

1 provides daily cost assessments to counties and any other
2 juvenile-delinquency-related care or services provided by counties or the state.

3 (b) No later than June 30, 2012, the department of corrections shall submit to
4 the chief clerk of each house of the legislature, for distribution to the legislature in
5 the manner provided under section 13.172 (2) of the statutes, a report on juvenile
6 correctional services provided to juveniles that includes all of the following:

7 1. A list of all providers of juvenile correctional services.

8 2. The number of juveniles receiving juvenile correctional services and whether
9 each juvenile was supervised by a county or the state.

10 3. An accounting of the costs of the juvenile correctional services provided.

11 **SECTION 9113. Nonstatutory provisions; District Attorneys.**

12 (3c) ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY PAY PROGRESSION PLAN. The Association of
13 State Prosecutors and the director of the office of state employment relations shall
14 develop a pay progression plan for attorneys who are included in the collective
15 bargaining unit under section 111.825 (2) (d) of the statutes, to be funded from any
16 salary savings resulting from hiring new attorneys to fill the positions of attorneys
17 who retired from state employment during the period that begins on January 1, 2011,
18 and ends on June 30, 2013. The plan shall include a detailed description of how a
19 pay progression system would be structured and administered and the fiscal cost of
20 the pay progression system in the 2011-13 fiscal biennium, by fund source, and the
21 projected costs of the pay progression system in the succeeding 4 fiscal biennia.
22 Before October 1, 2011, the Association of State Prosecutors and the director of the
23 office of state employment relations shall submit the proposed plan to the joint
24 committee on finance. If the cochairpersons of the joint committee on finance do not
25 notify the Association of State Prosecutors and the director of the office of state

1 employment relations within 14 working days after the date of the submittal of the
2 plan that the committee has scheduled a meeting to review the plan, the plan may
3 be implemented as proposed by the Association of State Prosecutors and the director
4 of the office of state employment relations. If, within 14 days after the date of the
5 submittal of the plan, the cochairpersons of the committee notify the Association of
6 State Prosecutors and the director of the office of state employment relations that the
7 committee has scheduled a meeting to review the plan, the plan may only be
8 implemented as approved by the committee.

9 **SECTION 9115. Nonstatutory provisions; Employee Trust Funds.**

10 (1dr) STATE EMPLOYEE HEALTH CARE COVERAGE. Notwithstanding section 40.05
11 (4) (ag) and (c) of the statutes, as affected by this act, beginning with health insurance
12 premiums paid in any month that begins after the effective date of this subsection,
13 as determined by the secretary of administration, and ending with coverage for
14 December 2011, all of the following shall apply:

15 (a) Employees covered under section 40.05 (4) (ag) 2. of the statutes shall pay
16 \$84 a month for individual coverage and \$208 a month for family coverage for health
17 care coverage under any plan offered in the tier with the lowest employee premium
18 cost under section 40.51 (6) of the statutes; \$122 a month for individual coverage and
19 \$307 a month for family coverage for health care coverage under any plan offered in
20 the tier with the next lowest employee premium cost under section 40.51 (6) of the
21 statutes; and \$226 a month for individual coverage and \$567 a month for family
22 coverage for health care coverage under any plan offered in the tier with the highest
23 employee premium cost under section 40.51 (6) of the statutes.

1 (b) Eligible employees covered under section 40.02 (25) (b) 2. of the statutes,
2 as affected by this act, shall pay 50 percent of the amounts required for employees
3 under paragraph (a).

4 (c) Employees covered under section 40.05 (4) (ag) 1. of the statutes, as affected
5 by this act, and craft employees, as defined in section 111.81 (4) of the statutes, and
6 related nonrepresented employees shall pay the same amounts that they are
7 required to pay on the day before the effective date of this paragraph.

8 (1hr) EMPLOYER AND EMPLOYEE REQUIRED CONTRIBUTIONS FOR 2011.
9 Notwithstanding the employer and employee required contributions rates
10 established for 2011 under section 40.05 (1) and (2), 2009 stats., beginning on the first
11 day of any pay period after the effective date of this subsection, as determined by the
12 secretary of administration, the employee required contributions under section
13 40.05 (1) (a) of the statutes, as affected by this act, shall be in effect for the remainder
14 of 2011, and the employer required contributions under section 40.05 (2) of the
15 statutes shall be adjusted to reflect the increases in employee required contributions
16 for the remainder of 2011.

17 (1q) SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYEE TRUST FUNDS.
18 During the 2011-13 fiscal biennium, the secretary of employee trust funds may
19 submit one or more requests to the joint committee on finance to supplement the
20 appropriation under section 20.515 (1) (w) of the statutes from the appropriation
21 account under section 20.865 (4) (u) of the statutes for additional agency funding and
22 authorized positions. Any request shall include a detailed expenditure plan and a
23 description of how the plan addresses increasing workload and service
24 improvements and a request for additional positions shall be consistent with the
25 methodology developed under 2009 Wisconsin Act 28, section 9115 (1x). If the

1 secretary intends to request additional authorized positions beyond the number
2 derived from the methodology, the employee trust funds board must first approve the
3 request before the secretary submits the request to the joint committee on finance.
4 Any request submitted under this subsection shall be submitted by the applicable
5 due date for agency requests for any of the joint committee on finance's quarterly
6 meetings under section 13.10 of the statutes and shall also include the methodology
7 used by the secretary. Notwithstanding section 13.101 (3) of the statutes, the joint
8 committee on finance is not required to find that an emergency exists prior to making
9 the supplementation under this subsection.

10 (2q) SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR AUDIT OF DEPENDENT ELIGIBILITY UNDER
11 BENEFIT PROGRAMS ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYEE TRUST FUNDS. The
12 joint committee on finance may supplement, from the appropriation under section
13 20.865 (4) (u) of the statutes, the appropriation under section 20.515 (1) (w) of the
14 statutes for the purpose of conducting an audit of dependent eligibility under benefit
15 programs administered by the department of employee trust funds if all of the
16 following occur:

17 (a) The department of employee trust funds submits a report to the joint
18 committee on finance on the results of any pilot survey relating to dependent
19 eligibility and provides a detailed budget for a full audit of dependent eligibility
20 under benefit programs administered by the department.

21 (b) The department of employee trust funds submits a request to the joint
22 committee on finance to supplement the appropriation under section 20.515 (1) (w)
23 of the statutes for the purpose of conducting an audit of dependent eligibility under
24 benefit programs administered by the department.

1 (c) The cochairpersons of the joint committee on finance do not notify the
2 department of employee trust funds that the committee has scheduled a meeting for
3 the purpose of reviewing the request within 14 working days after the date of the
4 receipt of the request. If, within 14 working days after the date of the receipt of the
5 request, however, the cochairpersons of the committee notify the department of
6 employee trust funds that the committee has scheduled a meeting for the purpose
7 of reviewing the proposed supplement, the supplement may occur only upon
8 approval of the committee.

9 (3q) MODIFICATIONS TO WISCONSIN RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

10 (a) The secretary of administration, the director of the office of state
11 employment relations, and the secretary of employee trust funds shall study the
12 structure of the Wisconsin Retirement System and benefits provided under the
13 Wisconsin Retirement System. The study shall specifically address the following
14 issues:

15 1. Establishing a defined contribution plan as an option for participating
16 employees, as defined in section 40.02 (46) of the statutes.

17 2. Permitting employees to not make employee required contributions under
18 section 40.05 (1) (a) of the statutes and limiting retirement benefits for employees
19 who do not make employee required contributions to a money purchase annuity
20 calculated under section 40.23 (3) of the statutes.

21 (b) No later than June 30, 2012, the secretary of administration, the director
22 of the office of state employment relations, and the secretary of employee trust funds
23 shall report their findings and recommendations to the governor and the joint
24 committee on finance.

1 (4q) PROMULGATION OF EMERGENCY RULES FOR DETERMINATION OF ELIGIBILITY TO
2 PARTICIPATE IN THE WISCONSIN RETIREMENT SYSTEM. The department of employee trust
3 funds may use the procedure under section 227.24 of the statutes to promulgate rules
4 under section 40.22 (2) (am) of the statutes, as created by this act. Notwithstanding
5 section 227.24 (1) (c) and (2) of the statutes, emergency rules promulgated under this
6 subsection remain in effect until July 1, 2012, or the date on which permanent rules
7 take effect, whichever is sooner. Notwithstanding section 227.24 (1) (a) and (3) of the
8 statutes, the department is not required to provide evidence that promulgating a rule
9 under this subsection as an emergency rule is necessary for the preservation of the
10 public peace, health, safety, or welfare and is not required to provide a finding of
11 emergency for a rule promulgated under this subsection.

12 (6j) GROUP INSURANCE BOARD STUDY OF ASSISTED BIRTHS IN NONHOSPITAL SETTINGS.
13 The group insurance board shall study the feasibility of including in the uniform
14 benefits of state employee health insurance coverage the costs of certified
15 nurse-midwife services to assist in births at home or at stand-alone birth centers.

16 **SECTION 9118. Nonstatutory provisions; Government Accountability**
17 **Board.**

18 (1q) REVIEW OF PROPOSED EXPENDITURES FOR OUTREACH AND PUBLIC INFORMATION.
19 No later than July 1, 2011, and before making any expenditures under section 7.08
20 (12) of the statutes or 2011 Wisconsin Act 23, section 144 (1), for the purpose of
21 outreach or public information, the government accountability board shall transmit
22 to the cochairpersons of the joint committee on finance in writing a plan identifying
23 the specific proposed purposes for the expenditures and proposed amounts to be
24 expended for each specific purpose. If the cochairpersons of the committee do not
25 notify the board that the committee has scheduled a meeting for the purpose of

1 reviewing the plan within 14 working days after the date of the board's submittal of
2 the plan to the cochairpersons, the board may make the proposed expenditures
3 identified in the plan. If, within 14 working days after the date of the board's
4 submittal, the cochairpersons notify the board that the committee has scheduled a
5 meeting for the purpose of reviewing the plan, the board shall not make any
6 expenditures for the purpose of outreach or public information as identified in this
7 subsection without the approval of the committee.

8 **SECTION 9121. Nonstatutory provisions; Health Services.**

9 (1g) LONG-TERM CARE SERVICES CAP.

10 (a) *Definitions.* In this subsection and subsections (2g) and (3g):

11 1. "Department" means the department of health services.

12 2. "Family care partnership program" means an integrated health and
13 long-term care program operated under an amendment to the state medical
14 assistance plan, as authorized in 42 USC 1396n (i).

15 3. "Family care program" means the benefit program under section 46.286 of
16 the statutes.

17 4. "Institutional facility" means a nursing home under section 50.01 (3) of the
18 statutes, an intermediate care facility for persons with mental retardation under
19 section 50.14 (1) (b) of the statutes, or a center for the developmentally disabled
20 under section 51.01 (3) of the statutes.

21 5. "Long-term care program" means any of the following that are available in
22 a county on June 30, 2011, or the effective date of this subdivision, whichever is later:

23 a. The family care program.

24 b. The self-directed services option.

25 c. The family care partnership program.

1 d. The program for all-inclusive care for the elderly under 42 USC 1396u-4.

2 6. "Resource center" has the meaning given under section 46.2805 (10) of the
3 statutes.

4 7. "Resource center service area" means the geographical area prescribed for
5 a resource center by the department.

6 8. "Self-directed services option" means the program operated under a waiver
7 from the secretary of the federal department of health and human services under 42
8 USC 1396n (c) that allows participants to self-manage publicly funded long-term
9 care services.

10 (b) *Enrollment cap.*

11 1. Notwithstanding section 46.286 (3) of the statutes and subject to subdivision
12 2. and paragraph (c), the department may not enroll more individuals in long-term
13 care programs in a resource center service area than the number of individuals
14 enrolled in long-term care programs in that resource center service area on June 30,
15 2011, or the effective date of this subdivision, whichever is later. This subdivision
16 does not authorize the department to enroll an individual in a long-term care
17 program that is not available in the individual's county of residence. This
18 subdivision does not apply after June 30, 2013.

19 2. Individuals enrolled in a long-term care program under paragraph (c) are
20 not counted for the purpose of determining the number of individuals enrolled in
21 long-term care programs in a resource center service area under subdivision 1.

22 3. A month during which subdivision 1. is in effect is not counted for purposes
23 of determining the date under section 46.286 (3) (c) of the statutes by which the
24 department must assure that there is sufficient capacity in care management
25 organizations to provide the family care benefit to all entitled individuals in a county.

1 (c) *Exception to the enrollment cap.* The department may enroll an individual
2 who is relocating from an institutional facility in a long-term care program if any of
3 the following applies:

4 1. The individual has resided at the institutional facility for at least 90 days.

5 2. The department removes the individual from the institutional facility under
6 section 50.03 (5m) (a) of the statutes.

7 3. The institutional facility is closing or relocating residents under section
8 50.03 (14) of the statutes.

9 4. The institutional facility is not licensed to operate in this state.

10 5. The individual is relocated due to an emergency, as determined by the
11 department.

12 (2g) FAMILY CARE BENEFIT EMERGENCY FUNDING.

13 (a) *2011-13 biennium.* The department may expend \$12,639,000 in fiscal year
14 2011-12 and \$12,600,800 in fiscal year 2012-13 to provide the long-term care
15 services and support items that are offered under the family care program to
16 individuals who are on a waiting list for a long-term care program and who are in
17 urgent need of long-term care services, as determined by the department. The
18 department may provide services and support items to an individual under this
19 paragraph until the individual is permanently enrolled in a long-term care program.

20 (b) *2013-15 biennium.* Notwithstanding section 16.42 (1) (e) of the statutes,
21 in submitting information under section 16.42 of the statutes for purposes of the
22 2013-15 biennial budget bill, the department shall submit information concerning
23 the appropriation under section 20.435 (4) (b) of the statutes as though the increases
24 in the dollar amounts of that appropriation for the purposes of paragraph (a) had not
25 been made.

1 (3g) LONG-TERM CARE COST-EFFECTIVENESS STUDY. The secretary of the
2 department shall study the cost-effectiveness of the family care program, the family
3 care partnership program, the self-directed services option, and the program for
4 all-inclusive care for the elderly under 42 USC 1396u-4. The study shall compare
5 the cost-effectiveness of each program to each of the other programs; the
6 cost-effectiveness of each program to the benefits provided to medical assistance
7 recipients under section 49.46 (2) (a) and (b) of the statutes; and the
8 cost-effectiveness of the care that individuals receive before they enroll in a
9 long-term care program to the care that the individuals receive in a long-term care
10 program. The department shall submit the findings of its study to the joint
11 committee on finance by March 1, 2012.

12 (5) EXPANSION OF FAMILY CARE. Beginning on July 1, 2011, and ending on June
13 30, 2013, the department of health services may not propose to contract with entities
14 to administer the family care benefit, as described in section 46.286 of the statutes,
15 in a county in which the family care benefit is not available on July 1, 2011, unless
16 the department of health services determines that administering the family care
17 benefit in such a county would be more cost-effective than the county's current
18 mechanism for delivering long-term care services.

19 (6u) INCOME MAINTENANCE PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION; MULTICOUNTY CONSORTIA.

20 (a) In this subsection:

21 1. "Department" means the department of health services.

22 2. "Income maintenance program" has the meaning given in section 49.78 (1)
23 (b) of the statutes.

24 3. "Multicounty consortium" has the meaning given in section 49.78 (1) (br) of
25 the statutes, as created by this act.

1 (b) Counties with a population of less than 750,000 shall organize themselves
2 into no more than 10 consortia and notify the department of the composition of the
3 organized consortia no later than October 1, 2011.

4 (c) In each of calendar years 2012 and 2013, a county that is part of a
5 multicounty consortium shall contribute funds to its multicounty consortium in an
6 amount that is not less than the amount the county expended for the administration
7 of income maintenance programs in calendar year 2009. For the purposes of this
8 paragraph, Kenosha County expended \$673,000 for the administration of income
9 maintenance programs in calendar year 2009.

10 (6v) INCOME MAINTENANCE PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION; DATA PROCESSING UNIT. The
11 department of health services shall relocate the document processing unit to a
12 location that is outside of Dane County no later than July 1, 2012.

13 (7u) MILWAUKEE COUNTY ENROLLMENT SERVICES UNIT. No later than 30 days after
14 the effective date of this subsection, the department of health services shall discuss
15 with Milwaukee County any issues relating to the employment of county employees
16 with the state to provide services for the Milwaukee County enrollment services unit.
17 The department of health services shall submit a report to the joint committee on
18 finance on this issue no later than 60 days after the effective date of this subsection.

19 (8r) VETERANS HOME EXEMPTION FROM NURSING HOME BED ASSESSMENT.
20 Notwithstanding section 50.14 (2) of the statutes, the Wisconsin veterans homes
21 under section 45.50 of the statutes, as affected by this act, are not required to pay the
22 per-bed assessment on nursing homes under section 50.14 (2) (am) of the statutes
23 during the fiscal biennium in which this subsection takes effect.

24 (9) CONGENITAL DISORDER TESTING FEES; RULES. Using the procedure under
25 section 227.24 of the statutes, the department of health services shall promulgate

1 rules required under section 253.13 (2) of the statutes, as affected by this act, for the
2 period before the effective date of the permanent rules promulgated under section
3 253.13 (2) of the statutes, as affected by this act, but not to exceed the period
4 authorized under section 227.24 (1) (c) of the statutes, subject to extension under
5 section 227.24 (2) of the statutes. Notwithstanding section 227.24 (1) (a), (2) (b), and
6 (3) of the statutes, the department of health services is not required to provide
7 evidence that promulgating a rule under this subsection as an emergency rule is
8 necessary for the preservation of public peace, health, safety, or welfare and is not
9 required to provide a finding of emergency for a rule promulgated under this
10 subsection.

11 (10q) MEDICAL ASSISTANCE NURSING HOME PAYMENT BASE FUNDING. For the
12 purpose of submitting information under section 16.42 of the statutes for purposes
13 of preparing the 2013-15 biennial budget bill, the department of health services
14 shall increase its adjusted base year funding for nursing home payments by \$415,600
15 in general purpose revenue moneys and by \$925,100 in federal moneys.

16 (10x) AUDIT OF STATEWIDE INCOME MAINTENANCE PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION. The
17 joint legislative audit committee is requested to direct the legislative audit bureau
18 to conduct a performance evaluation audit of the statewide administration of income
19 maintenance programs, as defined in section 49.78 (1) (b) of the statutes. If
20 conducted, the audit shall address timeliness, program integrity, and efficiency. If
21 the committee directs the legislative audit bureau to conduct the audit, the bureau
22 shall file its reports in the manner described under section 13.94 (1) (b) of the statutes
23 by March 1, 2013.

24 (11i) STUDY ON PURCHASE OF GENERIC DRUGS FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE. The
25 department of health services shall conduct a study to determine whether the use of

1 a competitive bidding process for the purchase of generic drug equivalents that are
2 provided to recipients under the Medical Assistance program would generate cost
3 savings in the Medical Assistance program. No later than December 31, 2011, the
4 department of health services shall submit a report of its findings under the study
5 to the joint committee on finance.

6 (12b) STUDY ON MEDICAL ASSISTANCE AND FOOD SHARE CHANGES.

7 (a) The department of health services shall conduct a study to estimate the
8 costs and determine the feasibility of the following policies:

9 1. Implementing photo identification requirements for beneficiaries of the
10 Medical Assistance program and beneficiaries of the Food Share program by
11 requiring a Medical Assistance enrollment card to contain a photograph of the
12 beneficiary and a Food Share electronic benefit transfer card to contain a photograph
13 of the beneficiary.

14 2. Promoting the purchase of nutritional foods and beverages among Food
15 Share beneficiaries and requiring a beneficiary to purchase nutritional foods and
16 beverages under the program.

17 (b) The study must address all of the following issues:

18 1. Any potential costs associated with the implementation of the changes and
19 any potential savings due to fraud reduction as a result of implementing the
20 requirement for photo identification.

21 2. How to accommodate the photo identification requirement in households
22 comprised of multiple individuals.

23 3. The need for federal approval to implement the changes.

24 (c) No later than December 31, 2011, the department of health services shall
25 submit to the joint committee on finance a report that includes the department's

1 recommendations for implementing the policies under paragraph (a) and that
2 analyzes the feasibility of implementing those changes by April 1, 2012.

3 (12f) SEAL-A-SMILE DENTAL SEALANT PROGRAM. The department of health services
4 may submit a request to the joint committee on finance under section 13.10 of the
5 statutes to provide supplemental funding under section 13.101 (3) of the statutes for
6 the appropriation under section 20.435 (1) (de) of the statutes for use by the
7 department to award a grant under section 250.10 (1m) (b) of the statutes for a
8 school-based dental sealant program. Any request submitted under this subsection
9 shall include a statement as to whether a private entity has agreed to provide
10 matching funds for the grant for a school-based dental sealant program under
11 section 250.10 (1m) (b) of the statutes. If the cochairpersons of the committee do not
12 notify the department within 14 working days after the date of the department's
13 request that the committee has scheduled a meeting for the purpose of reviewing the
14 request, the request is granted. If, within 14 working days after the date of the
15 request, the cochairpersons of the committee notify the department that the
16 committee has scheduled a meeting for the purpose of reviewing the request, the
17 request may be granted only upon approval of the committee. Notwithstanding
18 section 13.101 (3) of the statutes, the joint committee on finance is not required to
19 find that an emergency exists prior to making the supplementation under this
20 subsection.

21 **SECTION 9122. Nonstatutory provisions; Higher Educational Aids**
22 **Board.**

23 (1d) BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE MEDICAL COLLEGE OF WISCONSIN, INC.
24 Notwithstanding the requirement specified in section 39.15 (1) (a) of the statutes, as
25 affected by this act, that 2 of the members of the board of trustees of the Medical

1 College of Wisconsin, Inc., must be nominated by the governor, and with the advice
2 and consent of the senate, appointed, that board may consist of more than 2 members
3 so nominated and appointed until such time as through term expiration, resignation,
4 removal, death, or other cause the membership of that board so nominated and
5 appointed is reduced to 2 members.

6 **SECTION 9126. Nonstatutory provisions; Investment Board.**

7 (1f) RIGHTS OF CERTAIN INVESTMENT BOARD EMPLOYEES. Notwithstanding section
8 230.08 (2) (p) of the statutes, as affected by this act, all of the employees holding blue
9 collar and clerical positions in the classified service at the investment board on the
10 day before the effective date of this subsection, who have achieved permanent status
11 in class on or before that date, shall retain, while serving in the unclassified service,
12 those protections afforded employees in the classified service under sections 230.34
13 (1) (a) and 230.44 (1) (c) of the statutes relating to demotion, suspension, discharge,
14 layoff, or reduction in base pay and shall also have reinstatement privileges to the
15 classified service as provided under section 230.33 (1) of the statutes.

16 **SECTION 9130. Nonstatutory provisions; Legislature.**

17 (1u) OPEN ENROLLMENT PROGRAM REPORT.

18 (a) The legislative audit bureau shall prepare a report on the state aid transfer
19 amount under the open enrollment program. The report shall discuss all of the
20 following:

- 21 1. The history of the transfer amount.
- 22 2. Alternatives for increasing the transfer amount based on the costs to
23 nonresident school districts of educating transfer pupils and the amount of funding
24 the resident school districts retain for their fixed costs.

1 3. Alternatives for transferring the resident school district's revenue limit
2 amount or state aid amount to the nonresident school district.

3 (b) The report shall discuss the issues and alternatives under paragraph (a)
4 with respect to school districts that either gain or lose a relatively large proportion
5 of pupils under the program.

6 (c) By January 1, 2012, the legislative audit bureau shall submit the report to
7 the governor; to the cochairpersons of the joint committee on finance; to the
8 cochairpersons of the joint legislative audit committee under section 13.172 (3) of the
9 statutes; and to the chairpersons of the appropriate standing committees of the
10 legislature, as determined by the speaker of the assembly and the president of the
11 senate, under section 13.172 (3) of the statutes.

12 **SECTION 9132. Nonstatutory provisions; Local Government.**

13 (1d) COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENTS COVERING CERTAIN MUNICIPAL DISTRICT
14 EMPLOYEES.

15 (a) A school district and the representative of a collective bargaining unit
16 containing employees of that school district may enter into one memorandum of
17 understanding that reduces the cost of compensation or fringe benefits in the
18 collective bargaining agreement under subchapter IV of chapter 111 of the statutes
19 that covers the school district employees, that was entered into before February 1,
20 2011, and that is in effect on the effective date of this paragraph. Such a modification
21 is not a modification of the collective bargaining agreement for purposes of 2011
22 Wisconsin Act 10, sections 9315 (1) and (2) and 9332 (1), or any provisions that are
23 substantially similar to 2011 Wisconsin Act 10, sections 9315 (1) and (2) and 9332 (1),
24 that may be enacted under separate legislation. The memorandum of understanding
25 entered into under this paragraph remains effective for the duration of the current

1 collective bargaining agreement and continues to be effective after the collective
2 bargaining agreement expires until a new collective bargaining agreement takes
3 effect except that, if the memorandum contains a provision addressing a subject that,
4 at the expiration of the collective bargaining agreement, becomes a prohibited
5 subject of bargaining, that provision is no longer effective.

6 (b) A technical college district board and the representative of a collective
7 bargaining unit containing employees of that technical college district may enter into
8 one memorandum of understanding that reduces the cost of compensation or fringe
9 benefits in the collective bargaining agreement under subchapter IV of chapter 111
10 of the statutes that covers the technical college district employees, that was entered
11 into before February 1, 2011, and that is in effect on the effective date of this
12 paragraph. Such a modification is not a modification of the collective bargaining
13 agreement for purposes of 2011 Wisconsin Act 10, sections 9315 (1) and (2) and 9332
14 (1), or any provisions that are substantially similar to 2011 Wisconsin Act 10,
15 sections 9315 (1) and (2) and 9332 (1), that may be enacted under separate
16 legislation. The memorandum of understanding entered into under this paragraph
17 remains effective for the duration of the current collective bargaining agreement and
18 continues to be effective after the collective bargaining agreement expires until a
19 new collective bargaining agreement takes effect except that, if the memorandum
20 contains a provision addressing a subject that, at the expiration of the collective
21 bargaining agreement, becomes a prohibited subject of bargaining, that provision is
22 no longer effective.

23 (c) No memorandum of understanding as described in paragraph (a) or (b) may
24 be entered into later than 90 days after the effective date of this paragraph.

25 **SECTION 9135. Nonstatutory provisions; Natural Resources.**

1 (2) COMMERCIAL CONSTRUCTION SITE EROSION CONTROL.

2 (a) In this subsection, “commercial building site” means a building site for
3 construction of public buildings and buildings that are places of employment.

4 (b) All rules promulgated by the department of natural resources under section
5 281.33 (3m), 2009 stats., related to erosion control for commercial building sites that
6 are in effect on the effective date of this paragraph, as determined by the secretary
7 of administration, remain in effect until their specified expiration dates or until
8 amended or repealed by the department of safety and professional services. All
9 orders issued by the department of natural resources that are in effect on the
10 effective date of this paragraph and that are primarily related to erosion control for
11 commercial building sites, as determined by the secretary of administration, remain
12 in effect until their specified expiration dates or until modified or rescinded by the
13 department of safety and professional services.

14 (c) Any matter pending with the department of natural resources on the
15 effective date of this paragraph that is primarily related to its commercial building
16 site erosion control responsibilities under section 281.33 (3m), 2009 stats., as
17 determined by the secretary of administration, is transferred to the department of
18 safety and professional services and all materials submitted to or actions taken by
19 the department of natural resources with respect to the pending matters are
20 considered as having been submitted to or taken by the department of safety and
21 professional services.

22 (d) Any delegation of the authority to act under section 281.33 (3m), 2009 stats.,
23 made by the department of natural resources to a county, city, village, or town that
24 is in effect on the effective date of this paragraph remains in effect until revoked by
25 the department of safety and professional services.

1 (e) 1. In this paragraph:

2 a. "Commercial building" means a public building or a building that is a place
3 of employment.

4 b. "Place of employment" has the meaning given in section 101.01 (11) of the
5 statutes.

6 c. "Public building" has the meaning given in section 101.01 (12) of the statutes.

7 2. On or before October 1, 2011, the department of natural resources and the
8 department of safety and professional services shall enter into a memorandum of
9 understanding that does all of the following:

10 a. Delineates the responsibilities of the department of natural resources under
11 section 281.33 of the statutes, as affected by this act, and the department of safety
12 and professional services under section 101.1206 of the statutes, as affected by this
13 act, in administering erosion control activities at construction sites during and after
14 construction.

15 b. Delineates the manner in which the department of safety and professional
16 services will regulate erosion control activities at commercial building construction
17 sites of one acre or larger so that those erosion control activities are regulated in a
18 manner that is consistent with the manner in which the department of natural
19 resources regulates erosion control activities under chapter 283 of the statutes, as
20 affected by this act, and rules promulgated under chapter 283 of the statutes, as
21 affected by this act.

22 (3c) FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR 2011 APPROPRIATIONS ACT FUNDING FOR CLEAN WATER FUND
23 PROJECTS.

24 (a) If this state receives moneys under P.L. 112-10 as a capitalization grant for
25 clean water state revolving funds under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, the

1 department of natural resources and the department of administration may, as
2 provided in this subsection, allocate the funds, before December 31, 2013, for
3 financial assistance to municipalities, as defined in section 281.59 (1) (c) of the
4 statutes, under section 281.58 of the statutes for projects eligible to receive financial
5 assistance under that section.

6 (b) The department of natural resources and the department of administration
7 shall provide additional subsidy under this subsection to municipalities in the
8 amount that P.L. 112-10 requires to be used to provide additional subsidy. The
9 department of natural resources and the department of administration shall provide
10 additional subsidy to a municipality in the form of forgiveness of part of the principal
11 of a loan made to the municipality, notwithstanding the limits in section 281.58 (6)
12 (b) of the statutes on the methods that may be used to provide financial assistance.
13 The department of natural resources may establish a percentage limit of the amount
14 of the principal forgiveness available under this paragraph that may be received by
15 any municipality.

16 (c) The department of natural resources may establish a deadline for
17 submitting applications for financial assistance under this subsection.

18 (d) In selecting the projects to receive financial assistance under this
19 subsection, and the terms of the financial assistance, the department of natural
20 resources may consider any of the following:

- 21 1. The population of the municipality in which a project would be located.
- 22 2. The median household income, as defined in section 281.58 (1) (cm) of the
23 statutes, of the municipality in which a project would be located.

1 3. The extent to which a project promotes water efficiency or energy efficiency;
2 is environmentally innovative; or uses natural systems or engineered systems that
3 mimic natural processes, also called green infrastructure.

4 (e) Notwithstanding section 227.10 (1) of the statutes, the department of
5 natural resources and the department of administration are not required to
6 promulgate rules for the purposes of this subsection.

7 (3d) FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR 2011 APPROPRIATIONS ACT FUNDING FOR SAFE DRINKING
8 WATER LOAN PROGRAM PROJECTS.

9 (a) If this state receives moneys under P.L. 112-10 as a capitalization grant for
10 drinking water state revolving loan funds under the federal Safe Drinking Water
11 Act, the department of natural resources and the department of administration may,
12 as provided in this subsection, allocate the funds, before December 31, 2013, for
13 financial assistance to local governmental units, as defined in section 281.61 (1) (a)
14 of the statutes, under section 281.61 of the statutes for projects eligible to receive
15 financial assistance under that section. Notwithstanding section 281.59 (3s) (a) of
16 the statutes, the department of administration may, until December 30, 2013,
17 allocate amounts approved for the 2011-13 biennium under section 281.59 (3s) (b)
18 1. of the statutes for projects under this subsection.

19 (b) The department of natural resources and the department of administration
20 shall provide additional subsidy under this subsection to local governmental units
21 in the amount that P.L. 112-10 requires to be used to provide additional subsidy. The
22 department of natural resources and the department of administration shall provide
23 additional subsidy to a local governmental unit in the form of forgiveness of part of
24 the principal of a loan made to the local governmental unit, notwithstanding the
25 limits in section 281.61 (2r) of the statutes on the methods that may be used to

1 provide financial assistance. The department of natural resources may establish a
2 percentage limit of the amount of the principal forgiveness available under this
3 paragraph that may be received by any local governmental unit.

4 (c) The department of natural resources may establish a different deadline for
5 submitting applications for financial assistance under this subsection than the
6 deadline in section 281.61 (5) of the statutes.

7 (d) In selecting the projects to receive financial assistance under this
8 subsection, and the terms of the financial assistance, the department of natural
9 resources may consider any of the following:

10 1. The population of the local governmental unit in which a project would be
11 located.

12 2. The median household income, as defined in section 281.58 (1) (cm) of the
13 statutes, of the local governmental unit in which a project would be located.

14 3. The extent to which a project promotes water efficiency or energy efficiency;
15 is environmentally innovative; or uses natural systems or engineered systems that
16 mimic natural processes, also called green infrastructure.

17 (e) Notwithstanding section 227.10 (1) of the statutes, the department of
18 natural resources and the department of administration are not required to
19 promulgate rules for the purposes of this subsection.

20 (3f) ECONOMIC IMPACT ANALYSES FOR CERTAIN RULES.

21 (a) In this subsection, "department" means the department of natural
22 resources.

23 (b) The department shall prepare an economic impact analysis of all of the
24 following:

25 1. Section NR 102.06, Wisconsin Administrative Code.

1 2. Subchapter III of chapter NR 217, Wisconsin Administrative Code.

2 3. Section NR 115, Wisconsin Administrative Code.

3 (c) The economic impact analyses prepared by the department under this
4 subsection shall include the information specified in section 227.137 (3) of the
5 statutes. The department may prepare a single combined analysis for the rules
6 specified under paragraph (b) 1. and 2.

7 (d) The department shall submit the economic impact analyses required under
8 this subsection on or before December 31, 2011, to the governor, to the department
9 of administration, to the cochairpersons of the joint committee for review of
10 administrative rules, and to the chief clerks of the assembly and senate for
11 distribution to the chairpersons of the appropriate standing committees of the
12 legislature.

13 (3q) SOUTHEASTERN WISCONSIN FOX RIVER COMMISSION. The department of
14 natural resources shall provide in the 2011-13 fiscal biennium, from the
15 appropriation under section 20.370 (5) (cq) of the statutes, as affected by this act,
16 \$200,000 to the Southeastern Wisconsin Fox River commission. The commission
17 may use this funding for activities that are required or authorized under subchapter
18 VI of chapter 33 of the statutes and that are consistent with the commission's
19 implementation plan. The activities for which this funding is utilized may include
20 the activities required under section 33.56 (1), (2), and (3) of the statutes.

21 (4u) POSITION INCREASES AND DECREASES.

22 (a) The authorized FTE positions for the department of natural resources are
23 decreased by 0.8 SEG positions funded from the appropriation under section 20.370
24 (9) (mu) of the statutes, for the purposes for which the appropriation is made. The
25 secretary shall identify the position.

1 (b) The authorized FTE positions for the department of natural resources are
2 decreased by 0.2 GPR positions funded from the appropriation under section 20.370
3 (9) (ma) of the statutes, for the purposes for which the appropriation is made. The
4 secretary shall identify the position.

5 (c) The authorized FTE positions for the department of natural resources are
6 decreased by 2.0 SEG positions funded from the appropriation under section 20.370
7 (8) (mu) of the statutes, for the purposes for which the appropriation is made. The
8 secretary shall identify the positions.

9 (d) The authorized FTE positions for the department of natural resources are
10 increased by 0.8 SEG positions, funded from the appropriation under section 20.370
11 (9) (mu) of the statutes, to provide for an unclassified division administrator.

12 (e) The authorized FTE positions for the department of natural resources are
13 increased by 0.2 GPR positions, funded from the appropriation under section 20.370
14 (9) (ma) of the statutes, to provide for an unclassified division administrator.

15 (f) The authorized FTE positions for the department of natural resources are
16 increased by 2.0 SEG positions, funded from the appropriation under section 20.370
17 (8) (mu) of the statutes, to provide for additional unclassified division
18 administrators.

19 **SECTION 9137. Nonstatutory provisions; Public Instruction.**

20 (1) STUDENT INFORMATION SYSTEM. The state superintendent of public
21 instruction shall submit a plan for the expenditure of moneys appropriated under
22 section 20.255 (1) (e) of the statutes, as created by this act, in the 2011-12 fiscal year
23 to the governor for his or her approval. By October 1, 2011, the state superintendent
24 and the governor shall submit the approved plan to the joint committee on finance

1 for its approval. The state superintendent may not expend or encumber the moneys
2 unless the joint committee on finance approves the plan.

3 (1u) PUPIL ASSESSMENTS.

4 (a) Beginning in the 2014-15 school year, the department of public instruction
5 shall replace the Wisconsin Knowledge and Concepts Examination with pupil
6 assessments developed by the Smarter Balance Assessment Consortium or by an
7 entity selected by the department through a request for proposals process. The new
8 assessments shall be standards-based; measure mastery of the common core
9 standards; be designed so as to begin the transition to online testing; and allow for
10 the results of multiple-choice questions to be provided within one week and the
11 results of open-ended questions to be provided within 6 weeks, or as soon as
12 practicable.

13 (b) By January 1, 2012, and by January 1, 2013, the department of public
14 instruction shall report to the cochairpersons of the joint committee on finance on the
15 progress of the transition from the current pupil assessment system to the new pupil
16 assessment system. The department shall ensure that a stand-alone field test of
17 new assessment items is conducted no later than the spring of 2014.

18 (2) SPECIAL ADJUSTMENT AIDS. Notwithstanding section 121.105 (2) of the
19 statutes, for state aid distributed in the 2011-12 school year, the department of
20 public instruction shall calculate the aid adjustment under that section using 90
21 percent instead of 85 percent in section 121.105 (2) (am) 1. and 2. of the statutes.

22 (3q) LOW REVENUE ADJUSTMENT AID.

23 (a) Except as provided in paragraph (b) and subject to paragraph (c), in the
24 2011-12 school year, from the appropriation under section 20.255 (2) (ar) of the
25 statutes, as created by this act, the department of public instruction shall pay to each

1 school district in which the school district's per pupil revenue under section 121.905
2 (4) (a) of the statutes is greater than the school district's base revenue per member,
3 as determined under section 121.905 of the statutes, as affected by this act, an
4 amount determined as follows:

5 1. For a school district in which the difference between the school district's per
6 pupil revenue under section 121.905 (4) (a) of the statutes and the school district's
7 base revenue per member, as determined under section 121.905 of the statutes, as
8 affected by this act, is \$100, an amount determined by multiplying \$40 by the
9 average of the number of pupils enrolled in the school district in the 2009-10,
10 2010-11, and 2011-12 school years. For the purpose of calculating eligibility for aid
11 under this subdivision, if the school district's base revenue per member, as
12 determined under section 121.905 of the statutes, is less than \$8,900, the
13 department of public instruction shall set the base revenue per member at \$8,900.

14 2. For a school district in which the difference between the school district's per
15 pupil revenue under section 121.905 (4) (a) of the statutes and the school district's
16 base revenue per member, as determined under section 121.905 of the statutes, as
17 affected by this act, is less than \$100, an amount determined as provided in
18 subdivision 3. For the purpose of calculating eligibility for aid under this subdivision
19 and calculating aid under subdivision 3., if the school district's base revenue per
20 member, as determined under section 121.905 of the statutes, is less than \$8,900, the
21 department of public instruction shall set the base revenue per member at \$8,900.

22 3. a. Subtract the school district's base revenue per member, as determined
23 under section 121.905 of the statutes, as affected by this act, from the school district's
24 per pupil revenue under section 121.905 (4) (a) of the statutes.

25 b. Multiply the difference determined under subdivision 3. a. by 0.4.

1 c. Multiply the product under subdivision 3. b. by the average of the number
2 of pupils enrolled in the school district in the 2009-10, 2010-11, and 2011-12 school
3 years.

4 (b) If a school district's per pupil revenue under section 121.905 (4) (a) of the
5 statutes is less than \$8,900, the school district may not receive aid under this
6 subsection.

7 (c) 1. When considering under this subsection the school district's per pupil
8 revenue under section 121.905 (4) (a) of the statutes, the department of public
9 instruction shall not consider any adjustments under section 121.91 (3) or (4) of the
10 statutes.

11 2. If the appropriation under section 20.255 (2) (ar) of the statutes, as created
12 by this act, is insufficient to pay the full amount of aid for which school districts are
13 eligible under this subsection, the department of public instruction shall prorate the
14 aid payments under this subsection among all eligible school districts.

15 (3r) PER PUPIL ADJUSTMENT AID.

16 (a) In the 2012-13 school year, from the appropriation under section 20.255 (2)
17 (ap) of the statutes, as created by this act, the department of public instruction shall
18 pay to each school district that, in the fall of 2012, certifies the maximum amount
19 allowed to be levied under section 121.905 of the statutes, as affected by this act, or
20 121.91 (2m) of the statutes, as affected by this act, an amount equal to \$50 multiplied
21 by the average of the number of pupils enrolled in the school district in the 2010-11,
22 2011-12, and 2012-13 school years. When considering under this paragraph
23 whether a school district certified the maximum amount allowed to be levied, the
24 department of public instruction shall not consider any increase under section
25 121.91 (4) (d) of the statutes.

1 (b) 1. Subject to paragraph (c), in the 2012-13 school year, from the
2 appropriation under section 20.255 (2) (ap) of the statutes, as created by this act, the
3 department of public instruction shall pay the amount determined under
4 subdivision 2. to each school district to which all of the following apply:

5 a. In the fall of 2012, the school district certifies less than the maximum amount
6 allowed to be levied under section 121.905 of the statutes, as affected by this act, or
7 section 121.91 (2m) of the statutes, as affected by this act. When considering under
8 this subdivision whether a school district certified the maximum amount allowed to
9 be levied, the department of public instruction shall not consider any increase under
10 section 121.91 (4) (d) of the statutes.

11 b. The quotient determined by dividing the difference between the maximum
12 amount allowed to be levied by the school district in the 2012-13 school year under
13 section 121.905 of the statutes, as affected by this act, or section 121.91 of the
14 statutes, as affected by this act, and the actual amount certified by the school district
15 in the fall of 2012, by the average of the number of pupils enrolled in the school
16 district in the 2010-11, 2011-12, and 2012-13 school years is less than \$50.

17 2. a. Divide the difference between the maximum amount allowed to be levied
18 by the school district in the 2012-13 school year under section 121.905 of the
19 statutes, as affected by this act, or section 121.91 of the statutes, as affected by this
20 act, and the actual amount certified by the school district in the fall of 2012, by the
21 average of the number of pupils enrolled in the school district in the 2010-11,
22 2011-12, and 2012-13 school years.

23 b. Subtract the amount determined under subdivision 2. a. from \$50.

1 c. Multiply the difference determined in subdivision 2. b. by the average of the
2 number of pupils enrolled in the school district in the 2010-11, 2011-12, and 2012-13
3 school years.

4 (c) If the appropriation under section 20.255 (2) (ap) of the statutes, as created
5 by this act, is insufficient to pay the full amount of aid for which school districts are
6 eligible under this subsection, the department of public instruction shall prorate the
7 aid payments under this subsection among all eligible school districts.

8 (3u) PARENTAL CHOICE PROGRAMS IN ELIGIBLE SCHOOL DISTRICTS; PARTICIPATION IN
9 2011-12 SCHOOL YEAR.

10 (a) Notwithstanding section 118.60 (1m) of the statutes, as created by this act,
11 within 10 days after the effective date of this subsection, the department of public
12 instruction shall prepare a list that identifies eligible school districts, as defined
13 under section 118.60 (1) (am) of the statutes, as created by this act, and shall notify
14 the school district clerk of each eligible school district. Regardless of the date on
15 which the department of public instruction identifies a school district as an eligible
16 school district under this paragraph, the department shall treat the date as no later
17 than June 30, 2011.

18 (b) Subject to section 118.60 (2) (a) 1. and 2. of the statutes, as created by this
19 act, any pupil who resides within a school district found to be an eligible school
20 district under paragraph (a) may participate in the program under section 118.60 of
21 the statutes, as created by this act, in the 2011-12 school year.

22 (c) Notwithstanding section 118.60 (1) (am) of the statutes, as created by this
23 act, for purposes of determining whether a school district is an eligible school district
24 under paragraph (a), the department of public instruction shall do all of the
25 following:

1 1. Use the equalized value per member, as determined in accordance with
2 section 121.15 (4) of the statutes on October 15, 2010, for the distribution of
3 equalization aid in the 2010-11 school year.

4 2. Use the shared cost per member, as determined in accordance with section
5 121.07 of the statutes on October 15, 2010, for the distribution of equalization aid for
6 the 2010-11 school year.

7 3. Determine whether the school district received aid under section 121.136 of
8 the statutes in the 2010-11 school year.

9 4. Determine whether the school district was located in whole or in part in a
10 city of the 2nd class in the 2010-11 school year.

11 (4u) REVENUE LIMIT ADJUSTMENT.

12 (a) If a school district received the revenue limit adjustment under section
13 121.91 (8) of the statutes for the 2010-11 school year, its revenue limit under
14 subchapter VII of chapter 121 of the statutes for the 2011-12 school year is increased
15 by the amount of that adjustment in the 2010-11 school year.

16 (b) If a school district received the revenue limit adjustment under section
17 121.91 (8) of the statutes for the 2010-11 school year and received no state aid under
18 section 121.08 of the statutes in the 2010-11 school year, its revenue limit under
19 subchapter VII of chapter 121 of the statutes for the 2012-13 school year is increased
20 by the amount of that adjustment in the 2010-11 school year.

21 (c) The excess revenue in the 2011-12 and 2012-13 school years resulting from
22 the revenue limit increases under paragraphs (a) and (b) shall be treated as
23 nonrecurring adjustments.

24 **SECTION 9140. Nonstatutory provisions; Regulation and Licensing.**

1 (1) RULES AND ORDERS. All rules promulgated by the department of regulation
2 and licensing that relate to the licensure of real estate brokers and salespersons or
3 the registration of time-share salespersons that are in effect on the effective date of
4 this subsection remain in effect until their specified expiration dates or until
5 amended or repealed by the real estate examining board. All orders issued by the
6 department of regulation and licensing relating to such licensure or registration that
7 are in effect on the effective date of this subsection remain in effect until their
8 specified expiration dates or until modified or rescinded by the real estate examining
9 board.

10 (2) PENDING MATTERS. Any matter pending with the department of regulation
11 and licensing on the effective date of this subsection that is primarily related to the
12 licensure of real estate brokers and salespersons or the registration of time-share
13 salespersons, as determined by the secretary of regulation and licensing, is
14 transferred to the real estate examining board, and all materials submitted to or
15 actions taken by the department of regulation and licensing with respect to the
16 pending matters are considered as having been submitted to or taken by the real
17 estate examining board.

18 (3) CONTRACTS. All contracts entered into by the department of regulation and
19 licensing in effect on the effective date of this subsection that are primarily related
20 to licensure of real estate brokers and salespersons or the registration of time-share
21 salespersons, as determined by the secretary of regulation and licensing, remain in
22 effect and are transferred to the real estate examining board. The real estate
23 examining board shall carry out any obligations under such a contract until the
24 contract is modified or rescinded by the real estate examining board to the extent
25 allowed under the contract.

1 (4) INITIAL APPOINTMENTS. Notwithstanding the lengths of terms specified in
2 section 15.405 (11m) of the statutes, as created by this act, the initial members of the
3 real estate examining board shall be appointed for the following terms:

4 (a) One real estate broker or salesperson licensed under chapter 452 of the
5 statutes and one public member, for terms expiring on July 1, 2012.

6 (b) One licensed real estate broker or salesperson licensed under chapter 452
7 of the statutes and one public member, for terms expiring on July 1, 2013.

8 (c) Three licensed real estate brokers or salespersons licensed under chapter
9 452 of the statutes, for terms expiring on July 1, 2014.

10 (5c) BAIL BOND SURETY CORPORATION AND AGENT LICENSING; RULES. Using the
11 procedure under section 227.24 of the statutes, the department of safety and
12 professional services shall promulgate rules required under section 440.9995 of the
13 statutes, as created by this act, for the period before the effective date of the
14 permanent rules promulgated under section 440.9995 of the statutes, as created by
15 this act, but not to exceed the period authorized under section 227.24 (1) (c), subject
16 to extension under section 227.24 (2) of the statutes. Notwithstanding section 227.24
17 (1) (a), (2) (b), and (3) of the statutes, the department of safety and professional
18 services is not required to provide evidence that promulgating a rule under this
19 subsection as an emergency rule is necessary for the preservation of public peace,
20 health, safety, or welfare and is not required to provide a finding of emergency for a
21 rule promulgated under this subsection.

22 **SECTION 9142. Nonstatutory provisions; Secretary of State.**

23 (1) TRANSFER OF TRADEMARK AND NOTARY FUNCTIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF
24 FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS; TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS.

25 (a) *Definitions.* In this subsection:

- 1 1. “Department” means the department of financial institutions.
- 2 2. “Office” means the office of the secretary of state.
- 3 3. “Relating to the office’s trademark or notary functions” means relating to the
4 office’s functions and duties under section 137.01, 2009 stats., or chapter 132, 2009
5 stats.
- 6 (b) *Assets and liabilities.* On the effective date of this paragraph, the assets and
7 liabilities of the office relating to the office’s trademark or notary functions shall
8 become the assets and liabilities of the department.
- 9 (c) *Staff.*
- 10 1. On the effective date of this subdivision, 1.0 FTE PR position relating to the
11 office’s trademark or notary functions and the incumbent employee, identified by the
12 secretary of administration, holding that position in the office are transferred to the
13 department.
- 14 2. The employee transferred under subdivision 1. to the division has all of the
15 rights and the same status under subchapter V of chapter 111 and chapter 230 of the
16 statutes in the division that he or she enjoyed in the office immediately before the
17 transfer. Notwithstanding section 230.28 (4) of the statutes, the employee so
18 transferred who has attained permanent status in class is not required to serve a
19 probationary period.
- 20 3. On the effective date of this subdivision, the remaining 1.0 FTE PR position
21 of the office relating to the office’s trademark or notary functions not transferred
22 under subdivision 1. is deauthorized.
- 23 (d) *Tangible personal property.* On the effective date of this paragraph, all
24 tangible personal property, including records, of the office relating to the office’s
25 trademark or notary functions is transferred to the department.

1 (e) *Contracts*. All contracts entered into by the office, in effect on the effective
2 date of this paragraph, relating to the office's trademark or notary functions remain
3 in effect and are transferred to the department. The department shall carry out any
4 obligations under such a contract until the contract is modified or rescinded by the
5 department to the extent allowed under the contract.

6 (f) *Rules and orders*.

7 1. All rules promulgated by the office relating to the office's trademark or
8 notary functions that are in effect on the effective date of this subdivision remain in
9 effect until their specified expiration dates or until amended or repealed by the
10 department.

11 2. All orders issued by the office relating to the office's trademark or notary
12 functions that are in effect on the effective date of this subdivision remain in effect
13 until their specified expiration dates or until modified or rescinded by the
14 department.

15 (g) *Pending matters*. Any matter relating to the office's trademark or notary
16 functions pending with the office on the effective date of this paragraph is
17 transferred to the department, and all materials submitted to or actions taken by the
18 office with respect to the pending matter are considered as having been submitted
19 to or taken by the department.

20 (h) *Department of administration to arbitrate disputes*. In the case of
21 disagreement between the secretary of financial institutions and the secretary of
22 state with respect to any matter specified in paragraph (c), (d), (e), (f), or (g), the
23 department of administration shall determine the matter and shall develop a plan
24 for an orderly transfer.

1 (2) TRANSFER OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES FUNCTIONS TO DEPARTMENT OF
2 ADMINISTRATION.

3 (a) *Assets and liabilities.* On the effective date of this paragraph, the assets and
4 liabilities of the office of the secretary of state that are primarily related to
5 administrative services, as determined by the secretary of administration, shall
6 become the assets and liabilities of the department of administration.

7 (b) *Tangible personal property.* On the effective date of this paragraph, all
8 tangible personal property, including records, of the office of the secretary of state
9 that are primarily related to administrative services, as determined by the secretary
10 of administration, shall become the tangible personal property of the department of
11 administration.

12 (c) *Contracts.* All contracts entered into by the office of the secretary of state
13 in effect on the effective date of this paragraph that are primarily related to
14 administrative services, as determined by the secretary of administration, remain
15 in effect and are transferred to the department of administration. The department
16 of administration shall carry out any obligations under such a contract until the
17 contract is modified or rescinded by the department of administration to the extent
18 allowed under the contract.

19 (d) *Rules and orders.* All rules promulgated by the office of the secretary of state
20 in effect on the effective date of this paragraph that are primarily related to
21 administrative services, as determined by the secretary of administration, remain
22 in effect until their specified expiration date or until amended or repealed by the
23 department of administration. All orders issued by the office of the secretary of state
24 in effect on the effective date of this paragraph that are primarily related to
25 administrative services, as determined by the secretary of administration, remain

1 in effect until their specified expiration date or until modified or rescinded by the
2 department of administration.

3 (e) *Pending matters.* Any matter pending with the office of the secretary of state
4 on the effective date of this paragraph that is primarily related to administrative
5 services, as determined by the secretary of administration, is transferred to the
6 department of administration and all materials submitted to or actions taken by the
7 office of the secretary of state with respect to the pending matter are considered as
8 having been submitted to or taken by the department of administration.

9 **SECTION 9143. Nonstatutory provisions; State Employment Relations,**
10 **Office of.**

11 (2q) HEALTH INSURANCE OPTIONS.

12 (a) The director of the office of state employment relations and the secretary
13 of employee trust funds shall study the feasibility of all of the following:

14 1. Offering to employees eligible to receive health care coverage under
15 subchapter IV of chapter 40 of the statutes, beginning on January 1, 2013, the
16 options of receiving health care coverage through either a low-cost health care
17 coverage plan or through a high-deductible health plan and the establishment of a
18 health savings account, as described in 26 USC 223.

19 2. Implementing a 3-level health insurance premium cost structure that would
20 establish separate premium levels for single individuals, married couples with no
21 dependents, and families with dependents.

22 3. Implementing a program, beginning on January 1, 2012, to provide an online
23 marketplace for the purchase of prescription drugs as a supplement to the pharmacy
24 benefit management program provided under the group insurance plans offered by
25 the group insurance board.

1 4. Requiring state employees to receive health care coverage through a health
2 benefits exchange established pursuant to the federal Patient Protection and
3 Affordable Care Act of 2010.

4 5. Creating a health care insurance purchasing pool for all state and local
5 government employees and individuals receiving health care coverage under the
6 Medical Assistance program.

7 (b) No later than October 31, 2011, the director and secretary shall report their
8 findings and recommendations to the governor and the joint committee on finance.

9 **SECTION 9148. Nonstatutory provisions; Transportation.**

10 (1) CERTIFICATES OF TITLE. Notwithstanding chapter 342 of the statutes, as
11 affected by this act, beginning on the effective date of this subsection, the department
12 of transportation may, for 6 months after the effective date of this subsection, issue
13 and deliver certificates of title under applicable provisions of chapter 342 of the
14 statutes that are in effect on the day before the effective date of this subsection.

15 (3u) DISSOLUTION AND WINDING DOWN OF TRANSIT AUTHORITIES.

16 (a) Any authority created under section 66.1039, 2009 stats., is dissolved on the
17 effective date of this paragraph.

18 (b) The authority under section 59.58 (7), 2009 stats., is dissolved on the
19 effective date of this paragraph.

20 (c) After the effective date of this paragraph, the counties of Kenosha, Racine,
21 and Milwaukee, and all members of the governing body of the authority under
22 section 59.58 (7) of the statutes, shall begin the process of winding down the
23 authority and shall complete the process by the time the authority is dissolved as
24 provided in paragraph (b). All assets and liabilities of the authority under section
25 59.58 (7), 2009 stats., including any accumulated moneys received from the fees

1 imposed under subchapter XIII of chapter 77 of the statutes, shall become the assets
2 and liabilities of the counties of Kenosha, Racine, and Milwaukee and shall be
3 divided and distributed as follows:

- 4 1. Fifty percent to Milwaukee County.
- 5 2. Twenty-five percent to Kenosha County.
- 6 3. Twenty-five percent to Racine County.

7 (4f) COPPER CULTURE STATE PARK DIRECTIONAL SIGNAGE. Notwithstanding any
8 eligibility criteria or other criteria or specification under section 86.196 of the
9 statutes, the department of transportation shall erect 2 tourist-oriented directional
10 signs, one for each direction of travel, along STH 41 in Oconto County for Copper
11 Culture State Park in Oconto County. The department may not charge any fee
12 related to any sign erected under this subsection.

13 (7f) SOUTHEAST WISCONSIN FREEWAY FUNDING. Prior to July 1, 2011, the
14 department of transportation shall determine all of the following, calculated as of the
15 end of fiscal year 2010-11, based upon the portion of unencumbered funds for the
16 department's southeast Wisconsin freeway rehabilitation program that are
17 associated with projects that will become part of the department's southeast
18 Wisconsin freeway megaproject program:

19 (a) The amount to be transferred from section 20.395 (3) (cr) of the statutes, as
20 affected by this act, to the department's new state funds appropriation account for
21 southeast Wisconsin freeway megaprojects.

22 (b) The amount to be transferred from section 20.395 (3) (cw) of the statutes,
23 as affected by this act, to the department's new local funds appropriation account for
24 southeast Wisconsin freeway megaprojects.

1 (c) The amount to be transferred from section 20.395 (3) (cy) of the statutes, as
2 affected by this act, to the department's new federal funds appropriation account for
3 southeast Wisconsin freeway megaprojects.

4 (7g) COMMISSION ON TRANSPORTATION FINANCE AND POLICY.

5 (a) There is created a committee called the commission on transportation
6 finance and policy. The commission shall consist of the following members:

7 1. The secretary of transportation, who shall serve as a nonvoting member.

8 2. Six citizen members, appointed by the governor.

9 3. One citizen member, appointed by the speaker of the assembly.

10 4. One citizen member, appointed by the assembly minority leader.

11 5. One citizen member, appointed by the senate majority leader.

12 6. One citizen member, appointed by the senate minority leader.

13 (b) At least 5 of the citizen members appointed under paragraph (a) shall have
14 experience in public finance, transportation policy, or transportation system
15 planning.

16 (c) The commission shall examine issues related to the future of transportation
17 finance in this state, including all of the following:

18 1. The estimated costs of highway maintenance, rehabilitation, reconstruction,
19 and expansion projects over a 10-year period, including both those currently
20 identified in the department's 6-year program and those in the department's
21 long-range transportation plans.

22 2. The estimated costs of local government transportation aid and assistance
23 programs, including general transportation aids and mass transit operating
24 assistance.

1 3. Projections of transportation fund revenues over the same 10-year period
2 identified in subdivision 1.

3 4. Projections of transportation fund debt service for the use of bonds over the
4 same 10-year period identified in subdivision 1., under various scenarios.

5 5. Various options for increasing transportation fund revenues or adjusting
6 transportation fund expenditures over the 10-year period identified in subdivision
7 1. to achieve a stable balance between expenditures, revenues, and debt service.

8 6. The impact of highway project planning for specific projects on landowners
9 with property abutting proposed improvements.

10 (d) The commission shall prepare a report with its findings and
11 recommendations and submit the report, no later than March 1, 2013, to the
12 governor, the speaker of the assembly, the assembly minority leader, the senate
13 majority leader, and the senate minority leader.

14 (8f) ZOO INTERCHANGE PROJECT REPORT.

15 (a) In this subsection, "Zoo interchange" has the meaning given in section
16 84.014 (5m) (ag) 2. of the statutes.

17 (b) No later than December 1, 2011, the department of transportation shall
18 submit a report to the joint committee on finance that does all of the following:

19 1. Outlines a financing plan and schedule for the Zoo interchange project,
20 including planned expenditures by year and by funding source, through the year of
21 completion of the project.

22 2. Shows the impact on transportation fund debt service of the issuance of
23 bonds for the Zoo interchange project as well as past and future issuance of
24 transportation fund-supported bonds for other projects and programs.

1 3. Provides estimates of the percentage of gross transportation fund revenues
2 that would be required for the payment of transportation debt service on any bonds
3 described under subdivision 2., through 2 years following the year of completion of
4 the Zoo interchange project.

5 (9i) VEHICLE REGISTRATION DECALS. By the date specified by the cochairpersons
6 of the joint committee on finance for submission of requests for consideration at the
7 3rd quarterly meeting of the committee under section 13.10 of the statutes in the
8 2011-12 fiscal year, the department of transportation shall submit a request to the
9 committee under section 13.10 of the statutes to provide supplemental funding
10 under section 13.101 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation under section 20.395
11 (5) (cq) of the statutes in the 2012-13 fiscal year for vehicle registration plate tags,
12 decals, or stickers evidencing registration. The request submitted under this
13 subsection shall include the department's proposal to establish a registration plate
14 decal or sticker system under which decals or stickers would be issued centrally by
15 a 3rd-party vendor and would carry an identification marker specific to the
16 registration plate or vehicle for which the decal or sticker is issued. Upon approval
17 of the proposal, including modification and approval, by the committee, the
18 department shall implement the proposal as approved. Notwithstanding section
19 13.101 (3) of the statutes, the committee may supplement the appropriation under
20 section 20.395 (5) (cq) of the statutes from the appropriation account under section
21 20.865 (4) (u) of the statutes for the purpose described in this subsection without
22 finding that an emergency exists.

23 **SECTION 9149. Nonstatutory provisions; Treasurer.**

24 (1) TRANSFER OF COLLEGE SAVINGS PROGRAMS DUTIES TO THE DEPARTMENT OF
25 ADMINISTRATION.

1 (a) *Assets and liabilities.* On the effective date of this paragraph, the assets and
2 liabilities of the office of the state treasurer that are primarily related to the state
3 treasurer's performance of duties under sections 14.63, 14.64, and 14.65, 2009 stats.,
4 as determined by the secretary of administration, shall become the assets and
5 liabilities of the department of administration.

6 (b) *Staff.*

7 1. On the effective date of this subdivision, 1.0 FTE SEG position in the office
8 of the state treasurer, and the incumbent employee holding that position, funded
9 from the appropriation under section 20.585 (2) (tm), 2009 stats., and responsible for
10 the performance of duties related to the college savings program, is transferred to the
11 department of administration to be funded from the appropriation under section
12 20.505 (1) (th) of the statutes, as affected by this act. The secretary of administration
13 shall identify the position.

14 2. An employee transferred under subdivision 1. to the department of
15 administration has all of the rights and the same status under subchapter V of
16 chapter 111 and chapter 230 of the statutes in the department of administration that
17 he or she enjoyed in the office of the state treasurer immediately before the transfer.
18 Notwithstanding section 230.28 (4) of the statutes, no employee so transferred who
19 has attained permanent status in class is required to serve a probationary period.

20 (c) *Tangible personal property.* On the effective date of this paragraph, all
21 tangible personal property, including records, of the office of the state treasurer that
22 are primarily related to the state treasurer's performance of duties under sections
23 14.63, 14.64, and 14.65, 2009 stats., as determined by the secretary of
24 administration, is transferred to the department of administration.

1 (d) *Pending matters.* Any matter pending with the office of the state treasurer
2 that is primarily related to the state treasurer's performance of duties under sections
3 14.63, 14.64, and 14.65, 2009 stats., as determined by the secretary of
4 administration, is transferred to the department of administration. All materials
5 submitted to or actions taken by the office of the state treasurer with respect to the
6 pending matter are considered as having been submitted to or taken by the
7 department of administration.

8 (e) *Contracts.* All contracts entered into by the office of the state treasurer in
9 effect on the effective date of this paragraph that are primarily related to the state
10 treasurer's performance of duties under sections 14.63, 14.64, and 14.65, 2009 stats.,
11 as determined by the secretary of administration, remain in effect and are
12 transferred to the department of administration. The department of administration
13 shall carry out any obligations under those contracts unless modified or rescinded
14 by the department of administration to the extent allowed under the contract.

15 (f) *Rules and orders.* All rules promulgated by the office of the state treasurer
16 in effect on the effective date of this paragraph that are primarily related to the state
17 treasurer's performance of duties under sections 14.63, 14.64, and 14.65, 2009 stats.,
18 as determined by the secretary of administration, remain in effect until their
19 specified expiration dates or until amended or repealed by the department of
20 administration. All orders issued by the office of the state treasurer in effect on the
21 effective date of this paragraph that are primarily related to the state treasurer's
22 performance of duties under sections 14.63, 14.64, and 14.65, 2009 stats., as
23 determined by the secretary of administration, remain in effect until their specified
24 expiration dates or until modified or rescinded by the department of administration.

1 (2) TRANSFER OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT POOLED-INVESTMENT DUTIES TO THE
2 DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION.

3 (a) *Assets and liabilities.* On the effective date of this paragraph, the assets and
4 liabilities of the office of the state treasurer that are primarily related to the state
5 treasurer's performance of duties under section 25.50, 2009 stats., as determined by
6 the secretary of administration, shall become the assets and liabilities of the
7 department of administration.

8 (b) *Staff.*

9 1. On the effective date of this subdivision, 1.0 FTE PR position in the office of
10 the state treasurer, and the incumbent employee holding that position funded from
11 the appropriation under section 20.585 (1) (g), 2009 stats., and responsible for the
12 performance of duties related to the local government pooled-investment fund under
13 section 25.50, 2009 stats., is transferred to the department of administration to be
14 funded from the appropriation under section 20.505 (1) (gc) of the statutes, as
15 affected by this act. The secretary of administration shall identify the position.

16 2. An employee transferred under subdivision 1. to the department of
17 administration has all of the rights and the same status under subchapter V of
18 chapter 111 and chapter 230 of the statutes in the department that he or she enjoyed
19 in the office of the state treasurer immediately before the transfer. Notwithstanding
20 section 230.28 (4) of the statutes, no employee so transferred who has attained
21 permanent status in class is required to serve a probationary period.

22 (c) *Tangible personal property.* On the effective date of this paragraph, all
23 tangible personal property, including records, of the office of the state treasurer that
24 are primarily related to the state treasurer's performance of duties under section

1 25.50, 2009 stats., as determined by the secretary of administration, is transferred
2 to the department of administration.

3 (d) *Pending matters.* Any matter pending with the office of the state treasurer
4 that is primarily related to the state treasurer's performance of duties under section
5 25.50, 2009 stats., as determined by the secretary of administration, is transferred
6 to the department of administration. All materials submitted to or actions taken by
7 the office of the state treasurer with respect to the pending matter are considered as
8 having been submitted to or taken by the department of administration.

9 (e) *Contracts.* All contracts entered into by the office of the state treasurer in
10 effect on the effective date of this paragraph that are primarily related to the state
11 treasurer's performance of duties under section 25.50, 2009 stats., as determined by
12 the secretary of administration, remain in effect and are transferred to the
13 department of administration. The department of administration shall carry out
14 any obligations under those contracts unless modified or rescinded by the
15 department of administration to the extent allowed under the contract.

16 (f) *Rules and orders.* All rules promulgated by the office of the state treasurer
17 in effect on the effective date of this paragraph that are primarily related to the state
18 treasurer's performance of duties under section 25.50, 2009 stats., as determined by
19 the secretary of administration, remain in effect until their specified expiration dates
20 or until amended or repealed by the department of administration. All orders issued
21 by the office of the state treasurer in effect on the effective date of this paragraph that
22 are primarily related to the state treasurer's performance of duties under section
23 25.50, 2009 stats., as determined by the secretary of administration, remain in effect
24 until their specified expiration dates or until modified or rescinded by the
25 department of administration.

1 (3) TRANSFER OF MANAGEMENT SERVICE FUNCTIONS TO DEPARTMENT OF
2 ADMINISTRATION.

3 (a) *Assets and liabilities.* On the effective date of this paragraph, the assets and
4 liabilities of the office of the state treasurer that are primarily related to
5 management services, as determined by the secretary of administration, shall
6 become the assets and liabilities of the department of administration.

7 (b) *Tangible personal property.* On the effective date of this paragraph, all
8 tangible personal property, including records, of the office of the state treasurer that
9 are primarily related to management services, as determined by the secretary of
10 administration, shall become the tangible personal property of the department of
11 administration.

12 (c) *Contracts.* All contracts entered into by the office of the state treasurer in
13 effect on the effective date of this paragraph that are primarily related to
14 management services, as determined by the secretary of administration, remain in
15 effect and are transferred to the department of administration. The department of
16 administration shall carry out any obligations under such a contract until the
17 contract is modified or rescinded by the department of administration to the extent
18 allowed under the contract.

19 (d) *Rules and orders.* All rules promulgated by the office of the state treasurer
20 in effect on the effective date of this paragraph that are primarily related to
21 management services, as determined by the secretary of administration, remain in
22 effect until their specified expiration date or until amended or repealed by the
23 department of administration. All orders issued by the office of the state treasurer
24 in effect on the effective date of this paragraph that are primarily related to
25 management services, as determined by the secretary of administration, remain in

1 effect until their specified expiration date or until modified or rescinded by the
2 department of administration.

3 (e) *Pending matters.* Any matter pending with the office of the state treasurer
4 on the effective date of this paragraph that is primarily related to management
5 services, as determined by the secretary of administration, is transferred to the
6 department of administration and all materials submitted to or actions taken by the
7 office of the state treasurer with respect to the pending matter are considered as
8 having been submitted to or taken by the department of administration.

9 **SECTION 9152. Nonstatutory provisions; University of Wisconsin**
10 **System.**

11 (1c) SUPPLEMENTAL PAY PLANS DURING 2011-13 FISCAL BIENNIUM.

12 (a) *Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System.* During the 2011-13
13 fiscal biennium, the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System may
14 provide supplemental pay plans for all of its employees, other than employees
15 assigned to the University of Wisconsin-Madison. The supplemental pay plans shall
16 be in addition to any pay plan approved under section 230.12 (3) (e) 1. of the statutes.
17 The board shall submit the plans to the joint committee on employment relations,
18 and the plans may be implemented only upon approval of the committee. The board
19 may not request supplemental funding under section 20.928 of the statutes to pay
20 the costs of these plans and the board, under section 16.42 of the statutes, may not
21 request any funding of increases in salary and fringe benefit costs provided in these
22 plans.

23 (b) *Chancellor of the University of Wisconsin-Madison.* During the 2011-13
24 fiscal biennium, the chancellor of the University of Wisconsin-Madison may provide
25 supplemental pay plans for all employees assigned to the University of

1 Wisconsin-Madison. The supplemental pay plans shall be in addition to any pay
2 plan approved under section 230.12 (3) (e) 1. of the statutes. The chancellor shall
3 submit the plans to the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System. If
4 the board approves the plans, the chancellor shall submit the plans to the joint
5 committee on employment relations and the plans may be implemented only upon
6 approval of the committee. The board may not request supplemental funding under
7 section 20.928 of the statutes to pay the costs of these plans and the board, under
8 section 16.42 of the statutes, may not request any funding of increases in salary and
9 fringe benefit costs provided in these plans.

10 (1gc) INTERIM BIDDING PROCEDURES PENDING IMPLEMENTATION OF PROCEDURES.
11 Notwithstanding sections 16.855 (23) and s. 36.11 (53) of the statutes, as created by
12 this act, all construction work for each project that is constructed by or for the
13 University of Wisconsin System that is exempted from compliance with the
14 provisions of section 16.855 of the statutes under this act shall remain subject to the
15 provisions of section 16.855 of the statutes until the procedures required under
16 section 36.11 (53) of the statutes, as created by this act, become effective.

17 (1pc) TUITION.

18 (a) Notwithstanding section 36.27 (1) of the statutes, the Board of Regents of
19 the University of Wisconsin System may not charge resident undergraduates
20 enrolled in the 2011-12 or 2012-13 academic year academic fees that are more than
21 5.5 percent greater than the academic fees charged resident undergraduates in the
22 previous academic year.

23 (b) The limit under paragraph (a) does not apply to differential tuition
24 approved by the Board of Regents before June 1, 2011.

25 (1tc) STUDY.

1 (a) In this subsection:

2 1. "Board" means the Board of Regents of the system.

3 2. "System" means the University of Wisconsin System.

4 (b) There is created a Special Task Force on UW Restructuring and Operational
5 Flexibilities to study the system. The task force shall consist of the following
6 members:

7 1. Six members appointed by the speaker of the assembly, including 3 business
8 or public leaders, 2 current or former system chancellors or board members, and one
9 member of the assembly.

10 2. Six members appointed by the senate majority leader, including 3 business
11 or public leaders, 2 current or former system chancellors, or board members, and one
12 member of the senate.

13 3. One member of the senate appointed by the senate minority leader and one
14 member of the assembly appointed by the minority leader in the assembly.

15 4. Two members appointed by the governor.

16 5. One member appointed by the cochairpersons of the joint committee on
17 finance.

18 (c) The member appointed under paragraph (b) 5. shall serve as chairperson
19 of the task force. The president of the system, the secretary of administration, and
20 the legislative fiscal bureau shall provide staff services for the task force.

21 (d) In conducting its study, the task force shall address the following issues:

22 1. Whether there is a need to restructure the system and make
23 recommendations as to a new governance structure.

1 2. How system employees and those system employees assigned to the
2 University of Wisconsin-Madison would transition from the state personnel system
3 to the new personnel systems.

4 3. Whether tuition flexibility can be extended to the system while ensuring
5 access and affordability, and what role the legislature should have in establishing
6 tuition.

7 4. How compensation plans for system employees should be determined in
8 future biennia.

9 5. Additional operational flexibilities that could be provided to system
10 institutions.

11 6. How articulation and the transfer of credits between system institutions
12 could be improved.

13 (e) By January 1, 2012, the task force shall submit its report to the appropriate
14 standing committees of the legislature, as determined by the speaker of the assembly
15 and the president of the senate, in the manner provided under section 13.172 (3) of
16 the statutes, and to the joint committee on finance.

17 (f) Section 15.04 (1) (c) of the statutes applies to the task force as if it were a
18 committee created under that paragraph. Task force expenses shall be paid from the
19 appropriation under section 20.855 (7) (a) of the statutes, as created by this act.

20 (2c) The legislative audit bureau shall prepare a financial and performance
21 evaluation audit of the use of broadband services by the Board of Regents of the
22 University of Wisconsin System and the board's relationship with Wisconsin's
23 Research and Education Network, known as WiscNet. The audit shall examine
24 issues of statutory compliance, competition, cost shifting, financing, collaboration,
25 and access when considering the current structure and possible recommendations