

**2015 Assembly Bill 824 (LRB -4379)**

An Act to amend 115.436 (2) (a) and 115.436 (3) (a); and to create 115.436 (3) (c) of the statutes; relating to: sparsity aid.

**2016**

01-29.	A.	Introduced by Representatives <b>Mursau</b> and <b>Petryk</b> ; cosponsored by Senators <b>Tiffany</b> and <b>Vinehout</b> .	551
01-29.	A.	Read first time and referred to Committee on Education	551
02-04.	A.	Public hearing held	
02-10.	A.	Executive action taken	
02-12.	A.	Report passage recommended by Committee on Education, Ayes 16, Noes 0	645
02-12.	A.	Referred to committee on Rules	645
02-16.	A.	Made a special order of business at 1:59 PM on 2-18-2016 pursuant to Assembly Resolution 29	692
02-18.	A.	Read a second time	731
02-18.	A.	Ordered to a third reading	731
02-18.	A.	Rules suspended	731
02-18.	A.	Read a third time and <b>passed</b>	731
02-18.	A.	Ordered immediately messaged	731
02-18.	S.	Received from Assembly	760
02-23.	S.	Read first time and referred to committee on Education	769
03-03.	S.	Public hearing held	
03-08.	S.	Executive action taken	
03-08.	S.	Report concurrence recommended by Committee on Education, Ayes 7, Noes 0	794
03-08.	S.	Available for scheduling	
03-14.	S.	Placed on calendar 3-15-2016 pursuant to Senate Rule 18(1)	
03-15.	S.	Read a second time	
03-15.	S.	Ordered to a third reading	
03-15.	S.	Rules suspended	
03-15.	S.	Read a third time and <b>concurred in</b>	
03-15.	S.	Senator L. Taylor added as a cosponsor	
03-15.	S.	Ordered immediately messaged	
03-16.	A.	Received from Senate concurred in	

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**ADOPTED DOCUMENTS:**

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

Corrections - show date (if none, write "NONE"): None

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January 29, 2016 – Introduced by Representatives MURSAU and PETRYK, cosponsored by Senators TIFFANY and VINEHOUT. Referred to Committee on Education.

- 1     **AN ACT** *to amend* 115.436 (2) (a) and 115.436 (3) (a); and *to create* 115.436 (3)  
2           (c) of the statutes; **relating to:** sparsity aid.

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***Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau***

This bill authorizes the Department of Public Instruction to pay unexpended sparsity aid to a school district that qualified for sparsity aid in the previous school year but, because of an increase in the school district's membership, does not qualify in the current school year. Current law permits the department to award up to \$300 in sparsity aid per pupil to a school district that has a membership of up to 725 pupils if the school district's membership divided by the school district's area in square miles is less than ten. The bill also changes the membership cap of the school district to 745 pupils beginning in the 2016–17 school year.

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

- 3           **SECTION 1.** 115.436 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:  
4           115.436 (2) (a) The school district's membership in the previous school year was  
5           no more than ~~725~~ 745.  
6           **SECTION 2.** 115.436 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

