

2013 Assembly Bill 260 (LRB -0714)

An Act to amend 39.435 (2) of the statutes; relating to: enrollment requirements for recipients of talent incentive grants. (FE)

2013

- 07-02. A. Introduced by Representatives **Ballweg, Berceau, Brooks, Czaja, Hebl, Jacque, Kahl, T. Larson, Milroy, Nass, A. Ott, Schraa, Sinicki, Stone and C. Taylor**; cosponsored by Senators **Risser, Olsen, Erpenbach, Lassa and Lehman.** ..... 271
- 07-02. A. Read first time and referred to Committee on Colleges and Universities ..... 271
- 07-19. A. Fiscal estimate received
- 08-15. A. Public hearing held
- 10-10. A. Executive action taken
- 10-22. A. Report passage recommended by Committee on Colleges and Universities, Ayes 12, Noes 0 ..... 381
- 10-22. A. Referred to Committee on Rules ..... 381

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- 02-18. A. Placed on calendar 2-20-2014 by Committee on Rules
- 02-20. A. Representative Barca added as a coauthor ..... 686
- 02-20. A. Read a second time ..... 686
- 02-20. A. Ordered to a third reading ..... 686
- 02-20. A. Rules suspended ..... 686
- 02-20. A. Read a third time and **passed** ..... 686
- 02-20. A. Ordered immediately messaged ..... 686
- 02-21. S. Received from Assembly ..... 706
- 02-24. S. Read first time and referred to committee on Senate Organization ..... 710
- 02-24. S. Available for scheduling
- 03-31. S. Public hearing requirement waived by committee on Senate Organization, pursuant to Senate Rule 18 (1m), Ayes 5, Noes 0 ..... 821
- 03-31. S. Placed on calendar 4-1-2014 pursuant to Senate Rule 18(1) ..... 822
- 04-01. S. Senator Carpenter added as a cosponsor
- 04-01. S. Read a second time
- 04-01. S. Ordered to a third reading
- 04-01. S. Rules suspended
- 04-01. S. Read a third time and **concurred in**
- 04-01. S. Ordered immediately messaged
- 04-02. A. Received from Senate concurred in

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**ADOPTED DOCUMENTS:**

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**Amendments to above (if none, write "NONE"):** None

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**Date**

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## 2013 ASSEMBLY BILL 260

July 2, 2013 – Introduced by Representatives BALLWEG, BERCEAU, BROOKS, CZAJA, HEBL, JACQUE, KAHL, T. LARSON, MILROY, NASS, A. OTT, SCHRAA, SINICKI, STONE and C. TAYLOR, cosponsored by Senators RISSER, OLSEN, ERPENBACH, LASSA and LEHMAN. Referred to Committee on Colleges and Universities.

1     **AN ACT** *to amend* 39.435 (2) of the statutes; **relating to:** enrollment  
2           requirements for recipients of talent incentive grants.

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### *Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

Under current law, the Higher Educational Aids Board (HEAB) awards talent incentive grants to uniquely needy students enrolled at public and private nonprofit institutions of higher education in this state. Currently, HEAB may not award a talent incentive grant to the same student for more than ten consecutive semesters. In addition, under administrative rules promulgated by HEAB, a student must maintain continuous enrollment to remain eligible for a talent incentive grant.

This bill provides that a student need not maintain continuous enrollment to remain eligible for a talent incentive grant. Under the bill, HEAB may award a talent incentive grant to the same student for up to ten semesters, whether or not consecutive, but may not award a talent incentive grant to the same student more than six years after the initial grant is awarded to that student.

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

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

3           **SECTION 1.** 39.435 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

**ASSEMBLY BILL 260****SECTION 1**

1           39.435 (2) The board shall award talent incentive grants to uniquely needy  
2 students enrolled at least half-time as first-time freshmen at public and private  
3 nonprofit institutions of higher education located in this state and to sophomores,  
4 juniors, and seniors who received such grants as freshmen. No grant under this  
5 subsection may exceed \$1,800 for any academic year. The board may not award a  
6 grant under this subsection to the same student for ~~more than 10 consecutive~~ up to  
7 10 semesters or their equivalent, but may not award such a grant to the same student  
8 more than 6 years after the initial grant is awarded to that student. A student need  
9 not maintain continuous enrollment at an institution of higher education to remain  
10 eligible for a grant under this subsection. The board shall promulgate rules  
11 establishing eligibility criteria for grants under this subsection.

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