

WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

2013 Wisconsin Act 190 [2013 Assembly Bill 805]

Nonprofit Organization Grant Program Administered by Department of Veterans Affairs

2013 Wisconsin Act 190 creates a new grant program administered by the Department of Veterans Affairs (DVA). Under the program, DVA may make up to a total of \$250,000 in grants to nonprofit organizations that provide financial assistance or other services to veterans and their families. The Act establishes a cap on grants, such that the maximum amount that may granted to a nonprofit organization per fiscal year is \$25,000.

The Act authorizes DVA to promulgate emergency rules implementing the new grant program. Under the Act, statutory authority for the grant program will expire on July 1, 2015.

In addition, the Act establishes new, general recordkeeping and audit requirements applicable to DVA.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature's Web site at: <u>http://www.legis.wisconsin.gov</u>.