

### Fiscal Estimate - 2019 Session

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<b>LRB Number</b> <b>19-1673/1</b>	<b>Introduction Number</b> <b>AB-0413</b>
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**Description**  
 University of Wisconsin System nonresident tuition exemptions

**Fiscal Effect**

**State:**

<input type="checkbox"/> No State Fiscal Effect	<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues	<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate	<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations		<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs
<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations		
<input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations		

**Local:**

<input type="checkbox"/> No Local Government Costs		
<input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate	5. Types of Local Government Units Affected	
1. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs	3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue	<input type="checkbox"/> Towns <input type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Cities
<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	<input type="checkbox"/> Counties <input type="checkbox"/> Others
2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs	4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue	<input type="checkbox"/> School Districts <input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts
<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	

<b>Fund Sources Affected</b>	<b>Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> GPR <input type="checkbox"/> FED <input type="checkbox"/> PRO <input type="checkbox"/> PRS <input type="checkbox"/> SEG <input type="checkbox"/> SEGS	

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**Fiscal Estimate Narratives**

**UWS 9/21/2019**

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**Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate**

The bill creates a nonresident tuition exemption for an alien who is not a legal permanent resident of the US and who graduated from a Wisconsin high school, was continuously present in Wisconsin for at least 3 years following the first day of attending a Wisconsin high school, and enrolls in a UWS institution and provides an affidavit stating that he or she has filed or will file an application for permanent residency with UW Citizenship and Immigration Services as soon as the person is eligible to do so.

The UW System is not able to determine the fiscal impact of this proposed legislation. Neither the Department of Public Instruction nor the individual school districts has estimates of the number of non-legal residents in the public schools in Wisconsin. Under Plyler v. Doe, public schools and their personnel are prohibited from: requiring students or parents to disclose or document their immigration status; making inquiries of students or parents which may expose their undocumented status; or requiring social security numbers of all students, as it may expose the undocumented status of students or parents.

In addition, even if it were possible to determine the number of non-legal residents attending Wisconsin high schools, and who would meet the other criteria of this proposed legislation, we are not able to ascertain the number of these individuals who would apply and be accepted to UW System institutions.

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications**

Unknown.