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Rep. Shelton questions transparency, accountability, and fiscal impact of Assembly Bill 305

MADISON - This morning the Assembly Committee on Education held a public hearing on one bill. Assembly Bill 305 would increase the per pupil payments in the parental choice and the Special Needs Scholarship Program and provide an increase in the school district revenue ceiling.

The Committee has not received a fiscal estimate on the short and long term financial impacts on Assembly Bill 305. Despite the speed of introduction to scheduling this hearing, advocates for public education spoke against this bill on its impact on our communities through school district aid deductions to the voucher program.

Representative Shelton (D - Green Bay) released the following statement:

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