

# Ninetieth Regular Session

WEDNESDAY, June 3, 1992

The chief clerk makes the following entries under the above date.

## PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin  
Legislative Audit Bureau

June 3, 1992

To the Honorable the Legislature:

We have completed an evaluation of the State of Wisconsin's affirmative action efforts as an employer. The Department of Employment Relations has the statutory responsibility to develop and monitor affirmative action procedures in state employment, while all state agencies with more than 15 classified employes are required to develop affirmative action plans.

Between fiscal year (FY) 1987-88 and FY 1990-91, the number of minority state employes increased 17.6 percent, from 4,021 to 4,730. In FY 1990-91, minorities constituted 6.8 percent of all state employes and 5.8 percent of the overall statewide labor market.

The number of female state employes also increased during this period, from 30,403 to 33,677, or 10.8 percent. In FY 1990-91, women represented 48.5 percent of all state employes and 45.3 percent of the overall statewide labor market.

The number of minorities and women employed in higher paying state jobs has also grown. Although total growth in employment in higher salary ranges was 13.4 percent between FY 1987-88 and FY 1990-91, the number of minorities and women in higher paying jobs increased 44.7 percent and 31.4 percent, respectively.

Although the State has increased the number of women and minorities it employs, debate exists about whether the increases have been sufficient or rapid enough to mitigate the effects of past hiring practices. Most agree, however, that continued efforts by the Department and all state agencies to hire minorities and women will remain necessary.

We appreciate the courtesy and cooperation extended to us by staff of the Department of Employment Relations as well as all other state agencies we contacted. The Department's response is the appendix.

Sincerely,  
Dale Cattanach  
State Auditor

State of Wisconsin  
Department of Health and Social Services  
May 22, 1992

To the Honorable the Legislature:

Pursuant to the requirements of section 153.10(1), Wis. Stats., I am pleased to submit to the Governor and to the Legislature the quarterly *Health Care Data Report*.

This report is based on hospital inpatient discharge data reported to the Office of Health Care Information by all operating general medical-surgical and specialty hospitals in Wisconsin for the third quarter of 1991 (July - September). It also contains selected outpatient surgery utilization and charge data from general medical-surgical hospitals and freestanding ambulatory surgery centers in Wisconsin during the same quarter.

This report fulfills the statutory requirement to report "in a manner that permits comparisons among hospitals ... the charges for up to 100 health care services or diagnostic-related groups selected by the office."

Sincerely,  
David J. W. Klauser, Director  
Office of Health Care Information

State of Wisconsin  
Department of Health and Social Services  
May 15, 1992

To the Honorable the Legislature:

1989 Act 122 (46.264) provided authorization and funding for an Early Intervention Program for High Risk Youth. The intent of the program was to serve youth ages 8-11 who are at high risk of committing serious delinquent acts and divert them from the juvenile justice system. The legislation establishing the program contained a June 30, 1993 sunset date. In addition, it required that the program be evaluated and the Department submit a report to the Governor and Legislature by June 30, 1992.

The Early Intervention Program was not implemented due to uncertainty in both the 1991-93 Budget and the 1992-93 Fiscal Adjustment Bill as to whether the program would be continued. Most recently, the Fiscal Adjustment Act (1991 Act 269) deleted funding for the program and retained its sunset date.

Since the Early Intervention Program will not be implemented, the Department is unable to submit the required evaluation report.

Sincerely,  
Gerald Whitburn  
Secretary

## EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor  
May 28, 1992

To the Honorable, the Senate:

The following bills, originating in the senate, have been approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE [June 3, 1992]

| Senate Bill | Act No.  | Date Approved |
|-------------|----------|---------------|
| 580-----    | 311----- | May 28, 1992  |
| 581-----    | 312----- | May 28, 1992  |

Respectfully,  
TOMMY G. THOMPSON  
Governor

**SENATE CLEARINGHOUSE ORDERS**

State of Wisconsin  
Revisor of Statutes Bureau

June 1, 1992

To the Honorable the Legislature:

The following rules have been published and are effective:

Clearinghouse Rule 91- 5 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91- 6 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91- 20 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91- 35 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91- 75 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91- 81 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91-121 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91-122 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91-147 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91-150 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91-155 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91-157 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91-166 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91-169 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91-171 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91-172 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91-173 effective June 1, 1992.  
Clearinghouse Rule 91-199 effective June 1, 1992.

Sincerely,  
GARY L. POULSON  
Deputy Revisor

The committee on Housing, Government Operations and Cultural Affairs reports and recommends:

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 91-174**

Relating to approved forms for use by real estate brokers and salespersons.

No action taken.

John R. Plewa  
Chair

The committee on Urban Affairs, Environmental Resources and Elections reports and recommends:

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 92-14**

Relating to the Canada goose hunting regulations.

No action taken.

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 92-48**

Relating to administration of forestry grants and aids.

No action taken.

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 91-91**

Relating to the municipal clean drinking water grant program.

No action taken.

Brian Burke  
Chair

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 91-100**

Relating to campgrounds.

Submitted by Department of Health and Social Services.

Report received from agency, May 28, 1992.

Referred to committee on Agriculture, Corrections, Health and Human Services, June 3, 1992.

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 92-22**

Relating to construction by water public utilities and by municipal water and sewer public utilities.

Submitted by Public Service Commission.

Report received from agency, May 29, 1992.

Referred to committee on Transportation and Utilities, June 3, 1992.

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 92-28**

Relating to advertising and temporary licenses to practice podiatric medicine and surgery prior to regular license.

Submitted by Department of Regulation and Licensing.

Report received from agency, May 27, 1992.

Referred to committee on Agriculture, Corrections, Health and Human Services, June 3, 1992.

**CHIEF CLERK'S REPORT**

The chief clerk records:

**Senate Bill 580.**

**Senate Bill 581.**

Correctly enrolled and presented to the Governor on May 28, 1992.