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Pre Topic:

No specific pre topic given

Topic:

School district caps in the statewide parental choice program

Instructions:

Allow pupils who participated in the parental choice program in the previous year to attend a private school in the choice program even if the pupil's resident school district exceeds its cap.

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PRELIMINARY DRAFT - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION

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- 1 AN ACT ...; relating to: the pupil participation limit in the statewide parental
- 2 choice program.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

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History: 2015 a. 55.

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14 year.

15 b. 2. The department determines that the total number of applications from
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17 school district's pupil participation limit.

18 c. 3. The pupil's application to attend a private school under this section was not
19 ~~selected~~ ^{accepted} under the random process utilized by department or the private school,
20 whichever is applicable. ^{the}

21 d. 4. The private school to which the pupil applied to attend under this section has
22 not exceeded its maximum general capacity or seating capacity.

23 **SECTION 3. Initial applicability.**

Knepp, Fern

From: Soper, John
Sent: Monday, August 03, 2015 4:34 PM
To: Knepp, Fern
Cc: Pertl, John J - DPI
Subject: LRB 2825

Fern,

Go ahead and give me a /P2 on this bill making the following 2 changes (which DPI told you about on Friday).

- 1) Delete "or the private school, whichever is applicable" from p.2 lines 19-20.
- 2) Change "in" to "for" on p.3 line 2.

Thank you.

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statewide parental choice program ^{for} ~~in~~ the 2015-16 school year.

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(END)

Knepp, Fern

From: Soper, John
Sent: Monday, August 31, 2015 9:51 AM
To: Knepp, Fern
Subject: LRB 2825/P2

Fern,

Please turn LRB 2825/P2 into a /1 and send me the jacket. Thank you.

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23 (1) This act first applies to pupils applying to attend a private school under the
24 statewide parental choice program for the 2015–16 school year.

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(END)

Kuczenski, Tracy

From: Collins, Tricia DPI <Tricia.Collins@dpi.wi.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, September 01, 2015 1:13 PM
To: Kuczenski, Tracy
Cc: Pettack, Deanna L - DPI; Pertl, Jeff DPI; Soper, John
Subject: WPCP Language

Hi Tracy,

I was asked to send you suggested language for LRB draft 2825/1 to clarify that the exception to the 1% would not apply to students that participated in the Racine parental choice program in the prior year.

Here is my suggestion:

Delete lines 13 and 14 and insert the following:

The pupil attended a private school under sec. 118.60(2)(bm) in the previous school year.

Please let me know if you have any questions. Thanks, Tricia

Tricia Collins, Director
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24 statewide parental choice program for the 2015–16 school year.

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