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## 2025 ASSEMBLY BILL 307

June 6, 2025 - Introduced by Representatives Phelps, Andraca, Anderson, Arney, Brown, Clancy, Cruz, DeSanto, DeSmidt, Emerson, Fitzgerald, Hong, Hysell, Joers, Johnson, Kirsch, Madison, McCarville, McGuire, Miresse, Moore Omokunde, Neubauer, Palmeri, Rivera-Wagner, Roe, Sheehan, Snodgrass, Spaude, Stroud, Subeck, Tenorio and Vining, cosponsored by Senators Roys, Larson, Dassler-Alfheim, Keyeski, Pfaff, Ratcliff, Smith, Spreitzer and Wirch. Referred to Committee on Education.

- 1 **AN ACT** to repeal 118.60 (2) (be) 1. a. and 118.60 (2) (be) 3.; to amend 118.60
- 2 (2) (be) 1. c. and 118.60 (2) (be) 2. of the statutes; **relating to:** the pupil participation limit in the state parental choice program.

## Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Current law limits the percentage of pupils in each school district who may attend a private school under the statewide parental choice program. The pupil participation limit started in the 2015-16 school year at 1 percent of a school district's membership and increased gradually to 10 percent of a school district's membership in the 2025-26 school year. Under current law, the pupil participation limit sunsets after the 2025-26 school year. This bill repeals the sunset and continues the pupil participation limit at 10 percent of a school district's membership.

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

- 4 **SECTION 1.** 118.60 (2) (be) 1. a. of the statutes is repealed.
- **SECTION 2.** 118.60 (2) (be) 1. c. of the statutes is amended to read:

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118.60 ( <b>2</b> ) (be) 1. c.	"Pupil participation	limit" mean	s a school	district's
membership in the previous	s school year multiplie	d by <del>the appl</del>	icable perco	entage for
the current school year <u>0.1</u> .				

**SECTION 3.** 118.60 (2) (be) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

118.60 (2) (be) 2. Except as provided in subd. 2m., beginning with the 2015-16 school year and ending with the 2025-26 school year, the total number of pupils residing in a school district, other than an eligible school district or a 1st class city school district, who may attend a private school under this section during a school year may not exceed the school district's pupil participation limit for that school year.

**SECTION 4.** 118.60 (2) (be) 3. of the statutes is repealed.

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