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### Knepp, Fern

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Knepp, Fern

Subject:

2015 SB 494

**Attachments:** 

sb494.pdf

Hi Fern-

Hope all is well with you! Sorry for how many bills we have been requesting lately, but I have one more. Senator Olsen would like to redraft this bill we had last session. Let me know if you have any questions!

Thanks,

#### Jenna Zantow

Chief of Staff Office of Senator Luther Olsen 608.266.0751



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## State of Misconsin 2015 - 2016 LEGISLATURE

7019-291

**2015 SENATÉ BILL 494** 

January 4, 2016 - Introduced by Senator Olsen, cosponsored by Representative KNUDSON. Referred to Committee on Education.

AN ACT to amend 118.194 (1) (b) and 118.194 (2) of the statutes; relating to: an

initial teaching license based on completion of a Montessori teacher education program.

### Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill expands the teacher education programs that satisfy a requirement for obtaining an initial teaching license under the alternative teacher licensure path described below to include teacher education programs approved by the Association Montessori Internationale.

2015 Wisconsin Act 55 created an alternative teacher licensure path for an individual who satisfies the following requirements:

- 1. The individual has a bachelor's degree. ✓
- The individual successfully completed a teacher education program accredited by the Montessori Accreditation Council for Teacher Education.
- 3. The individual successfully completed a three-credit introductory course in special education.
- 4. The individual received a passing score on any standardized examination the Department of Public Instruction requires to obtain an equivalent license under the traditional licensing path and the Foundations of Reading test.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do

#### **SENATE BILL 494**

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**SECTION 1.** 118.194 (1) (b) of the statutes as created by 2015 Wisconsin Act 55, is amended to read:

118.194 (1) (b) Successfully completed a teacher education program accredited by the Montessori Accreditation Council for Teacher Education or approved by the Association Montessori Internationale.

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SECTION 2. 118.194 (2) of the statutes, as created by 2015 Wisconsin Act 55, is amended to read:

118.194 (2) A license under sub. (1) authorizes an individual to teach the educational levels for which the individual has successfully completed a teacher education program accredited by the Montessori Accreditation Council for Teacher Education described in sub. (1) (b) at a school that uses the Montessori method as its primary method of instruction. The department shall treat an initial license to teach granted under sub. (1) in the same manner the state superintendent treats an initial license to teach granted in accordance with s. 118.19.

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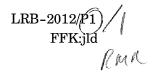
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## State of Misconsin 2017 - 2018 LEGISLATURE

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# PRELIMINARY DRAFT - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION

AN ACT to amend 118.194 (1) (b) and 118.194 (2) of the statutes; relating to:
an initial teaching license based on completion of a Montessori teacher
education program.

## Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill expands the teacher education programs that satisfy a requirement for obtaining an initial teaching license under the alternative teacher licensure path described below to include teacher education programs approved by the Association Montessori Internationale.

Under current law, the Department of Public Instruction must issue an initial license to teach to an individual who satisfies the following requirements:

- 1. The individual has a bachelor's degree.
- 2. The individual successfully completed a teacher education program accredited by the Montessori Accreditation Council for Teacher Education.
- 3. The individual successfully completed a three-credit introductory course in special education.
- 4. The individual received a passing score on any standardized examination DPI requires to obtain an equivalent license under the traditional licensing path and the Foundations of Reading test.

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

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1	<b>Section 1.</b> 118.194 (1) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:
2	118.194 (1) (b) Successfully completed a teacher education program accredited
3	by the Montessori Accreditation Council for Teacher Education or approved by the
4	Association Montessori Internationale.
5	<b>Section 2.</b> 118.194 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:
6	118.194 (2) A license under sub. (1) authorizes an individual to teach the
7	educational levels for which the individual has successfully completed a teacher
8	education program accredited by the Montessori Accreditation Council for Teacher
9	Education described in sub. (1) (b) at a school that uses the Montessori method as its
10	primary method of instruction. The department shall treat an initial license to teach
11	granted under sub. $(1)$ in the same manner the state superintendent treats an initial
12	license to teach granted in accordance with s. 118.19.

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