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**Senator Pfaff: Legislature’s failure to act on education proposal is irresponsible, bad for Wisconsin students**

**(Madison, WI)** – On Monday, Governor Evers signed an executive order calling the State Legislature into a special session to debate a \$550 million investment in public education that uses surplus funds left over from the budget. Yesterday morning, the Senate majority gavelled in and out of the special session, refusing to debate the proposal.

Following this action, Senator Pfaff said:

“I’m disappointed that Republican Senators gavelled in and out of today’s special session without taking up the Governor’s proposed investment in education. We can’t bounce back from this pandemic if we’re not doing *everything* we can to support our kids.”

“It’s time to stop playing politics with unfinished business. We have the funds to make a more meaningful investment in schools, students, and families. It’s the right thing to do.”

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*Senator Brad Pfaff represents the 32nd Senate District, which includes La Crosse, Vernon, Crawford, and southern Monroe County.*