Wisconsin Department of Administration Division of Executive Budget and Finance

Fiscal Estimate - 2021 Session

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LRB Number 21-4874/1	Introduction Number AB-0771				
Description funding for chronic wasting disease research and and making an appropriation	I management, technical colleges, and special education aid				
Fiscal Effect					
Appropriations Decrease Existing Appropriations Create New Appropriations Local: No Local Government Costs Indeterminate 1. Increase Costs Permissive Mandatory 2. Decrease Costs 4. Decrease	absorb within agency's budget Yes No Decrease Costs 5.Types of Local Government Units Affected Towns Village Cities Counties Others Ease Revenue School WTCS Districts Districts				
Fund Sources Affected Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations					
GPR FED PRO PRS SEG SEGS s.20.292 (1) (d)					
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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

AB-771 allows the Department of Natural Resources to conduct research on chronic wasting disease (CWD) in cervids, which are any species of deer or elk that is present in the wild and that is not a farm-raised deer. In addition, the bill also appropriates \$1,000,000 from the general fund in FY2021-22 and FY 2022-23 for research on and management of CWD. The bill also increases funding to the Department of Public Instruction for special education aid: \$630,000 in FY2021-22 and \$630,000 in FY2022-23.

AB-771 increases the Wisconsin Technical Colleges System's (WTCS) appropriation 20.292 (1)(d) by \$160,000 in FY2021-22 and by \$160,000 in FY2022-23.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

As a result, the 16 WTCS colleges would, as a whole, receive an annual revenue increase of \$160,000. There are no costs to the WTCS colleges.