made on a form furnished by the board and shall be accompanied by a fee set by the board under par. (c) and any other information as the board considers necessary to evaluate the school in carrying out the purpose of this section.
- (c) Fees; rule making. The board shall promulgate rules to establish the fees paid to the board. In promulgating rules to establish the fees, the board shall do all of the following:
- 1. Require that the amount of fees collected under this paragraph be sufficient to cover all costs that the board incurs in examining and approving proprietary schools under this subsection.
- 2. Give consideration to establishing a variable fee structure based on the size of a proprietary school.
  - 3. Specify a fee to accompany all applications under par. (b).
  - 4. Specify a student protection fee.



after serving on active duty. The department shall make available to the volunteers, veterans, and their spouses and dependents, a packet of information about the benefits that they may be eligible to receive from the state or federal government.

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Section 769m. 45.35 (14) (k) of the statutes is created to read

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45.35 (13) (k) Provide \$117,300 in 2005-06 and \$117,300 in 2006-07 to a housing authority in a 1st class city in a county with a population of at least 500,000 to supplement the housing costs of chronically homeless veterans and their families if the housing authority does all of the following:

- 1. Provides evidence that the money will be used to provide multi-family housing for individuals and families that contain at least one veteran who has been chronically homeless.
- 2. Uses at least 50 percent of the money for supplementing temporary privately owned rental housing costs and the remainder for subsidizing public rental housing costs.
- 3. In coordination with the department, submits reports to the legislature under s. 13.172 (2) and to the governor by August 15, 2006, and August 15, 2007, that contain the following information related to the money received in the previous fiscal year:
  - a. The number of veterans that received a housing supplement.
  - b. The size of the veterans' households.
- c. The amount of the supplement and time that the supplement was provided to each veteran's household.
- d. The housing status of the assisted veteran's household at the time the supplement ended.

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SECTION 769e. 45.35 (14) (n) of the statutes is created to read. west 03 (45.35) (12) (n) To provide verification to the department of revenue of the information required under s. 71.07 (6e) (a) 2. or 3.

SECTION 770. 45.35 (17) (c) 1m. (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

45.35 (17) (c) 1m. (intro.) The department shall declare immediately due and payable any loan made after July 29, 1979 under a program administered by the department under s. 45.351 or subch. II, if it finds that the loan was granted to an ineligible person due to any of the following circumstances:

SECTION 771. 45.35 (17) (c) 2. (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

45.35 (17) (c) 2. (intro.) Loan application forms processed by the department for programs administered under s. 45.351 or subch. II shall:

**SECTION 772.** 45.35 (17) (c) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:

45.35 (17) (c) 3. The department shall incorporate the payment acceleration requirements of subd. 1m. in all loan documents for programs administered by the department under s. 45.351 or subch. II.

**SECTION 773.** 45.351 of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

45.351 Assistance to needy veterans. (1) Subsistence aid. (a) The department may provide subsistence payments to a veteran on a month-to-month basis or for a 3-month period. The department may pay subsistence aid for a 3-month period if the veteran will be incapacitated for more than 3 months and if earned or unearned income or aid from sources other than those listed in the application will not be available in the 3-month period. The department may provide subsistence payments only to a veteran who has suffered a loss of income due to

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c. For the purpose of this subsection, any person who has received a baccalaureate degree shall be deemed to be a graduate student whether he or she is taking graduate or undergraduate courses.

- 2. The department may not provide reimbursement under this subsection unless the department determines that a course for which an application is made is related to the applicant's occupational, professional, or employment objectives.
- 3. A person may not be reimbursed under this subsection more than 4 times during any consecutive 12/2-month period.
- 45.21 Retraining assistance program. (1) Amount and application. The department may pay a veteran not more than \$3,000 for retraining to enable the veteran to obtain gainful employment. The department shall determine the amount of the payment based on the veteran's financial need. A veteran may apply for aid to the county veterans service officer of the county in which the veteran is living. The department may, on behalf of a veteran who is engaged in a structured on—the—job training program and who meets the requirements under sub. (2), make a payment under this subsection to the veteran's employer.
  - (2) ELIGIBILITY. The department may provide aid under this section if all of the

<u>following apply:</u>

1945-2/(2)(a) The veteran is enrolled in a training course in a technical college under ch.

20 38 or in a proprietary school in the state approved by the educational approval board under s. 39.99, other than a proprietary school offering a 4-year degree or 4-year program, or is engaged in a structured on-the-job training program that meets program requirements promulgated by the department by rule.

(b) The veteran meets the financial assistance criteria established under sub.

SECTION . 20.485 ( ) Of the statutes, as affected by 2005 Wisconsin Aet ....(AB210), is amended to read.

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(9) "Home" means a building or portion of a building used as the veteran's principal place of residence, and includes condominiums and income-producing property, a portion of which is used as a principal place of residence by the veteran, and the land, including existing improvements, appertaining to the building.

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INSERT 45.31(15) 45.31 (15) "Qualified veterans' mortgage bonds" means federally tax-exempt bonds issued under the authority of 26 USC 143. This material comes from s 0148/2, p. 441copy/paste; then make changes marked

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45. (d) Any person who has completed 6 continuous years of service under honorable conditions in the army or air national guard or in any reserve component of the U.S. armed forces, and who is living in this state at the time of his or her application for benefits, shall be considered a veteran under this subchapter.

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SECTION . 20.485 ( ) of the statutes, as affected by 2005 Wisconsin Act ....(AB210), is amended to read:

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23 (c) A loan of not more than \$25,000 to improve a home, including the construction of a garage or the removal or other alteration of existing improvements

- 1 that were made to improve the accessibility of a home for a permanently and totally
- disabled individual.

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SECTION 822. 45/76(1) (d) of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read: )

45.76(1) (d) Refinancing. Refinancing the balance due on an indebtedness that was incurred for a use designated in pars. (a) to (c).

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1. The residence to be purchased, constructed, improved, or refinanced with financial assistance under this subchapter will be used as the person's principal residence.

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SECTION 824. 45.76 (4) of the statutes is created to read-

45.76.45 QUALIFIED VETERANS' MORTGAGE BONDS. If the source of the funding for a loan under this subchapter is the proceeds of a qualified veterans' mortgage bond, the department shall apply any applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code in determining a person's eligibility for a loan to assure that the bonds are exempt from federal tax.

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SECTION 769e. 45.35 (14) (n) of the statutes is created to read:

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SECTION 770. 45.35 (17) (c) km. (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

45.35 (17) (c) 1m. (intro.) The department shall declare immediately due and payable any loan made after July 29, 1979 under a program administered by the department under s. 45.351 or subch. II, if it finds that the loan was granted to an ineligible person due to any of the following circumstances:

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SECTION 772. 45.35 (17) (c) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:

45.35 (17) (c) 3/The department shall incorporate the payment acceleration requirements of subd. 1m. in all loan documents for programs administered by the department under s. 45.351 or subch. II.

SECTION 773. 45.351 of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

Assistance to needy veterans. (1) Subsistence AID. (a) 45.40 department may provide subsistence payments to a veteran on a month-to-month basis or for a 3-month period. The department may pay subsistence aid for a 3-month period if the veteran will be incapacitated for more than 3 months and if earned or unearned income or aid from sources other than those listed in the application will not be available in the 3-month period. The department may provide subsistence payments only to a veteran who has suffered a loss of income due to

illness, injury, or natural disaster. The department may grant subsistence aid under this subsection to a veteran whose loss of income is the result of abuse of alcohol or other drugs only if the veteran is participating in an alcohol and other drug abuse treatment program that is approved by the department. No payment may be made under this subsection if the veteran has other assets or income available to meet basic subsistence needs or if the veteran is eligible to receive aid from other sources to meet those needs.

- (b) The maximum amount that any veteran may receive under this subsection per occurrence during a consecutive 12-month period may not exceed \$2,000.
- (2) HEALTH CARE. (a) The department may provide health care aid to a veteran for dental care, including dentures; vision care, including eyeglass frames and lenses; and hearing care, including hearing aids.
- (b) The maximum amount that may be paid under this subsection for any consecutive 12-month period may not exceed \$2,500 for dental care, \$500 for vision care, and \$1,500 per ear for hearing care.
- (c) The department may not provide health care aid under this subsection unless the aid recipient's health care provider agrees to accept, as full payment for the health care provided, the amount of the payment, the amount of the recipient's health insurance or other 3rd-party payments, if any, and the amount that the department determines the veteran is capable of paying. The department may not pay health care aid under this subsection if the liquid assets of the veteran are in excess of \$1,000.
- (2m) DEPENDENTS ELIGIBILITY. (a) The unremarried spouse and dependent children of a veteran who died while on active service in the U.S. armed forces or forces incorporated in the U.S. armed forces are eligible to receive payments under

- subs. (1) and (2) if the household income of those persons does not exceed the income limitations established under sub. (3m).
- (b) The spouse and dependent children of a member of the U.S. armed forces or of the Wisconsin national guard who has been activated or deployed to serve in the U.S. armed forces who are residents of this state, who have suffered a loss of income due to that activation or deployment, and who experience an economic emergency during the member's activation or deployment are eligible to receive assistance under subs. (1) and (2).
- (3) LIMITATIONS. The total cumulative amount that any veteran may receive under this section may not exceed \$5,000.
- (3m) RULES. The department shall promulgate rules establishing eligibility criteria and household income limits for payments under subs. (1), (2), and (2m).
- (4) APPROPRIATIONS. The department may make payments under this section from the appropriation in s. 20.485 (2) (vm). Nothing in this section empowers the department to incur any state debt.
- (5) Joint finance supplemental funding. The department may submit a request to the joint committee on finance for supplemental funds from the veterans trust fund to be credited to the appropriation account under s. 20.485 (2) (vm) to provide payments under this section. The joint committee on finance may, from the appropriation under s. 20.865 (4) (u), supplement the appropriation under s. 20.485 (2) (vm) in an amount equal to the amount that the department expects to expend under this section. If the cochairpersons of the committee do not notify the department that the committee has scheduled a meeting for the purpose of reviewing the request for a supplement within 14 working days after the date of the department's notification, the supplement to the appropriation is approved. If,



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within 14 working days after the date of the department's notification, the cochairpersons of the committee notify the department that the committee has scheduled a meeting for the purpose of reviewing the proposed supplement, the supplement may occur only upon approval of the committee.

SECTION 774. 45.356 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

45.356 (2) The department may lend a veteran, a veteran's unremarried surviving spouse, or a deceased veteran's child not more than \$25,000 or a lesser amount established by the department under sub. (10). The department may prescribe loan conditions, but the term of the loan may not exceed 10 years, or a shorter term established by the department under sub. (13). The department shall ensure that the proceeds of any loan made under this section shall first be applied to pay any delinquent child support or maintenance payments and then to pay any past support, medical expenses, or birth expenses.

SECTION 775. 45.356 (13) of the statutes is created to read:

45.356 (13) Subject to the limit established in sub. (2), the department may periodically adjust the maximum term limits for loans based upon financial market conditions, funds available, needs of the veterans trust fund, or other factors that the department considers relevant.

SECTION 775m. 45.365 (2m) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

45.365 (2m) (a) The department may enter into agreements for furnishing and charging for water and sewer service from facilities constructed at and for the home to public and private properties lying in the immediate vicinity of the home.

SECTION 776. 45.37 (4) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

45.37 (4) (b) Basis for eligibility of nonveterans. Spouses, surviving spouses and parents derive their eligibility from the eligibility of the veteran upon whose

SECTION 20,4857 1) of the statutes, as affected by 2005 Wisconsin Act ....(AB210), is amended to read:

20 The department may lend a veteran, a veteran's unremarried surviving spouse, or a deceased veteran's child not more than \$25,000, or a lesser amount established by the department under sub. (9). The department may prescribe loan conditions, but the term of the loan may not exceed 10 years. The department shall ensure that the proceeds of any loan made under this section shall first be applied to pay any delinquent child support or maintenance payments owed by the person

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