

1985 Assembly Bill 794

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## 1985 Wisconsin Act 228

AN ACT to repeal 118.30 (7); and to amend 118.30 (3) (a) and 121.02 (1) (s) of the statutes; and to affect laws of 1981, chapter 241, sections 2m and 6, relating to school district achievement testing in reading, language arts and mathematics and eliminating the sunset of the competency testing program.

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

SECTION 1. 118.30 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

118.30 (3) (a) ~~For the 1985-86, 1986-87 and 1987-88 school years, using~~ Using the tests adopted or approved under sub. (2), every school board that is participating in ~~this~~ the minimum competency testing program shall test all of the pupils enrolled in the school district once in grades ~~1, 2, 3 or 4 kindergarten to 5~~, once in grades ~~5, 6, 7 or 8~~ 6 to 8, and once in grades ~~9 or 10 to 11~~ to assess minimum competency in reading, language arts and mathematics, except as provided under par. (b).

SECTION 2. 118.30 (7) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 3. 121.02 (1) (s) of the statutes, as created by 1985 Wisconsin Act 29, is amended to read:

121.02 (1) (s) Using achievement tests that are aligned with the school district's curriculum, test all of the pupils enrolled in the school district in reading, language arts and mathematics at least twice in grades kindergarten to ~~6~~ 5, at least once in grades ~~7 to 9~~ 6 to 8 and at least once in grades ~~10 to 12~~ 9 to 11. This paragraph does not apply to any school district participating in the competency testing program under s. 118.30.

SECTION 4. Laws of 1981, chapter 241, sections 2m and 6 are repealed.

SECTION 5. **Effective dates.** (1) Except as provided in subsection (2), this act takes effect on the day following publication.

(2) The treatment of section 121.02 (1) (s) of the statutes takes effect on September 1, 1988.