



**SENATE AMENDMENT 16,  
TO 1995 ASSEMBLY BILL 591**

March 13, 1996 - Offered by Senators WINEKE and MOORE.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill, as shown by assembly bill 3, as  
2 follows:

3 **1.** Page 3, line 19: delete the material beginning with "applying" and ending  
4 with "age" on line 21, and substitute "repealing the learnfare program".

5 **2.** Page 12, line 3: after that line insert:

6 "SECTION 24m. 20.445 (3) (p), (pm) and (ps) of the statutes, as affected by 1995  
7 Wisconsin Act 27, are amended to read:

8 20.445 (3) (p) *Federal aid; income maintenance payments.* All federal moneys  
9 received for meeting costs of county administered public assistance programs under  
10 subch. III of ch. 49, and the costs of the child and spousal support and establishment  
11 of paternity program under s. 46.25 ~~and the cost of child care and related~~  
12 ~~transportation under s. 49.26 (1) (e).~~ Disbursements under s. 46.03 (20) may be made  
13 from this appropriation. Any disbursement made under this appropriation to carry  
14 out a contract under ss. 46.25 (7) and 59.07 (97) shall be in accordance with the  
15 formula established by the department of health and social services under s. 46.25  
16 (7).

1 (pm) *Employment programs; administration.* All federal moneys received for  
2 the administrative costs associated with the learnfare program under s. 49.26 (1),  
3 the job opportunities and basic skills program under s. 49.193 and the food stamp  
4 employment and training program under s. 49.124 (1m), to carry out those purposes.

5 (ps) *Employment programs; aids.* All federal moneys received for the provision  
6 or purchase of services for the learnfare program under s. 49.26 (1), the job  
7 opportunities and basic skills program under s. 49.193, the parental responsibility  
8 pilot program under s. 49.25 and the food stamp employment and training program  
9 under s. 49.124 (1m), to carry out those purposes.”.

10 **3.** Page 12, line 19: after that line insert:

11 “**SECTION 27w.** 46.215 (1) (j) of the statutes, as affected by 1995 Wisconsin Act  
12 27, is amended to read:

13 46.215 (1) (j) To make payments in such manner as the department of industry,  
14 labor and job development may determine for training of recipients, former  
15 recipients and potential recipients of aid in programs established under ss. s. 49.193  
16 and 49.26 (1).”.

17 **4.** Page 98, line 9: delete that line.

18 **5.** Page 111, line 7: on lines 7 and 8, delete “and under s. 49.26 (1) (e) for  
19 participants in the learnfare program”.

20 **6.** Page 112, line 10: after that line insert:

21 “**SECTION 110m.** 49.193 (2) (b) 2. of the statutes, as affected by 1995 Wisconsin  
22 Act 27, is amended to read:

23 49.193 (2) (b) 2. A custodial parent under the age of 24 who has not graduated  
24 from a public or private high school or obtained a declaration of equivalency of high

1 school graduation under s. 115.29 (4) and who, at the time of application for aid under  
2 s. 49.19, is not enrolled in a public school, as defined in s. 49.26 (1) (a) 2 115.01 (1);  
3 a private school, as defined in s. 115.001 (3r); a technical college pursuant to a written  
4 agreement under s. 118.15 (1) (c) 3.; or a course of study meeting the standards  
5 established by the secretary of education under s. 115.29 (4) for the granting of a  
6 declaration of equivalency of high school graduation.

7 **SECTION 110p.** 49.193 (3m) (c) and (d) of the statutes, as created by 1995  
8 Wisconsin Act 12, are amended to read:

9 49.193 (3m) (c) The department may require any adult applicant for aid under  
10 s. 49.19 to attend one or more orientation sessions offered during the 30-day period  
11 beginning on the date that the caretaker relative applies for aid under s. 49.19.  
12 Orientation sessions offered under this paragraph shall emphasize self-sufficiency  
13 and shall encourage applicants to consider alternatives to aid under s. 49.19. ~~The~~  
14 ~~department may not require an applicant for aid who would be subject to the school~~  
15 ~~attendance requirement under s. 49.50 (7) (g) to attend an orientation session under~~  
16 ~~this paragraph at a time that would conflict with school attendance.~~

17 (d) The department may require any adult applicant for aid under s. 49.19 who  
18 is required to participate in the program under this section to participate in job  
19 search activities under this paragraph. The department may require participation  
20 in not more than 30 days of job search activities under this paragraph. ~~The~~  
21 ~~department may not require an applicant for aid who would be subject to the school~~  
22 ~~attendance requirement under s. 49.50 (7) (g) to participate in any job search activity~~  
23 ~~under this paragraph at a time that would conflict with school attendance.”.~~

24 **7.** Page 115, line 4: delete “or 49.26 (1) (e)”.

1           **8.** Page 118, line 1: delete the material beginning with that line and ending  
2 on page 120, line 24, and substitute:

3           “**SECTION 138b.** 49.26 of the statutes, as affected by 1995 Wisconsin Act 27, is  
4 repealed.”.

5           **9.** Page 121, line 23: after that line insert:

6           “**SECTION 147p.** 49.27 (4) (g) 1. c. and (5) (c) 5. of the statutes, as affected by 1995  
7 Wisconsin Act 27, are repealed.”.

8           **10.** Page 150, line 2: after that line insert:

9           “**SECTION 232m.** 118.15 (5) (a) of the statutes, as affected by 1995 Wisconsin  
10 Act 77, is renumbered 118.15 (5) and amended to read:

11           118.15 (5) ~~Except as provided under par. (b) or if Unless~~ a person has been  
12 found guilty of a misdemeanor under s. 948.45, whoever violates this section may be  
13 fined not more than \$500 or imprisoned for not more than 30 days or both, if evidence  
14 has been provided by the school attendance officer that the activities under s. 118.16  
15 (5) have been completed or were not completed due to the child’s absence from school  
16 as provided in s. 118.16 (5m). In a prosecution under this ~~paragraph~~ subsection, if  
17 the defendant proves that he or she is unable to comply with the law because of the  
18 disobedience of the child, the action shall be dismissed and the child shall be referred  
19 to the court assigned to exercise jurisdiction under ch. 48.

20           **SECTION 232n.** 118.15 (5) (b) of the statutes, as affected by 1995 Wisconsin Act  
21 27, is repealed.

22           **SECTION 232p.** 118.16 (2m) (a) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

23           118.16 (2m) (a) 2. An employe of the school district who is directly involved in  
24 the provision of a modified program or curriculum under s. 118.15 (1) (d), a program

1 for children at risk under s. 118.153 or ~~an alternative educational program under s.~~  
2 ~~119.82~~ or any other alternative educational program to children who attend the  
3 school attended by the truant child, if the school district administrator believes that  
4 the program or curriculum may be appropriate for the truant child.”.

5 **11.** Page 150, line 3: delete lines 3 to 6 and substitute:

6 “**SECTION 233b.** 119.82 of the statutes, as affected by 1995 Wisconsin Act 27,  
7 is repealed.”.

8 **12.** Page 170, line 25: after that line insert:

9 “**SECTION 274c.** 948.45 (1) of the statutes, as affected by 1995 Wisconsin Act 27,  
10 is amended to read:

11 948.45 (1) ~~Except as provided in sub. (2), any~~ Any person 17 years of age or older  
12 who, by any act or omission, knowingly encourages or contributes to the truancy, as  
13 defined under s. 118.16 (1) (c), of a person 17 years of age or younger is guilty of a  
14 Class C misdemeanor.

15 **SECTION 274d.** 948.45 (2) of the statutes, as affected by 1995 Wisconsin Act 27,  
16 is repealed.”.

17 **13.** Page 174, line 2: after that line insert:

18 “**SECTION 277c. Appropriation changes; education.**

19 (1) ELIMINATION OF ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION FOR LEARNFARE PUPILS. In the  
20 schedule under section 20.005 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation to the  
21 department of education under section 20.255 (2) (ec) of the statutes, as affected by  
22 the acts of 1995, the dollar amount is decreased by \$500,000 for fiscal year 1996-97  
23 to reflect the elimination of alternative education for learnfare pupils.

1           **SECTION 277f. Appropriation changes; industry, labor and job**  
2           **development.**

3           (1g) **ELIMINATION OF LEARNFARE.** (a) In the schedule under section 20.005 (3) of  
4 the statutes for the appropriation to the department of industry, labor and job  
5 development under section 20.445 (3) (a) of the statutes, as affected by the acts of  
6 1995, the dollar amount is decreased by \$52,000 to reflect the elimination of the  
7 learnfare program.

8           (b) In the schedule under section 20.005 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation  
9 to the department of industry, labor and job development under section 20.445 (3)  
10 (de) of the statutes, as affected by the acts of 1995, the dollar amount is decreased  
11 by \$3,279,500 to reflect the elimination of the learnfare program.”.

12                           **(END)**