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# Wisconsin Legislative Council

## AMENDMENT MEMO

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**2021 Assembly Bill 975**

**Assembly Amendment 1**

### **2021 ASSEMBLY BILL 975**

Current law requires the State Superintendent to grant a substitute teacher permit to a person who has an associate degree, completes substitute teacher training, and passes a background check.

Assembly Bill 975 also requires the State Superintendent to grant a substitute teacher permit to a person who is currently in a teacher training program, if the individual meets certain requirements. A person may receive a substitute teacher permit if he or she is at least 21 years old, is enrolled in a teacher preparatory program, has achieved junior level status, has completed 15 hours of classroom observation, and passes a background check.

### **ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1**

Assembly Amendment 1 changes the age requirement from 21 years of age to 20 years of age.

### **BILL HISTORY**

Assembly Amendment 1 was offered by Representative Thiesfeldt on February 16, 2022. On February 17, 2022, the Assembly Committee on Education voted to adopt the amendment on a vote of Ayes, 9; Noes, 4. The committee then voted to recommend passage of the bill, as amended, on a vote of Ayes; 13; Noes, 0.

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