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#### **MEMORANDUM**

Senator Luther Olsen, Chair, Senate Committee on TO: Education Senator Luther Olsen, Chair, Senate Committee on FR: Education February, 09 2006 (hand delivered 11:00 A.M.) DT: Paper Ballot for Appointments, SB 482, SB 520 and AB RE: 114 Please consider the following items and vote on the motion below. Return this ballot to Senator Luther Olsen, Room 5 South, no later than 12:00pm, February 10, 2006. Committee members' ballots not received by the deadline will be marked as not voting. The appointment of Ryan Champeau, of Waukesha as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers Moved by Senator Olsen that Ryan Champeau be recommended for CONFIRMATION: Aye X No The appointment of Linda Helf, of Manitowoc as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers Moved by Senator Olsen that Linda Helf be recommended for CONFIRMATION: Aye \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

The appointment of Gloria Goss, of Brookfield as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers
Moved by Senator Olsen that Gloria Goss be recommended for CONFIRMATION:  Aye No
The appointment of Diane Opperman, of Iola as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers
Moved by Senator Olsen that Diane Opperman be recommended for CONFIRMATION:  Aye  No  No
The appointment of Al Pyatskowit, of Keshena as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers
Moved by Senator Olsen that Al Pyatskowit be recommended for CONFIRMATION:  Aye No
The appointment of Katherine Staff, of Milwaukee as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers
Moved by Senator Olsen that Katherine Staff be recommended for CONFIRMATION:  Aye No
The appointment of Frances Bohon, of Spring Valley as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers
Moved by Senator Olsen that Frances Bohon be recommended for CONFIRMATION:  Aye No
Senate Bill 482:  Relating to: the calculation of a school district's special adjustment aid and revenue limit when territory is detached from one or more school districts to create a new

school district.

Introduced by Senators Olsen, Darling, Harsdorf, Grothman, Schultz, Zien, and Roessler; cosponsored by Representatives Towns, Hines, Kestell, Davis, Nass, Hahn, Ott, Petrowski, Albers, Pridemore, Lehman, and Wood.

Please consider the following motion:

• Moved by Senator Olsen that SENATE BILL 482 be recommended for PASSAGE:

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Aye		No	

#### Senate Bill 520:

Relating to: reporting the number of hours of pupil instruction provided in public schools.

Introduced by Senators Olsen and Darling; cosponsored by Representatives Towns, Hines, Nischke, Montgomery, Ballweg, Ott, Kreibich, Hahn and Albers.

• Moved by Senator Olsen that SENATE BILL 520 be recommended for PASSAGE:

Aye	<del></del>	No	
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#### Assembly Bill 114:

Relating to: allowing school boards and charter schools to establish single-sex schools and courses

Introduced by Representatives Jensen, Vukmir, Vos, Lothian, Bies, Owens, Pridemore, Hines, Towns, Vrakas, Albers, Colon, Ballweg and Nass; cosponsored by Senators Darling, Reynolds, and Grothman

• Moved by Senator Olsen that ASSEMBLY BILL 114 be recommended for CONCURRENCE:

	Aye		No	
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#### **MEMORANDUM**

Senator Luther Olsen, Chair, Senate Committee on TO: Education Senator Alberta Darling, Senate Committee on Education FR: DT: February 09, 2006 (hand delivered 11:00 A.M.) Paper Ballot for Appointments, SB 482, SB 520 and AB RE: 114 Please consider the following items and vote on the motion below. Return this ballot to Senator Luther Olsen, Room 5 South, no later than 12:00pm, February 10, 2006. Committee members' ballots not received by the deadline will be marked as not voting. The appointment of Ryan Champeau, of Waukesha as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers Moved by Senator Olsen that Ryan Champeau be recommended for CONFIRMATION: Aye \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_ The appointment of Linda Helf, of Manitowoc as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers Moved by Senator Olsen that Linda Helf be recommended for CONFIRMATION: Aye No

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Towns, Hines, Kestell, Davis, Nass, Hahn, Ott, Petrowski, Albers, Pridemore, Lehman, and Wood.

Please consider the following motion:

• Moved by Senator Olsen that SENATE BILL 482 be recommended for PASSAGE:

Aye \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

#### Senate Bill 520:

Relating to: reporting the number of hours of pupil instruction provided in public schools.

Introduced by Senators Olsen and Darling; cosponsored by Representatives Towns, Hines, Nischke, Montgomery, Ballweg, Ott, Kreibich, Hahn and Albers.

Moved by Senator Olsen that SENATE BILL 520 be recommended for PASSAGE:

Aye No \_\_\_\_

#### Assembly Bill 114:

Relating to: allowing school boards and charter schools to establish single-sex schools and courses

Introduced by Representatives Jensen, Vukmir, Vos, Lothian, Bies, Owens, Pridemore, Hines, Towns, Vrakas, Albers, Colon, Ballweg and Nass; cosponsored by Senators Darling, Reynolds, and Grothman

• Moved by Senator Olsen that ASSEMBLY BILL 114 be recommended for CONCURRENCE:

Ave No

Signature

Senator Alberta Darling



#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Senator Luther Olsen, Chair, Senate Committee on Education

FR: Senator Sheila Harsdorf, Senate Committee on Education

DT: February 09, 2006 (hand delivered 11:00 A.M.)

RE: Paper Ballot for Appointments, SB 482, SB 520 and AB 114

Please consider the following items and vote on the motion

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The appointment of Ryan Champeau, of Waukesha as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers

Moved	by	Senator	Olsen	that	Ryan	Champeau	be	recommended	for
CONFIR	ram		Aye	X	N	To			

The appointment of Linda Helf, of Manitowoc as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers

Moved by Senator Olsen that Linda Helf be recommended for CONFIRMATION:

Aye \_\_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

The appointment of Gloria Goss, of Brookfield as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers Moved by Senator Olsen that Gloria Goss be recommended for CONFIRMATION: Aye No \_\_\_\_ The appointment of Diane Opperman, of Iola as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers Moved by Senator Olsen that Diane Opperman be recommended for CONFIRMATION: . Aye \_\_\_\_\_X No \_\_\_\_\_ The appointment of Al Pyatskowit, of Keshena as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers Moved by Senator Olsen that Al Pyatskowit be recommended for CONFIRMATION: Aye No The appointment of Katherine Staff, of Milwaukee as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers Moved by Senator Olsen that Katherine Staff be recommended for CONFIRMATION: Aye \_\_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ The appointment of Frances Bohon, of Spring Valley as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers Moved by Senator Olsen that Frances Bohon be recommended for CONFIRMATION: Aye X No Senate Bill 482: Relating to: the calculation of a school district's special adjustment aid and revenue limit when territory is detached from one or more school districts to create a new

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school district.

Towns, Hines, Kestell, Davis, Nass, Hahn, Ott, Petrowski, Albers, Pridemore, Lehman, and Wood.

Please consider the following motion:

• Moved by Senator Olsen that SENATE BILL 482 be recommended for PASSAGE:

	<b>X</b>		
Aye	•	No	
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#### Senate Bill 520:

Relating to: reporting the number of hours of pupil instruction provided in public schools.

Introduced by Senators Olsen and Darling; cosponsored by Representatives Towns, Hines, Nischke, Montgomery, Ballweg, Ott, Kreibich, Hahn and Albers.

• Moved by Senator Olsen that SENATE BILL 520 be recommended for PASSAGE:

Ave	X.	No	

#### Assembly Bill 114:

Relating to: allowing school boards and charter schools to establish single-sex schools and courses

Introduced by Representatives Jensen, Vukmir, Vos, Lothian, Bies, Owens, Pridemore, Hines, Towns, Vrakas, Albers, Colon, Ballweg and Nass; cosponsored by Senators Darling, Reynolds, and Grothman

• Moved by Senator Olsen that ASSEMBLY BILL 114 be recommended for CONCURRENCE:

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Aye		No	

Signature Sheila Harsdorf
Senator Sheila Harsdorf



#### MEMORANDUM

TO: Senator Luther Olsen, Chair, Senate Committee on Education

FR: Senator Glenn Grothman, Senate Committee on Education

DT: February 09, 2006 (hand delivered 11:00 A.M.)

RE: Paper Ballot for Appointments, SB 482, SB 520 and AB 114

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The appointment of Ryan Champeau, of Waukesha as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers

Moved by Senator Olsen that Ryan Champeau be recommended for CONFIRMATION:

Aye \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

The appointment of Linda Helf, of Manitowoc as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers

Moved by Senator Olsen that Linda Helf be recommended for CONFIRMATION:

Aye \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

The appointment of Gloria Goss, of Brookfield as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers

Moved by Senator Olsen that Gloria Goss be recommended for CONFIRMATION:
Aye No
The appointment of Diane Opperman, of Iola as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers
Moved by Senator Olsen that Diane Opperman be recommended for CONFIRMATION:  Aye No
The appointment of Al Pyatskowit, of Keshena as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers
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Moved by Senator Olsen that Frances Bohon be recommended for CONFIRMATION:  Aye No

#### Senate Bill 482:

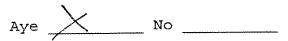
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Towns, Hines, Kestell, Davis, Nass, Hahn, Ott, Petrowski, Albers, Pridemore, Lehman, and Wood.

Please consider the following motion:

Moved by Senator Olsen that SENATE BILL 482 be recommended for PASSAGE:



#### Senate Bill 520:

Relating to: reporting the number of hours of pupil instruction provided in public schools.

Introduced by Senators Olsen and Darling; cosponsored by Representatives Towns, Hines, Nischke, Montgomery, Ballweg, Ott, Kreibich, Hahn and Albers.

• Moved by Senator Olsen that SENATE BILL 520 be recommended for PASSAGE:

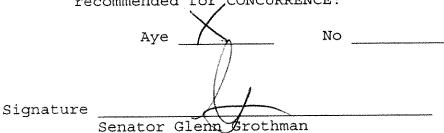


#### Assembly Bill 114:

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Introduced by Representatives Jensen, Vukmir, Vos, Lothian, Bies, Owens, Pridemore, Hines, Towns, Vrakas, Albers, Colon, Ballweg and Nass; cosponsored by Senators Darling, Reynolds, and Grothman

• Moved by Senator Olsen that ASSEMBLY BILL 114 be recommended for CONCURRENCE:





### MEMORANDUM

	Senator Luther Olsen, Chair, Senate Committee on Education
FR:	Senator Bob Jauch Senate Committee on Education
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	by Senator Olsen that Linda Helf be recommended for RMATION:
	Aye No

The appointment of Gloria Goss, of Brookfield as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers

Moved by Senator Olsen that Gloria Goss be recommended for CONFIRMATION:

Aye \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

The appointment of Diane Opperman, of Iola as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers

Moved by Senator Olsen that Diane Opperman be recommended for CONFIRMATION:

Aye \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

The appointment of Al Pyatskowit, of Keshena as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers

Moved by Senator Olsen that Al Pyatskowit be recommended for CONFIRMATION:

Aye \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

The appointment of Katherine Staff, of Milwaukee as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers

Moved by Senator Olsen that Katherine Staff be recommended for CONFIRMATION:

Aye \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

The appointment of Frances Bohon, of Spring Valley as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers

Moved by Senator Olsen that Frances Bohon be recommended for CONFIRMATION:

Aye \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

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Please consider the following motion:

Moved by Senator Olsen that SENATE BILL 482 be recommended for PASSAGE:

Aye	<u> </u>	No	
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Introduced by Senators Olsen and Darling; cosponsored by Representatives Towns, Hines, Nischke, Montgomery, Ballweg, Ott, Kreibich, Hahn and Albers.

 Moved by Senator Olsen that SENATE BILL 520 be recommended for PASSAGE:

Aye	$\sim$	No	

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Moved by Senator Olsen that ASSEMBLY BILL 114 be recommended for CONCURRENCE:

Aye	***************************************	No	
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Signature Rob Jauch

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#### MEMORANDUM

TO: Senator Luther Olsen, Chair, Senate Committee on Education

FR: Senator Jon Erpenbach, Senate Committee on Education

DT: February 09, 2006 (hand delivered 11:00 A.M.)

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Moved by Senato	or Olse	en that	Ryan	Champeau	be	recommended	for
CONFIRMATION:							
	Aye		N	o		•	

The appointment of Linda Helf, of Manitowoc as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers

Moved	by	Senator	Olsen	that	Linda	Helf	be	recommended	for
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Please consider the following motion:

 Moved by Senator Olsen that SENATE BILL 482 be recommended for PASSAGE:

#### Senate Bill 520:

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Introduced by Senators Olsen and Darling; cosponsored by Representatives Towns, Hines, Nischke, Montgomery, Ballweg, Ott, Kreibich, Hahn and Albers.

 Moved by Senator Olsen that SENATE BILL 520 be recommended for PASSAGE:

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Moved by Senator Olsen that ASSEMBLY BILL 114 be

recommended for CONCURRENCE: Aye

Signature

Jøn Erpenbach Senator



#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Senator Luther Olsen, Chair, Senate Committee on Education

FR: Senator Dave Hansen, Senate Committee on Education

DT: February 09, 2006 (hand delivered 11:00 A.M.)

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Moved by Senator Olsen that Ryan Champeau be recommended for CONFIRMATION:

Aye	X	No	
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The appointment of Linda Helf, of Manitowoc as a member of the Professional Standards Council for Teachers

Moved by Senator Olsen that Linda Helf be recommended for CONFIRMATION:

Aye	X	No	
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Aye \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

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• Moved by Senator Olsen that SENATE BILL 520 be recommended for PASSAGE:

Aye \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

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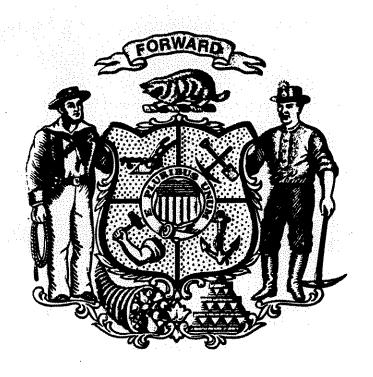
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Moved by Senator Olsen that ASSEMBLY BILL 114 be recommended for CONCURRENCE:

Aye No X

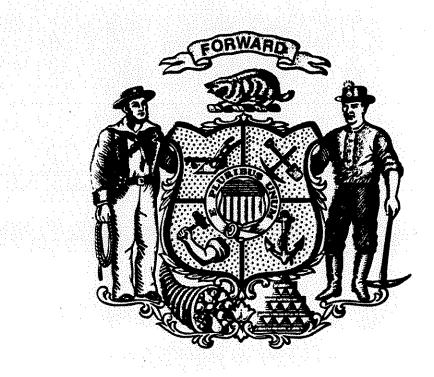
Signature

Senator Dave Hansen



### Talking points for SB 520 Hours of Instruction reporting Senate Committee on Education February 7, 2006

- Thank you to committee
- Every one of us is familiar with the phrase"180 days" when it comes to schools.
- What is becoming increasingly important is not the number of days of school, but the hours of instruction, real face time with students and teachers.
- School boards currently must report to the DPI the number of school days the school district held in the previous year, but not the number of hours of direct pupil instruction.
- Current law requires at least 437 hours of direct pupil instruction in kindergarten, 1,050 in grades 1-6 and 1,137 in grades 7-12.
- Unfortunately, schools boards, even though they have minimum requirements to meet, do not report their hours of instruction time to DPI.
- This legislation will require t the school board to include this number of direct pupil instruction time as well as their days in their report to DPI.
- Thank you for allowing me to testify.
- I will take any questions if you have any.







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TO:

Senate Education Committee

FROM:

Sheri Krause, Legislative Services Director

DATE:

February 7, 2006

RE:

Summary of positions

The Wisconsin Association of School Boards (WASB) strongly supports SB 519. The WASB will provide supplementary information on AB 700. Thank you for your consideration.

Bill	Description	Position
AB 700	Creates the Autism Scholarship Program and grants rule- making authority.	Opposes
<u>AB 114</u>	Allows school boards and charter schools to establish single- sex schools and courses.	Monitoring
SB 482	Adjusts the calculation of special adjustment aid and revenue limit when territory is detached to create a new school district.	Monitoring
SB 519	Requires an evaluation and longitudinal study of the SAGE Program.	Supports
<u>SB 520</u>	Requires school districts to report the number of hours of pupil instruction.	Monitoring

#### **EXEC SESSION**

Bill	Description	Position
<u>AB 84</u>	Provides flexibility on the number of school days required	Supports*
	each school term, while maintaining the current hours of	
	instruction required.	
<u>AB 84</u>	In addition to the current law minimum requirement of 1,137	Opposes
<u>Amend</u>	hours of direct pupil instruction, requires that districts may not	
	schedule less hours than they offered in 2005-06.	

<sup>\*</sup>The WASB only supports the original bill and will oppose the bill if amended.