

## Report From Agency

### FINAL REPORT CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 24-020 CHAPTER PI 40 EARLY COLLEGE CREDIT PROGRAM

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#### Analysis by the Department of Public Instruction

**Statutory authority:** s. 118.55 (9), Wis. Stats.

**Statute interpreted:** s. 118.55, Wis. Stats.

The proposed rule is a technical change to conform ch. PI 40 with the changes to statute as a result of 2021 Wisconsin Act 217. 2021 Wisconsin Act 217 added references to independent charter school governing boards throughout the statutes governing the Early College Credit Program (ECCP), thus permitting students enrolled in independent charter schools to participate in the ECCP in the same manner that private and public-school students may participate. As a result, the proposed rule is intended to align ch. PI 40 with changes in statute by incorporating references to independent charter school governing boards throughout the rule.

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#### *A list of the persons who appeared or registered for or against the proposed rule at a public hearing:*

As provided in s. 227.16 (2) (b), Stats., there is no requirement that a public hearing be held for this rule because the proposed rule brings an existing rule into conformity with a statute that has been changed. However, written comments on the rule were accepted until March 19, 2024, by completing the form on the Legislature's website.

#### *Summary of public comments relative to the rule, the agency's response to those comments, and changes made as a result of those comments:*

No public hearing was held and no comments were received.

#### *Changes to the rule summary or the fiscal estimate:*

No changes were made.

#### *Responses to Clearinghouse Report:*

The changes are accepted.