

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Judiciary and Labor

Senate Bill 13

Relating to: torts and personal injury trusts.

By Senators Grothman and Lasee; cosponsored by Representatives Jacque, Honadel, Kuglitsch, Murphy, Schraa, Spiros, Stone, Strachota and Thiesfeldt.

February 12, 02013 Referred to Committee on Judiciary and Labor

April 11, 2013 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (3) Senator Grothman; Senators Farrow and Risser.
Absent: (0) None.
Excused: (2) Senators Vukmir and Harris.

Appearances For

- Trevor Will - Civil Justice Council
- Peggy Ableman - Honorable - Wisconsin Civil Justice Council
- James Buchen - WMC
- Andre Jacque - Representative - Wisconsin Legislature
- Marc Scarcella - WMC

Appearances Against

- Dean Trafelet - American Association for Justice
- Keith Kemper - Sheet Metal Workers Local 18
- Jill Rakauski - Asbestos Victims
- Renee Simpson - VFW
- Jason Johns - Military Order of the Purple Heart
- Jason Johns - American Legion
- Andy Hauck - SMART - Transportation Division
- Robert McCoy - Cascino Vaughn Law Office
- James Brezonick - Family of James Brezonick
- Brett Lange - Insulators
- Jeffrey Pittman - Wisconsin Association for Justice
- Mike Sheridan - AFL-CIO

Appearances for Information Only

- Nancy Rottier - Director of State Courts

Registrations For

- Pete Hanson - Wisconsin Restaurant Association

- Bill Smith - NFIB
- Andy Franken - Wisconsin insurance Alliance
- Ron Kuehn - Professional Insurance Agents of Wisconsin
- Tom Moore - PhRMA

Registrations Against

- Steven Johnson - Laborers Local 464
- Kevin LaMere - Steamfitters local 601
- Frank Rodriguez - Insulators
- Steve Breitlow - Plumber's Local 75
- Terry Hayden - Wisconsin Pipe Trade Association
- Paul Zimmer - Laborers
- Terry Nelson - Laborers
- Rod Meyer - Laborers
- J Meicher
- Cory McGovern - Laborers Local 464
- Craig Peachy - United Transportation Union
- Nick Henke
- Kent Miller
- Mark Reihl - Wisconsin State Council of Carpenters

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

October 09, 2013

Executive Session Held

Present: (5) Senator Grothman; Senators Vukmir, Farrow, Risser and Harris.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Risser, seconded by Senator Harris that **Senate Substitute Amendment 2** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (2) Senators Risser and Harris.

Noes: (3) Senator Grothman; Senators Vukmir and Farrow.

SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 2 ADOPTION NOT RECOMMENDED, Ayes 2, Noes 3

Moved by Senator Grothman, seconded by Senator Farrow that **Senate Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (3) Senator Grothman; Senators Vukmir and Farrow.

Noes: (2) Senators Risser and Harris.

SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION
RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2

Moved by Senator Grothman, seconded by Senator Farrow that
Senate Bill 13 be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (3) Senator Grothman; Senators Vukmir and
Farrow.

Noes: (2) Senators Risser and Harris.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2

Adam Gibbs
Committee Clerk