

## State of Misconsin 2011 - 2012 LEGISLATURE



## SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 2, TO 2011 SENATE BILL 179

October 19, 2011 - Offered by Senator Lassa.

AN ACT *to amend* 48.65 (2) (b); and *to create* 48.65 (2) (bm) of the statutes; relating to: requiring a public or private school that provides child care for children under three years of age to be licensed to operate a child care center.

## Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, no person may for compensation provide care and supervision for four or more children under seven years of age for less than 24 hours a day unless that person obtains a license to operate a child care center from the Department of Children and Families. Certain persons, however, including public and parochial schools, are exempt from this requirement. This substitute amendment requires a public or private school that provides such care and supervision for children under three years of age to obtain a license to operate a child care center.

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

- **SECTION 1.** 48.65 (2) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:
- 5 48.65 **(2)** (b) A public or parochial school or a tribal school.

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1	<b>SECTION 2.</b> 48.65 (2) (bm) of the statutes is created to read:
2	48.65 (2) (bm) A public school, as described in s. 115.01 (1), or a private school,
3	as defined in s. 115.001 (3r), unless the public or private school provides care and
4	supervision for children under 3 years of age.
5	SECTION 3. Initial applicability.
6	(1) CHILD CARE LICENSING OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS. This act first applies
7	to a public school, as described in section 115.01 (1) of the statutes, or a private school,
8	as defined in section 115.001 (3r) of the statutes, that provides care and supervision
9	for a child under 3 years of age on the effective date of this subsection.
10	SECTION 4. Effective date.
11	(1) CHILD CARE LICENSING OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS. This act takes effect
12	on July 1, 2012.

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