



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

2017 Senate Bill 407	Senate Amendment 1
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2017 SENATE BILL 407

2017 Senate Bill 407 requires the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin (UW) System (the Board) to establish policies for the transfer of postsecondary credits between institutions within the UW System, including those postsecondary credits earned by high school pupils under the Youth Options Program under s. 118.55, Stats. If the board determines that credits earned under the Youth Options Program are not transferable, the bill requires the Board to permit an individual to take an examination to determine the individual's competency in the subject area of the course and, if the individual receives a passing score, award equivalent credits to the individual.

The bill also requires the Board to establish policies determining which courses will be transferable between and within institutions without loss of credit toward graduation or toward completion of a specific course of study.

SENATE AMENDMENT 1

Senate Amendment 1 eliminates the provision of the bill that requires the Board to establish policies determining which courses will be transferable between and within institutions without loss of credit toward graduation or toward completion of a specific course of study.

BILL HISTORY

Senate Amendment 1 was adopted and Senate Bill 407 was passed, as amended, by unanimous votes of the Senate on October 31, 2017.

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