

Assembly Bill 953

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CHAPTER 165

AN ACT to create 20.830 (8) of the statutes, relating to the location of the proposed proton accelerator in Wisconsin and making an appropriation.

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

SECTION 1. It is the intent of the legislature by this act to formally demonstrate to the United States Atomic Energy Commission the unified commitment of the citizens of Wisconsin to the location of the proposed 200 BEV accelerator in Wisconsin. Earlier this legislature has, by joint resolution, expressed its wholehearted intent to enact a sum sufficient appropriation for the purchase of a site and construction of suitable auxiliary facilities if the accelerator is located in Wisconsin. Now, this act makes such an appropriation in whatever amount of moneys are needed for such purposes, and authorizes the University of Wisconsin to expend funds from this appropriation at such time as Wisconsin has been designated as the site of the accelerator, inasmuch as the operation of such facility in Wisconsin will directly promote and implement the program of the university in the field of advanced scientific research and study.

SECTION 2. 20.830 (8) of the statutes is created to read:

20.830 (8) ACCELERATOR SITE ACQUISITION AND AUXILIARY FACILITIES.

(a) A sum sufficient for the purchase of a site and the construction of suitable auxiliary facilities for the proposed 200 BEV accelerator if the accelerator is located in Wisconsin. The regents are authorized to expend moneys from this appropriation for the specified purposes at such time as Wisconsin has been designated as the site of the accelerator. This appropriation shall continue in full force and effect until such time as its intended purposes have been accomplished.

SECTION 3. This bill is declared to be an emergency appropriation bill, recommended by the joint committee on finance, in accordance with the requirements of section 16.47 (2) of the statutes.

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