



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

2017 Wisconsin Act 354
[2017 Assembly Bill 617]

**Supervised Business Initiatives
Program**

2017 Wisconsin Act 354 repeals the requirement for the Department of Workforce Development (DWD) to provide vocational rehabilitation services, including vocational training and a Supervised Business Initiatives program, to participants with severe disabilities. Although it provides the relevant services to participants with severe disabilities, DWD's Division of Vocational Rehabilitation has never established a formal Supervised Business Initiatives program, and the department has determined that doing so is unnecessary.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature's Web site at: <http://www.legis.wisconsin.gov>.