2017 ASSEMBLY BILL 71

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AN ACT to create 115.28 (63) of the statutes; relating to: an inventory of pupil data.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill is explained in the NOTES provided by the Joint Legislative Council in the bill.

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

JOINT LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL PREFATORY NOTE: This bill was prepared for the Joint Legislative Council Study Committee on School Data. The bill requires the State Superintendent of Public Instruction to create, maintain, and post a pupil data inventory on the Department of Public Instruction (DPI) website. The inventory must include every distinct type of pupil data collected by DPI from schools and school districts, a definition of the type of pupil data collected, the purpose for collecting the pupil data, and the state or federal law requiring collection of the pupil data. The data inventory must also be updated each time DPI begins collecting an additional type of pupil data, modifies its collection of pupil data, or stops collecting a type of pupil data.

SECTION 1. 115.28 (63) of the statutes is created to read:

115.28 (63) PUPIL DATA INVENTORY. (a) Create, maintain, and post on the department’s Internet site in a prominent or easy-to-locate location an inventory of
every distinct type of pupil data, as defined in s. 115.285 (1) (b), that the department
collects in a uniform manner from schools and school districts. For each type of pupil
data included in the inventory, the state superintendent shall include all of the
following information:

   NOTE: This paragraph includes a cross-reference to the definition of “pupil data”
created in LRB-0445. In the event this bill is not combined with LRB-0445, the
cross-reference in this paragraph will be replaced with a definition of pupil data that is
identical to the definition created in LRB-0445.

1. A definition of the type of pupil data being collected.

2. The purpose for which the department collects the pupil data.

3. If the pupil data is required to be collected under state or federal law, a
citation to the specific provision of state or federal law that requires the department
to collect the pupil data.

(b) Update the inventory posted under par. (a) each time the department begins
collecting an additional type of pupil data, modifies its collection of pupil data in a
manner that makes information included in the inventory incorrect, or stops
collecting a type of pupil data included in the inventory. If the state superintendent
updates the inventory to include an additional type of pupil data collected by the
department, for a period of at least 12 months immediately following the update, the
state superintendent shall indicate on the inventory that the type of pupil data was
added under this paragraph.

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