

AB630

Assembly Hearing Slip

(Please print plainly)

Date: 11-2-95

Bill No. 630

Or Subject: _____

(Name) Alma Tracy

(Street Address or Route Number) W. DITZ

(City & Zip Code) _____

(Representing) _____

Speaking *In favor*:

Speaking *against*:

Registering *In favor*:

Registering *against*:

Speaking for *Information only*:

Neither for nor *against*:

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Date: Nov 2 - 1995

Bill No. LRB 0347

Or Subject: Legislation Relating to Ball

(Name) Charles J. Munkel

(Street Address or Route Number) N 57th Munkel Rd

(City & Zip Code) Bellevue WI 54127

(Representing) _____

Speaking *In favor*:

Speaking *against*:

Registering *In favor*:

Registering *against*:

Speaking for *Information only*:

Neither for nor *against*:

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Date: Nov 2 95

Bill No. 630

Or Subject: Leg Security Program

(Name) Bob Hodge

(Street Address or Route Number) 4614 Rend Rd

(City & Zip Code) Janesville, Wis, 53546

(Representing) Hodge Farms

Speaking *In favor*:

Speaking *against*:

Registering *In favor*:

Registering *against*:

Speaking for *Information only*:

Neither for nor *against*:

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Or Subject

(Name) Lewis Wysocki

(Street Address or Route Number) 2041 Dtg A

(City & Zip Code) Clister, Wis

(Representing) SE14

Speaking In favor:

Speaking against:

Registering In favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for Information only:

Neither for nor against:

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Or Subject

(Name) Richard Favelst

(Street Address or Route Number) 9390 Rowkol Lane

(City & Zip Code) Ambers, WI 53103

(Representing) Heartland Farm

Speaking In favor:

Speaking against:

Registering In favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for Information only:

Neither for nor against:

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Bill No. LRB-0347/1

Or Subject

(Name) MARTIN E. BIRSCHBAH

(Street Address or Route Number) 1010 SULLIVAN AVE

(City & Zip Code) KAUKAUNA WI 54130

(Representing) VEG. PROD PRODUCER

Speaking In favor:

Speaking against:

Registering In favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for Information only:

Neither for nor against:

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Bill No. AB 630

Or Subject veg. Security

(Name) Dan Zuleser

(Street Address or Route Number) P.O. Box 327

(City & Zip Code) Antigo, WI 54609

(Representing) WPLGA

Speaking In favor: (WISH TO SPEAK)

Speaking against:

Registering In favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for Information only:

Neither for nor against:

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Or Subject VEGETABLE PRODUCE SECURITY

(Name) DAN BOY KUBERTS

(Street Address or Route Number) 6210 LAZZERCA AVENUE

(City & Zip Code) WISCONSIN RAPIDS, WI 54494

(Representing) GREEN-TEA FOODS INC.

Speaking In favor:

Speaking against:

Registering In favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for Information only:

Neither for nor against:

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- moving date to gain to from 31

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Bill No. F.B. 630

Or Subject _____

(Name) DAN CAVANAUGH

(Street Address or Route Number) 3909 SELLERA LANE

(City & Zip Code) HANTON, WI 5422

(Representing) LAKE SIDE FOODS, INC

Speaking In favor:

Speaking against:

Registering In favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for Information only:

Neither for nor against:

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At present time, no effect from AB 630
-if want to purchase another co
then maybe
-currently in strong financial posit

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Or Subject

(Name) MIKE HANEY

(Street Address or Route Number) 1505 Blackhawk Bluff Dr.

(City & Zip Code) Milton 53563

(Representing) Saverio Foods Corp

Speaking in favor:

Speaking against:

Registering in favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for information only:

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-expansion in MN was based on cost of doing business in 1 state vs. other

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Or Subject

(Name) Roman Hintz

(Street Address or Route Number) Box 729

(City & Zip Code) Plouez, WI 54467

(Representing) Del Monte Foods

Speaking in favor:

Speaking against:

Registering in favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for information only:

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Or Subject Vegetable Producers Assn.

(Name) Paul Julius

(Street Address or Route Number) 502 E. Main

(City & Zip Code) Madison WI 53702

(Representing) Midwest Food Processors Ass'n

Speaking in favor:

Speaking against:

Registering in favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for information only:

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Or Subject

Name: JOHN EXLER

Street Address or Route Number: PO Box 1297

(City & Zip Code) MADISON WI 53701

(Representing) Midwest Food Processors Assn

Speaking in favor:

Speaking against:

Registering in favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for information only:

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Or Subject Vegetable Security

Name: Paul Zimmerman

Street Address or Route Number: 7010 Mineral Point Road

(City & Zip Code) Madison WI 53705

(Representing) Wisconsin Farm Bureau

Speaking in favor:

Speaking against:

Registering in favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for information only:

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Or Subject Vegetable Security

Name: Wis. NFA - Ron Stoltz

Street Address or Route Number: PO Box 663

(City & Zip Code) SACK CITY WI 53583

(Representing) National Farmers Org

Speaking in favor:

Speaking against:

Registering in favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for information only:

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Or Subject Food Security

(Name) RON KEHN

(Street Address or Route Number) 2 E. MILFORD HCGO

(City & Zip Code) MADISON WI 53703

(Representing) WI CANNABERRY Growers

Speaking in favor:

Speaking against:

Registering in favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for information only:

Neither for nor against:

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Date: 11-2-95

Bill No. LRB-034771

Or Subject _____

(Name) LORRAINE BIRSCHBACH

(Street Address or Route Number) 1010 SULLIVAN

(City & Zip Code) HAWKLAND, WI 54130

(Representing) VEG. GROWER

Speaking in favor:

Speaking against:

Registering in favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for information only:

Neither for nor against:

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Or Subject _____

(Name) Jim Galtner

(Street Address or Route Number) P.O. Box 68

(City & Zip Code) FAY River WI 53932

(Representing) FRIDAY CONNYS

Speaking in favor:

Speaking against:

Registering in favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for information only:

Neither for nor against:

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Date: Nov 2

Bill No. AB 630
Or
Subject AB 630

(Name) Ray Henschler

(Street Address or Route Number) 418 E Conde St

(City & Zip Code) Stavesville WI

(Representing) Seneca Foods Corp.

Speaking in favor:

Speaking against:

Registering in favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for information only; Neither for nor against:

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Bill No. AB 630
Or
Subject VEGETABLE GROWER SECURITY

(Name) FRANCIS GRANFUT I

(Street Address or Route Number) Highway 54 & 110 Street

(City & Zip Code) Dover, WI 54467

(Representing) ORE - Bn Foods Inc

Speaking in favor:

Speaking against:

Registering in favor:

Registering against:

Speaking for information only; Neither for nor against:

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Madison, WI 53702

Assembly Committee on Agriculture

DATE Nov. 30, 1995

Moved by Ott Seconded by Wilder

AB 1030 SB _____ Clearinghouse Rule _____

AJR _____ SJR _____ Appointment _____

A _____ SR _____ Other _____

A/S Amdt 1

A/S Amdt _____ to A/S Amdt _____

A/S Sub Amdt _____

A/S Amdt _____ to A/S Sub Amdt _____

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Be recommended for:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Introduction <i>(unanimous consent)</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Tabling |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adoption | <input type="checkbox"/> Concurrence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rejection | <input type="checkbox"/> Nonconcurrency |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Confirmation |

	Committee Member	Aye	No	Absent	Not Voting
1.	Ott, Alvin (Chair)	✓			
2.	Ward, David (Vice-Chair)		✓		
3.	Ainsworth, John		✓		
4.	Zukowski, Robert			Excused	
5.	Otte, Clifford			Excused	
6.	Skindrud, Richard		✓		
7.	Hahn, Eugene		✓		
8.	Olsen, Luther		✓		
9.	Gronemus, Barbara		✓		
10.	Baldus, Al		✓		
11.	Reynolds, Martin		✓		
12.	Springer, Thomas		✓		
13.	Wilder, Michael		✓		
14.	Dueholm, Robert		✓		
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16.					
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Totals					

MOTION CARRIED

MOTION FAILED 11-1

Assembly Committee on Agriculture

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Be recommended for:

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3.	Ainsworth, John	✓			
4.	Zukowski, Robert			Excused	
5.	Otte, Clifford			Excused	
6.	Skindrud, Richard	✓			
7.	Hahn, Eugene	✓			
8.	Olsen, Luther	✓			
9.	Gronemus, Barbara		✓		
10.	Baldus, Al	✓			
11.	Reynolds, Martin		✓		
12.	Springer, Thomas	✓			
13.	Wilder, Michael	✓			
14.	Dueholm, Robert	✓			
15.					
16.					
17.					
18.					
Totals					

MOTION CARRIED 9-3 MOTION FAILED

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL <input type="checkbox"/> UPDATED <input type="checkbox"/> CORRECTED <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPLEMENTAL		1995 Session LRB or Bill No./Adm. Rule No. AB - 630 Amendment No. if Applicable
FISCAL ESTIMATE DOA-2048 (R 10/94)		
Subject Fruit and Vegetable Security Program		
Fiscal Effect State: <input type="checkbox"/> No State Fiscal Effect Check columns below only if bill makes a direct appropriation or affects a sum sufficient appropriation		
<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriation <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriation		<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - May be possible to Absorb Within Agency's Budget <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs
Local: <input type="checkbox"/> No local government costs		
1. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	5. Types of Local Governmental Units Affected: <input type="checkbox"/> Towns <input type="checkbox"/> Villages <input type="checkbox"/> Cities <input type="checkbox"/> Counties <input type="checkbox"/> Others <input type="checkbox"/> School Districts <input type="checkbox"/> VTAE Districts
Fund Sources Affected <input type="checkbox"/> GPR <input type="checkbox"/> FED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRO <input type="checkbox"/> PRS <input type="checkbox"/> SEG <input type="checkbox"/> SEG-S		Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations 20.115(1)(gm)
Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate The bill makes various changes in the laws regulating fruit and vegetable contractors, known as the fruit and vegetable security program, administered by the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection. An estimate is set forth for each major part of the bill for the legislature's consideration.		
1. It exempts fruit processors from the registration and financial security provisions of this statute. Revenue for FY 1995 would have been reduced by \$12,700 (approximately 18.25% of total revenue). The impact of this change cannot be projected with certainty to future fiscal years because the revenue is based on the value of product purchased during the prior growing season. However, applying the above percentage to projected revenues for FY 96 and 97 would result in reductions of \$12,300 and \$11,700, respectively. 2. It changes the expiration date of the registration certificate to January 31 from March 31 of each year. No fiscal effect. 3. It requires that financial statements be audited or reviewed. No fiscal effect -- (Note: A contractor who purchases less than \$250,000 of produce from Wisconsin growers can currently file a compiled or reviewed statement.) 4. It strengthens the minimum financial standards which a contractor must meet to demonstrate adequate financial stability to be registered on the basis of the contractor's financial statement. No fiscal effect -- (Note: There is the potential impact on the contractor who may be required to post security with the department under the new standards. The full security posting requirement would be phased in over three years under this proposal.) 4. It eliminates the method of providing security under which processed farm products equivalent to 30% of raw farm products received from producers are set aside in trust for producers. No fiscal effect -- this method has not been used by contractors for several years because it is cumbersome and costly for them to put a portion of their inventory under the control of an independent trustee.		
Long-Range Fiscal Implications Same as above		
Agency/Prepared by: (Name & Phone No.) DATCP/Don Furniss 224-4930	Authorized Signature/Telephone No. <i>Barbara Knapp</i> Barbara Knapp 224-4746	Date 11/02/95

FISCAL ESTIMATE WORKSHEET

Detailed Estimate of Annual Fiscal Effect

DOA-2047(R 10/94)

Subject

ORIGINAL
 CORRECTED

UPDATED
 SUPPLEMENTAL

1995 SESSION

LRB or Bill No/Adm. Rule No.

Amendment No.

AR - 630

Fruit and Vegetable Security Program

I. One-time Costs or Revenue Fluctuations for State and/or Local Government (do not include in annualized fiscal effect):

II. Annualized Costs:

Annualized Fiscal Impact on State funds from:
Increased Costs Decreased Costs

A. State Costs by Category

State Operations-Salaries and Fringes

\$ -0-

\$ -0-

(FTE Position Changes)

(0 FTE)

(- 0 FTE)

State Operations-Other Costs

-0-

-0-

Local Assistance

-0-

-0-

Aids to Individuals or Organizations

-0-

-0-

TOTAL State Costs by Category

\$ -0-

\$ -0-

B. State Costs by Source of Funds

Increased Costs

Decreased Costs

GPR

\$ -0-

\$ -0-

FED

\$ -0-

\$ -0-

PRO/PRS

\$ -0-

\$ -0-

SEG/SEG-S

\$ -0-

\$ -0-

III. State Revenues-

Complete this only when proposal will increase or decrease state revenues (e.g., tax increase, decrease in license fees, etc.)

Increased Rev.

Decreased Rev.

GPR Taxes

\$ -0-

\$ -0-

GPR Earned

-0-

-0-

FED

-0-

-0-

PRO/PRS

-0-

- 12,500

SEG/SEG-S

-0-

-0-

TOTAL State Revenues

\$ -0-

\$ - 12,500

NET ANNUALIZED FISCAL IMPACT

STATE

LOCAL

NET CHANGE IN COSTS

\$ -0-

\$ -0-

NET CHANGE IN REVENUES

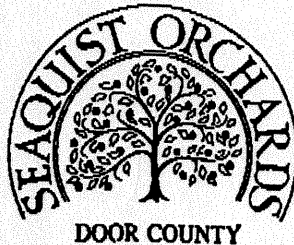
\$ (12,500)

\$ -0-

Agency/Prepared by: (Name & Phone No.)
Agriculture, Trade & Consumer Protection
Don Furniss 224-4930

Authorized Signature/Telephone No.
Barbara Knapp 224-4746
Barbara Knapp

Date
11/01/95



11482 Hwy. 42, P.O. Box 204 • Sister Bay, WI 54234 • 414-854-4199

November 2, 1995

Representative Al Lott

Re: Sponsored Bill AB-630

Dear Sir:

My name is Dale Seaquist. I am the President of the Wisconsin Cherry Board and a major cherry grower and processor in Door County. The Wisconsin cherry industry needs the changes addressed by the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection regarding s 100.03 of the statutes.

During the Fruit and Vegetable Producer Security Advisory Committee meeting held two years ago, it was very apparent that regulations could not deal adequately with both "fruit" and "vegetable" industry needs. These two industries are very much different. The Department's recommendation to exempt fruit for food processing from registration and financial security requirements of the law is certainly correct.

Cherry growers and cherry processors are in strong support of this proposed change of the statutes.

I talked to Peter Stoffel, President of the Wisconsin Cherry Growers Association, and he is in agreement with me regarding the needed changes addressed by AB-630.

Thank you sincerely,

Dale E. Seaquist,
Wisconsin Cherry Board, President
Sequist Orchards and Processing



WISCONSIN FARM BUREAU FEDERATION

*1212 Deming Way
P.O. Box 5550
Madison, WI 53705-0550
(608) 836-5575*

Memo

To: Members of the Assembly

From: Paul Zimmerman

Re: Assembly Bill 630

Date: March 4, 1996

POSITION:

The Wisconsin Farm Bureau Federation urges you to vote YES/GREEN on Assembly Bill 630, which updates Wisconsin's vegetable producer security program.

BACKGROUND:

Current law requires persons who buy fruit or vegetables from producers for processing to file annual financial statements with DATCP. If specified financial statements are not met, the processor must file security with DATCP for the benefit of growers.

AB 630 eliminates persons who buy fruit from regulation under the producer security program. Also, AB 630 strengthens certain financial standards for all vegetable processors. These and other changes allow for more uniformity in the laws that apply to industry and better protect producers in the event of a financial default by a vegetable processor.

WFBF strongly supports Assembly Bill 630 and respectfully requests your support.

"Volunteers for Agriculture" may use AB 630 as a roll call vote. If you have any questions, please contact me at (608) 828-5708.

Thank you for considering our views.

**AMENDMENT TO
CREATE S. 100.03(8)(e), STATS.**

INSERT BETWEEN SECTION 34 AND 35 OF LRB DRAFT (LRB-0347/1

100.03(8)(e) is created to read:

100.03(8)(e) PROHIBITION. No contractor may assess a separate line item deduction from the payment to the grower to recover the cost of security filed under this section.

STATE OF WISCONSIN

To _____

Date _____ Time _____

WHILE YOU WERE OUT

M Michael Demaree

of WCIP - Radio Kenosha

Phone 414-694-7767

Telephoned		Please Call	
Called to See You		Rush	
Returned Your Call		Will Call Again	

Message Rep. which talked to him about it yesterday.

Party Receiving Call



Please change mine to "representing in power."

T. F.

Paul Zimmerman

From