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## 2007-09 Budget Bill Statutory Language Drafting Request

- Topic: Linking the Department of Administration with The Wisconsin Covenant Foundation, inc. BB0277
- Tracking Code:
- SBO team: Education
- SBO analyst: Robinson J. Binau
  - Phone: 266-2843
  - Email: [rj.binau@wisconsin.gov](mailto:rj.binau@wisconsin.gov)
- Agency acronym: DOA
- Agency number: 505
- Priority ( High):

**Date:** December 29, 2006  
**To:** Steve Miller  
**From:** **Robinson J. Binau**   
**Subject:** Statutory Language Request

TITLE

The Department of Administration will be setting up a relationship with a 501 (c) (3) corporation known as "The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc." This relationship needs to be patterned after the state's current relationship with Forward Wisconsin, Inc. I would make reference to the following statutory references:

16.501

20.143 (1) (bm)

560.07 (3) and (9) with specific reference to 560.07 (3) (b). The DOA will contract with Wisconsin Covenant, Inc. for various services surrounding the marketing and operation of the Governor's Wisconsin Covenant program.

For an appropriation in DOA I would set something up in 20.505 (4) similar to 20.143 (1) (bm).

s.560.07 (3) generally talks about the Department of Commerce and the role of promotion of economic development. This request will deal with the DOA's role to provide coordination with state and private groups in the promotion of attendance in a post secondary education. The department will serve as the principal liaison agency between the Higher Educational Aids Board, the Department of Public Instruction, the University of Wisconsin System, the Wisconsin Technical College System and other public and private organizations interested in the promotion of post secondary education. In promotion of a post secondary education, the secretary shall attempt to prevent duplication of efforts between the department, the other state and local agencies and the Wisconsin Covenant, Inc.

If you have any questions, please call me at 6-2843, or send me an email at [rj.binau@wisconsin.gov](mailto:rj.binau@wisconsin.gov)

Thank you.



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Governor, education leaders launch 'Wisconsin Covenant'

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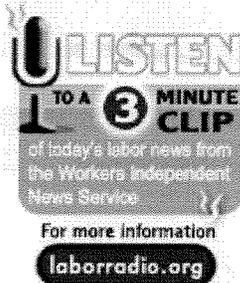
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Governor Jim Doyle joined with state education leaders Wednesday (September 6, 2006) to sign an agreement designed to ensure that any good student is able to get into a Wisconsin college or university.

The Wisconsin Covenant – unveiled by the governor in his State of the State Address – will begin in the spring with this year's class of 8th-graders.

"Together, we are making a commitment to every 8th grader in Wisconsin," Doyle said. "The Wisconsin Covenant provides hope and vision to all 8th-graders that if they work hard and do their part in high school, we'll do our part and guarantee them a spot in higher education and a financial package to make it affordable."

In signing the agreement with the governor, leaders of the University of Wisconsin System, the Wisconsin Technical College System, the state Department of Public Instruction, and the Wisconsin Association of Independent Colleges and Universities agreed they will work together to ensure:

1. There is a place for each Covenant Scholar in higher education. The respective systems will work to prioritize the entrance of the Covenant Scholars into their systems and identify a place for each Scholar, if possible, in the higher education system of their choice.
2. Covenant Scholars can access available financial resources including, but not limited to, scholarships, grants, loans, and work that will put higher education within reach for each Covenant Scholar.
3. They will provide support for the Covenant Scholars in middle and high school to help them achieve their goals through the continuation, expansion, or establishment of pre-college programming, mentoring, tutoring, and other local supports.

Students who choose to participate in the Wisconsin Covenant will sign a pledge in 8th grade affirming that they will:

- Earn a high school diploma.
- Participate in their community.
- Take a high school curriculum that prepares them for higher education.
- Maintain a B average in high school.
- Apply in a timely manner for state and federal financial aid.

In return for signing the Covenant pledge, each one of the Wisconsin Covenant Scholars will have a spot in either the University of Wisconsin System, the Wisconsin Technical Colleges, or at one of the state's 20 private, nonprofit and independent colleges.

"The Wisconsin Covenant is about the state stepping up to its own future," said UW System President Kevin Reilly. "By having more of our kids academically and financially able to pursue a college education, the Covenant will help ensure their success – and Wisconsin's – in the knowledge economy."

"The governor's proposal allows children in middle school to imagine that their dreams can be fulfilled and encourages high school students to do well and make the right choices, yet reassures their families that college will be affordable," said State Superintendent Elizabeth Burmaster

Every 8th-grade student, regardless of family income, can become a Wisconsin Covenant Scholar.

Doyle has also worked to increase access to higher education by doubling funding for financial aid over four years, signing legislation to increase the maximum Wisconsin Higher Education Grant for UW System schools from \$2,500 to \$3,000, and increasing the college tuition tax deduction in his 2005-2007 budget for students attending any public or private Wisconsin college or university.

"The Covenant is an investment in Wisconsin families that will return better jobs, higher salaries and a brighter future for all of us," said Dan Clancy, Wisconsin Technical College System president.

"We are proud to be part of the Wisconsin Covenant," said Rolf Wegenke, Wisconsin Association of Independent Colleges and Universities president. "In the knowledge economy, a college education is more important than ever before. In the last decade, we have increased our enrollment of low-income students by more than a thousand students. We are volunteering to do our part for Wisconsin's future."

The Wisconsin Covenant program will be open to every 8th grade student across the state. As students enter college, those families in most need of financial aid will receive grants to pay the costs of education, and other students will receive a mix of loans, grants, and work study opportunities through the Wisconsin Covenant Program. The program will be available to 8th graders in spring 2007.

*Posted September 7, 2006*



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*Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

EDUCATION

HIGHER EDUCATION

(TCS)

This bill requires DOA to conduct certain activities to promote attendance at postsecondary educational institutions in this state. Specifically, the bill requires DOA to serve as the state's liaison agency between HEAB, DPI, the University of Wisconsin (UW) System, the technical college system, and other public and private organizations that are interested in promoting postsecondary education in this state; to contract with The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., to establish and implement a campaign to promote attendance at postsecondary educational institutions in this state; to coordinate the postsecondary educational promotional activities of DOA, HEAB, DPI, the UW System, the technical college system, and other public and private organizations that are interested in promoting postsecondary education in this state and to prevent duplication of effort in conducting those activities; and to submit a biennial report to the legislature on the postsecondary education promotional activities conducted by The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., using funds provided by DOA for those activities.

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4)

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

SECTION 1. 16.257 of the statutes is created to read:

**16.257 Postsecondary education promotion.** For the purpose of promoting attendance at postsecondary institutions in this state, the department shall do all of the following:

(1) Serve as the state's liaison agency between the higher educational aids board, the department of public instruction, the University of Wisconsin System, the technical college system, and other public and private organizations that are interested in promoting postsecondary education in this state.

(2) (a) Contract with The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., if the secretary determines it appropriate, to pay The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., an amount not to exceed the amount appropriated under s. 20.505 (4) (bm), to establish and implement a campaign to promote attendance at postsecondary educational institutions in this state. Funds may be expended to carry out the contract only as provided in pars. (b) and (c).

(b) No funds appropriated under s. 20.505 (4) (bm) may be expended until the The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., submits to the secretary a report setting forth the amount of private contributions received by The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., since the date on which The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., last submitted a report under this paragraph. After receiving the report, the secretary may approve the expenditure of funds up to the amount set forth in the report. Total funds expended in any fiscal year may not exceed the amounts in the schedule under s. 20.505 (4) (bm).

(c) The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., shall expend funds appropriated under s. 20.505 (4) (bm) in adherence with the uniform travel schedule amounts approved under s. 20.916 (8). The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., may not expend funds appropriated under s. 20.505 (4) (bm) on entertainment, foreign travel, payments to persons not providing goods or services to The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., or for other purposes prohibited by contract between The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., and the department.

X

(3) Coordinate the postsecondary educational promotional activities of the department, the persons specified in sub. (1), and The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., and prevent duplication of effort in conducting those activities.

X

(4) On or before July 1, 2009, and every July 1 thereafter, submit to the chief clerk of each house of the legislature, for distribution to the appropriate standing committees under s. 13.172 (3), a report on the postsecondary educational promotional activities conducted by The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., using funds provided under s. 20.505 (4) (bm).

SECTION 2. 20.505 (4) (bm) of the statutes is created to read:

20.505 (4) (bm) *Aid to The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc.* The amounts in the schedule for aids to The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., to be used for promoting attendance at postsecondary educational institutions in this state and for salary, travel, and other expenses directly incurred by The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., in its postsecondary education promotional activities, subject to s. 16.257 (2).

\*\*\*NOTE: This SECTION involves a change in an appropriation that must be reflected in the revised schedule in s. 20.005, stats.

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Date

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R.J.

We just want to make sure that  
 Corporation correct. Is it the "Wisconsin  
 or The Wisconsin Covenant Foundation, Inc.?"  
 we have the official name of the  
 Covenant, Inc., "The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc.,"  
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**DRAFTER'S NOTE**  
**FROM THE**  
**LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU**

LRB-1330/1dn  
GMM:kjfrs

January 4, 2007

R.J.

We just want to make sure that we have the official name of the cooperation correct. Is it the "Wisconsin Covenant, Inc.," "The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc.," or "The Wisconsin Covenant Foundation, Inc."?

Gordon M. Malaise  
Senior Legislative Attorney  
Phone: (608) 266-9738  
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**Malaise, Gordon**

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**From:** Binau, RJ - DOA  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 23, 2007 2:05 PM  
**To:** Malaise, Gordon  
**Subject:** LRB draft 1330/1

Gordon,

Let's go with "The Wisconsin Covenant Foundation, inc."

RJ

**Malaise, Gordon**

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**From:** Malaise, Gordon  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 23, 2007 4:10 PM  
**To:** Binau, RJ - DOA  
**Cc:** Grant, Peter; Hanaman, Cathlene  
**Subject:** RE: LRB draft 1330/1

RJ:

Also, I just talked to Peter Grant about your new drafting request (BB0414) to require DOA to provide grants to school districts for character education. We concluded that that language should be folded into -1330 instead of being drafted as a separate draft since it relates to the Wisconsin Covenant.

Gordon

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## 2007-09 Budget Bill Statutory Language Drafting Request

- Topic: non-statutory language related to the Wisconsin Covenant and the GPR provided to the Department of Administration
- Tracking Code: BB0414
- SBO team: Education
- SBO analyst: Robinson J. Binau
  - Phone: 266-2843
  - Email: [rj.binau@wisconsin.gov](mailto:rj.binau@wisconsin.gov)
- Agency acronym: DOA
- Agency number: 505
- Priority ( High):

**Date:** January 23, 2007  
**To:** Steve Miller  
**From:** **Robinson J. Binau** *RJB*  
**Subject:** Statutory Language Request

TITLE

Create non- statutory language for the department of administration that reads:

*nonstat*  
Of the amounts in the schedule under s.20.505(1)(a) \$166,000 is annually provided for The Office of the Wisconsin Covenant year and \$250,000 is annually provided to make grants to school districts to reimburse administrative and teaching staff for costs associated with participating in training related to character education. *DA grants*

*proof development*  
If you have any questions, please call me at 6-2843, or send me an email at [rj.binau@wisconsin.gov](mailto:rj.binau@wisconsin.gov)

Thank you.

*coordinating dc. in DOA  
07-1330*



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MWR

NOTE

LPS: Fix request sheet pls.

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4) to distribute not more than \$250,000 in each fiscal year as grants to school districts for reimbursement of teachers and administrators for costs incurred in participating in training relating to character education;

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5)

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6 board, the department of public instruction, the University of Wisconsin System, the  
7 technical college system, and other public and private organizations that are  
8 interested in promoting postsecondary education in this state.

9           (2) (a) Contract with The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., if the secretary determines  
10 it appropriate, to pay The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., an amount not to exceed the  
11 amount appropriated under s. 20.505 (4) (bm), to establish and implement a  
12 campaign to promote attendance at postsecondary educational institutions in this  
13 state. Funds may be expended to carry out the contract only as provided in pars. (b)  
14 and (c).

15           (b) No funds appropriated under s. 20.505 (4) (bm) may be expended until the  
16 The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., submits to the secretary a report setting forth the  
17 amount of private contributions received by The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., since the  
18 date on which The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., last submitted a report under this  
19 paragraph. After receiving the report, the secretary may approve the expenditure  
20 of funds up to the amount set forth in the report. Total funds expended in any fiscal  
21 year may not exceed the amounts in the schedule under s. 20.505 (4) (bm).

Foundation

1 (c) The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., shall expend funds appropriated under s.  
 2 20.505 (4) (bm) in adherence with the uniform travel schedule amounts approved  
 3 under s. 20.916 (8). The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., may not expend funds  
 4 appropriated under s. 20.505 (4) (bm) on entertainment, foreign travel, payments to  
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 6 purposes prohibited by contract between The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., and the  
 7 department.

8 (3) Coordinate the postsecondary education promotional activities of the  
 9 department, the persons specified in sub. (1), and The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., and  
 10 prevent duplication of effort in conducting those activities.

11 (5) (4) On or before July 1, 2009, and every July 1 thereafter, submit to the chief  
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 14 activities conducted by The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., using funds provided under  
 15 s. 20.505 (4) (bm).

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 18 schedule for aids to The Wisconsin Covenant, Inc., to be used for promoting  
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 21 postsecondary education promotional activities, subject to s. 16.257 (2).

\*\*\*NOTE: This SECTION involves a change in an appropriation that must be reflected in the revised schedule in s. 20.005, stats.

22 (END) 20.505 (1) (a)

(4) From the appropriation account under s. 20.505 (1) (a),  
 distribute not more than \$250,000 in each fiscal year as  
 grants to school districts for reimbursement of administrative  
 teachers and administrators for costs incurred in participating  
 in training relating to character education.

O-Note

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for grants to school districts  
for character education training  
under S. 16.257(4),

Section #. 20.505 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

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LRB-1330/2011  
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**Malaise, Gordon**

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**From:** Binau, RJ - DOA  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 24, 2007 3:45 PM  
**To:** Malaise, Gordon  
**Subject:** LRB Draft 1330/2

Gordon,

The Department of Administration needs to have an new appropriation, GPR amounts in the Schedule to provide grants related to character education. I am told somewhere in s.505 (4) is the place for this.

RJ



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**From:** Binau, RJ - DOA [RJ.Binau@doa.state.wi.us]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 27, 2007 12:14 PM  
**To:** Malaise, Gordon  
**Subject:** LRB-1330/3

Gordon,

The Covenant as currently envisioned would not extend to the for-profit colleges that operate in the state. So do we need to insert "non-profit" postsecondary institutions into the draft in section 1 and elsewhere?

An alternative is to link the definition of a post secondary education to not include those schools governed by the Educational Approvals Board.

RJ



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