

1983 Assembly Bill 582

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1983 Wisconsin Act 373

AN ACT to amend 118.257 of the statutes, relating to school officials' liability for referring a pupil to the police for suspicion of possession, distribution or consumption of a controlled substance.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. 118.257 of the statutes is amended to read:

**118.257 Liability for referral to police.** (1) In this section, "~~school~~":

(a) "Controlled substance" has the meaning specified in s. 161.01 (4).

(b) "Distribute" has the meaning specified in s. 161.01 (9).

(c) "School" means a public, parochial or private school which provides an educational program for one or more grades between grades 1 and 12 and which is commonly known as an elementary school, middle school, junior high school, senior high school or high school.

(2) A school administrator, principal or teacher employed by a school is not liable solely for referring a pupil of the school to law enforcement authorities, or for removing a pupil from the school premises or from participation in a school-sponsored activity, for suspicion of possession, distribution or consumption of an alcohol beverage or a controlled substance.

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