



State of Wisconsin
2025 - 2026 LEGISLATURE

LRB-0994/P1

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DOA:.....Hutter, BB0093 - Biodigester operator certification grants

FOR 2025-2027 BUDGET -- NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION

AN ACT ...; relating to: the budget.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

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Biodigester operator certification grants

This bill requires DATCP to provide grants to individuals seeking biodigester operator certification. Biodigesters are used to break down organic material into gas, liquids, and solids. The bill also allows DATCP to promulgate rules establishing the application process and grant-awarding criteria for the biodigester operator certification grants.

For further information see the state fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

SECTION 1. 20.115 (7) (da) of the statutes is created to read:

20.115 (7) (da) *Biodigester operator certification grants.* The amounts in the schedule for biodigester operator certification grants under s. 93.75.

****NOTE: This SECTION involves a change in an appropriation that must be reflected in the revised schedule in s. 20.005, stats.

SECTION 2. 93.75 of the statutes is created to read:

93.75 Biodigester operator certification grants. (1) GRANTS. From the appropriation under s. 20.115 (7) (da), the department shall award grants to individuals seeking biodigester operator certification.

(2) RULES. The department may promulgate rules establishing the

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SECTION 2

application process and grant-awarding criteria for the biodigester operator certification grants.

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