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**Topic:**

Independent charter school payments

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Biennial Budget: 2015-17

DOA Tracking Code: BB0446

Topic: Choice and Charter Per Pupil Payments

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Agency Acronym: DPI

Agency Number: 255

Priority: High

Intent:

Maintain the 2014-15 per pupil payments for the parental choice program under ss. 118.60(4)(bg)2 and 119.23(4)(bg)2 for the 2015-16 and 2016-17 school years. Delay the provision under ss. 118.60(4)(bg)3. and 119.23(4)(bg)3. until the 2017-18 school year.

Maintain the 2014-15 per pupil payments for independent charter schools under s. 118.40(2r)(e)2n. for the 2015-16 and 2016-17 school years. Delay the provision under s. 118.40(2r)(e)2p. until the 2017-18 school year.

Attachments: False

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PRIMARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION ✓ CS ✓

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1 AN ACT ...; relating to: the budget. (al)

*Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

Under current law, in the 2014-15 school year, DPI pays a private school for a pupil attending the school under a parent choice program (PCP) the lesser of (a) the private school's operating and debt service cost per pupil that is related to educational programming or (b) \$7,210, if the pupil is in kindergarten to grade eight, or \$7,856, if the pupil is in grade 9 to 12. Beginning in the 2015-16 school year, under current law, the maximum amount DPI pays to a participating private school for each pupil attending the school under a PCP is the maximum per pupil amount paid in the previous year plus the amount of any increase in the per pupil revenue limit adjustment from the previous year and the amount of any increase in the statewide categorical aid per pupil amount (per pupil payment adjustment).

Under current law, in the 2014-15 school year, DPI pays the operator of an independent charter school \$8,075 for each pupil attending the school. Beginning in the 2015-16 school year, for each pupil attending an independent charter school DPI pays the per pupil amount in the previous school year plus the per pupil payment adjustment.

Under the bill, DPI will not begin applying the per pupil payment adjustment to per pupil payments made to participating private schools or to operators of independent charter schools until the 2017-18 school year. In the 2015-16 and 2016-17 school years, the amount of the per pupil payments paid to participating

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private schools and to operators of independent charter schools is same as in the 2014-15 school year.

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

1 SECTION 1. 118.40 (2r) (e) 2n. of the statutes is amended to read:

2 118.40 (2r) (e) 2n. In the 2014-15, 2015-16, and 2016-17 school year years,  
3 from the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (fm), the department shall pay to the  
4 operator of the charter school an amount equal to \$8,075 multiplied by the number  
5 of pupils attending the charter school.

History: 1993 a. 16, 490; 1995 a. 27 ss. 3983m to 3992m, 9145 (1); 1997 a. 27, 238, 252; 1999 a. 9; 1999 a. 150 s. 672; 2001 a. 16, 105; 2003 a. 33, 156; 2005 a. 25, 111, 346; 2007 a. 222; 2009 a. 28, 61, 276; 2011 a. 10, 32, 105; 2013 a. 20; 2013 a. 173 s. 33; 2013 a. 257.

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11 the amount of the per pupil revenue limit adjustment under s. 121.91 (2m) for the  
12 current school year, if positive; and the change in the amount of statewide categorical  
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15 SECTION 3. 118.60 (4) (bg) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

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18 of the pupil's enrollment in the private school during a school term, the state  
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20 of the pupil's parent or guardian, from the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (fr), the

1 lesser of an amount equal to the private school's operating and debt service cost per  
2 pupil that is related to educational programming, as determined by the department,  
3 or an amount either of \$7,210, if the pupil is enrolled in a grade from kindergarten  
4 to 8, or of \$7,856, if the pupil is enrolled in a grade from 9 to 12.

**History:** 2011 a. 32, 47, 215; 2013 a. 20, 2013 a. 166 s. 77; 2013 a. 173 s. 33; 2013 a. 237, 256.

**History:** When the department publicly releases data related to enrollment of, standardized test results for, applications submitted by, waiting lists for pupils participating in or seeking to participate in the program under this section, release the data all at the same time, uniformly, and completely.

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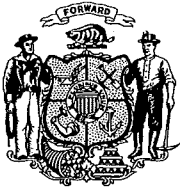


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