Clearinghouse Rule 95-201

CERTIFICATE

STATE OF WISCONSIN

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION)

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TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

SS.

I further certify that this copy has been compared by me with the original on file in this Department and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of such original.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Department of Transportation at 4802 Sheboygan Avenue, in the City of Madison, Wisconsin, this <u></u> day of **February**, 1996.

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Secretary

4-1-96

STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY The Wisconsin Department of Transportation adopts an order to amend TRANS ORDER ADOPTING RULE 4.06(4), relating to Urban Mass Transit ORDER ADOPTING RULE Operating Assistance Program. Image: Comparison of the secret addition of the secr

Analysis Prepared by the Wisconsin Department of Transportation

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: ss. 85.16(1) and 85.20(3), Stats. *STATUTE INTERPRETED*: s. 85.20, Stats.

<u>General Summary of Rule</u>. This rule amends ch. Trans 4 to clarify the definition of "required local contribution" as allowing only state transit aid recipients to contribute the minimum 20 percent local share of state aid and to expressly prohibit private transportation providers under contract with the provider from contributing to such local share. The rule is also amended to clarify that the minimum local share applies to the total amount of transit aids provided to the recipient under the State Urban Mass Transit Operating Assistance Program.

Fiscal Impact. The Department estimates that there will be no substantial fiscal impact on the liabilities or revenues of any county, city, village, town, school district, technical college district or sewerage district.

<u>Final Regulatory Flexibility Analysis</u>. This rule should have no significant adverse impact on small businesses.

<u>Copies of Rule and Contact Person</u>. Copies of this rule are available without cost upon request by writing to Dick Martin, or by calling (608) 266-6812. Alternate formats of the rule will be provided to individuals at their request. Hearing-impaired individuals may contact the Department using TDD (608) 266-3351.

TEXT OF RULE

Under the authority vested in the state of Wisconsin, department of transportation,

by ss. 85.16(1) and 85.20(3), Stats., the department of transportation hereby amends ch.

Trans 4, Wisconsin Administrative Code, interpreting s. 85.20, Stats., relating to urban

mass transit operating assistance program.

SECTION 1. Trans 4.06(4) is amended to read:

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Trans 4.06(4) Except as provided in sub. (5), each eligible applicant shall provide a local contribution, exclusive of user fees, toward operating expenses in an amount equal to at least 20% of <u>all</u> state allocations to that applicant under this chapter. No inkind services, federal or state categorical financial aids or passenger revenues are allowed as a part of the local contribution. <u>No part of the local contribution may be paid</u> <u>by a private transportation provider contracting with the applicant public body</u>. The local contribution shall be determined by audit and calculated by subtracting passenger revenues, federal aids and state aids from eligible operating expenses.

(END OF RULE TEXT)

<u>Effective Date</u>. This rule shall take effect on the first day of the month following publication in the Wisconsin Administrative Register as provided in s. 227.22(2), Stats.

Signed at Madison, Wisconsin, this <u>8</u> day of February, 1996.

ARLES H. THOMPSON

Secretary V Wisconsin Department of Transportation



Wisconsin Department of Transportation

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February 9, 1996

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RE: CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 95-201

In the Matter of the Adoption of **TRANS 4**, Wisconsin Administrative Code, relating to **Urban Mass Transit Operating Assistance Program.**

Dear Mr. Poulson:

Enclosed for filing, pursuant to s. 227.20, Wis. Stats., is a certified copy of **CR 95-201**, an administrative rule relating to the above-mentioned matter. This rule is submitted by the Wisconsin Department of Transportation.

Sincerely,

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Julie A. Johnson Paralegal



Enclosures

cc: Ann Agnew Dorothy Kapke Jim McDonnell John Evans Linda Lovejoy Dick Martin