AN ACT relating to: the apprenticeship completion award program and making an appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill increases the amount appropriated to the Department of Workforce Development for the apprenticeship completion award program by $150,000 in fiscal year 2016–17. Currently, $225,000 is appropriated in that fiscal year for that program, which reimburses apprentices and their sponsors for up to 25 percent of the tuition costs incurred for instruction related to the apprenticeship or $1,000, whichever is less.

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

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

SECTION 1. Fiscal changes.

(1) Apprenticeship completion award program. In the schedule under section 20.005 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation to the department of workforce development under section 20.445 (1) (d) of the statutes, as affected by the acts of
2015, the dollar amount for fiscal year 2016–17 is increased by $150,000 for the purpose for which the appropriation is made.

(END)