



2011 SENATE BILL 316

December 1, 2011 – Introduced by Senators SHILLING, WIRCH, TAYLOR, LASSA and KING, cosponsored by Representatives DOYLE, SINICKI, MILROY, MOLEPSKE JR, SPANBAUER, STASKUNAS, ZEPNICK, BERCEAU, BERNARD SCHABER, STEINBRINK and TURNER. Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and Higher Education.

1 **AN ACT** *to amend* 38.41 (2) of the statutes; **relating to:** grants to technical
2 college district boards under the Workforce Advancement Training Program.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Currently under the Workforce Advancement Training Program, the Technical College System Board (TCSB) may award a grant to a technical college district board to provide skills training or other education to a business if the business is located in this state and has no more than 100 employees or had no more than \$10,000,000 in gross annual income in its most recent fiscal year.

This bill expands the program to businesses with no more than 250 employees. In addition, the bill allows the TCSB to award a grant to provide assistance with market expansion or business diversification.

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

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

3 **SECTION 1.** 38.41 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:
4 38.41 (2) The board may award a grant to a district board to provide skills
5 training or other education or market expansion or business diversification

