

**Senate**

**Record of Committee Proceedings**

**Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**

**Senate Bill 148**

Relating to: issuing crossbow hunting permits to persons who are physically unable to use a bow and arrow.

By Senators Breske, Grobschmidt, Decker, Drzewiecki, Schultz, Roessler, Clausung and Zien; cosponsored by Representatives Handrick, Hasenohrl, Ainsworth, Gronemus, Ryba, Plouff, Bock, Reynolds, Musser, Turner, Hahn, Albers, Sykora, Grothman and Gunderson.

May 11, 1999

Referred to committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform.

September 22, 1999

**PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Clausung, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.  
Absent: (0) None.

Appearances for

- Senator Roger M. Breske - 12th Senate District

Appearances against

- Elizabeth Kleusner - DNR

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations for

- John O'Brien - Senator Dale Schultz's Office

Registrations against

- None.

September 22, 1999

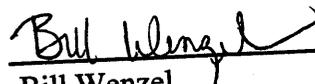
**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausung, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator A. Lasee, seconded by Senator Wirch, that  
**Senate Bill 148** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (4) Senators Clausing, Wirch, Schultz and A.  
Lasee.  
Noes: (1) Senator Baumgart.  
Absent: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 4, Noes 1, Absent 0

  
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Committee Clerk

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#### **Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**

**EARL, ANTHONY S.**, of Madison, as a member of the Great Lakes Protection Fund, to serve for the term ending October 11, 2000

September 22, 1999 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

#### Appearances for

- A. S. Earl

#### Appearances against

- None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

#### Registrations for

- David J. Ackley - Governor's Office
- Nora K. Weber - Governor's Office

#### Registrations against

- None.

September 22, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Schultz, that **Earl, Anthony S.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

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**Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and  
Campaign Finance Reform**

**CARROLL, TERRENCE W.**, of Neenah, as a member of the Recycling Market Development Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2002 .

September 22, 1999 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances for

- Terence W. Carroll

Appearances against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations for

- Nora K. Weber - Governor's Office
- David J. Ackley

Registrations against

- None.

September 22, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Schultz, that  
**Carroll, Terrence W.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

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**Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**

**LUNDBERG, WILLIAM S.**, of Wisconsin Rapids, as a member of the Lower Wisconsin State Riverway Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2002.

September 22, 1999 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances for

- William S. Lundberg

Appearances against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations for

- Nora K. Weber - Governor's Office
- David J. Ackley - Governor's Office

Registrations against

- None.

September 22, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Schultz, that **Lundberg, William S.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

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#### **Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**

**HEIDEL, SANDRA**, of Onalaska, as a member of the Kickapoo Reserve Management Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2002.

#### September 22, 1999 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

##### Appearances for

- Sandra Heidel

##### Appearances against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations for

- Nora K. Weber - Governor's Office
- David J. Ackley - Governor's Office
- Senator Brian Rude - 32nd Senate District

##### Registrations against

- None.

#### September 22, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

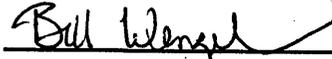
Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Schultz, that **Heidel, Sandra** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0



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#### **Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**

**LANGDON, JAMES M.**, of De Forest, as a member of the Snowmobile Recreation Council, to serve for the interim term ending July 1, 2001.

September 22, 1999 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirsch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

#### Appearances for

- James M. Langdon

#### Appearances against

- None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

#### Registrations for

- Nora K. Weber - Governor's Office
- David J. Ackley - Governor's Office

#### Registrations against

- None.

September 22, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirsch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

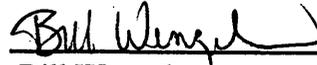
Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Schultz, that  
**Langdon, James M.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirsch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0



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**VAN DUZEE, DIRK S.**, of Wabeno, as a member of the Snowmobile Recreation Council, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2001.

September 22, 1999 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances for

- Dirk S. Van Duzee

Appearances against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations for

- Nora K. Weber - Governor's Office
- David J. Ackley - Governor's Office

Registrations against

- None.

September 22, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Schultz, that  
**Van Duzee, Dirk S.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

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**Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and  
Campaign Finance Reform**

**LARSEN, MARK A.**, of River Falls, as a member of the Snowmobile Recreation Council, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2001.

September 22, 1999 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.  
Absent: (0) None.

Appearances for

- Mark A. Larson

Appearances against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations for

- David J. Ackley - Governor's Office
- Nora K. Weber - Governor's Office

Registrations against

- None.

September 22, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Schultz, that  
**Larsen, Mark A.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.  
Noes: (0) None.  
Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

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#### **Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**

**DITTMAR, BEVERLY A.**, of Wausau, as a member of the Snowmobile Recreation Council, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2001.

September 22, 1999 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

#### Appearances for

- Beverly A. Dittmar

#### Appearances against

- None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

#### Registrations for

- Nora K. Weber - Governor's Office
- David J. Ackley - Governor's Office

#### Registrations against

- None.

September 22, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Schultz, that  
**Dittmar, Beverly A.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

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**Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**

**BENA, CHARLES E.**, of La Crosse, as a member of the Snowmobile Recreation Council, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2002.

September 22, 1999 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances for

- Charles E. Bena

Appearances against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations for

- David J. Ackley - Governor's Office
- Nora K. Weber - Governor's Office
- Senator Brian Rude - 32nd Senate District

Registrations against

- None.

September 22, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

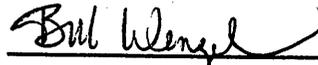
Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Schultz, that **Bena, Charles E.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0



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Campaign Finance Reform**

**PFAFF, BILL D.**, of New Lisbon, as a member of the Snowmobile Recreation Council,  
to serve for the term ending July 1, 2002.

September 22, 1999 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances for

- Bill D. Pfaff

Appearances against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations for

- Nora K. Weber - Governor's Office
- David J. Ackley - Governor's Office

Registrations against

- None.

September 22, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Schultz, that  
**Pfaff, Bill D.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

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**RASMUSSEN, KATHLEEN M.**, of Cable, as a member of the Snowmobile Recreation Council, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2002.

September 22, 1999 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.  
Absent: (0) None.

Appearances for

- Kathleen M. Rasmussen

Appearances against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations for

- Nora K. Weber - Governor's Office
- David J. Ackley - Governor's Office

Registrations against

- None.

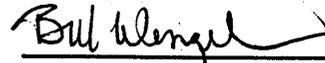
September 22, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Schultz, that **Rasmussen, Kathleen M.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.  
Noes: (0) None.  
Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0



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#### **Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**

**CERNY, MIKE J.**, of Sharon, as a member of the Snowmobile Recreation Council, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2001.

September 22, 1999 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.  
Absent: (0) None.

#### Appearances for

- Mike J. Cerny

#### Appearances against

- None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

#### Registrations for

- Nora K. Weber - Governor's Office
- David J. Ackley - Governor's Office

#### Registrations against

- None.

September 22, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Schultz, that  
**Cerny, Mike J.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.  
Noes: (0) None.  
Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

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#### **Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**

**SCHROEDER, BYRON J.**, of Hayward, as a member of the Snowmobile Recreation Council, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2002.

September 22, 1999 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

#### Appearances for

- Bryon J. Schroeder

#### Appearances against

- None.

#### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

#### Registrations for

- Nora K. Weber - Governor's Office
- David J. Ackley - Governor's Office

#### Registrations against

- None.

September 22, 1999 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

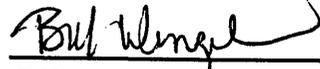
Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Schultz, that  
**Schroeder, Byron J.** be recommended for confirmation.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0



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### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**

##### **Senate Bill 190**

Relating to: campaign financing, imposition of a lobbying expenditure tax, providing exemptions from emergency rule procedures, granting rule-making authority, making appropriations and providing penalties.

By the Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform.

June 8, 1999

Referred to committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform.

August 17, 1999

##### **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (3) Senators Clausen, Baumgart and Schultz.  
Absent: (2) Senators Wirch and A. Lasee.

##### Appearances for

- James R. Johnson

##### Appearances against

- Gary A Sachse - St. Croix County GOP
- Dean Knudson

##### Appearances for Information Only

- Thomas Quinn - Wisconsin Farmland Conservancy\*
- Peter Muto - Sierra Club\*
- Pastor Grace Swenson\*
- Margaret Odegard - League of Women Voters\*
- Barbara Averill - League of Women Voters\*
- Teri Stanley - Government Accountability Project\*
- Ray Anderson\*
- Elaine E. Fitz Gerald - Dunn County Democrats\*
- Audrey Halverson\*
- Alice Pemble\*
- Ingrid Kizen\*
- Rob Ziller
- George O. Hoel

##### Registrations for

- Laurie Lundjaard

Registrations against

- None.

August 24, 1999

**PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch and Schultz.

Absent: (1) Senator A. Lasee.

Appearances for

- Vera Boone

Appearances against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Lydia Spotswood\*
- Rep. James Kreuser - 64th Assembly District\*
- Barbara Fulton - League of Women Voters\*
- Joel L. Lamke

Registrations for

- Jeanne Williams
- Betty Brown\*
- Rep. John Steinbrink - 65th Assembly District\*
- Frieda Jacobson\*

Registrations against

- Robert Trapp

*\* Note – At the public hearings, persons were given the opportunity to speak on the general topic of campaign finance reform or on any/all of the legislative proposals listed on the Hearing Notice. Persons listed above whose names are followed by an asterik represent individuals who testified or registered for “campaign finance reform” generally or made comments on a number of legislative proposals.*

October 7, 1999

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Clausing, seconded by , that **LRBa0636/2** be recommended for introduction and adoption.

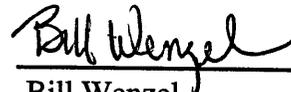
Ayes: (3) Senators Clausing, Baumgart and Wirch.  
Noes: (2) Senators Schultz and A. Lasee.  
Absent: (0) None.

**INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3,  
Noes 2, Absent 0**

Moved by Senator Clausing, seconded by , that **Senate Bill 190** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (3) Senators Clausing, Baumgart and Wirch.  
Noes: (2) Senators Schultz and A. Lasee.  
Absent: (0) None.

**PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2,  
Absent 0**

  
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#### **Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**

##### **Assembly Bill 92**

Relating to: the unauthorized release of animals, immunity from liability and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Gronemus, Plale, Freese, Albers, Ainsworth, Musser, Gunderson, Hasenohrl, Reynolds, Skindrud, Brandemuehl, Olsen, Seratti, Handrick, Ward and Urban; cosponsored by Senators Decker, Drzewiecki, Baumgart, Moen, Huelsman, Breske, Welch, Schultz, A. Lasee and Roessler.

May 20, 1999            Referred to committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform.

September 29, 1999    **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (4)    Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch and Schultz.

Absent:     (1)    Senator A. Lasee.

##### Appearances for

- Rep. Barbara Gronemus - 91st Assembly District
- Barb Worcester - Sen. Russell Decker
- Senator James Baumgart - 9th Senate District
- Jim Wachter - Kettle Moraine Mink Breeders
- Melvin Blanke - United Foods, Inc
- Michael D. Menger - North Amercian Fur Auctions
- Richard Krieger - Krieger Fur Farm
- Gary Krieger
- Jolene Plautz - Wisconsin State Horse Council
- Denis Schmitt
- Lil Meerstein - Sheboygan County Conservation
- Rick Tischaefer - Wisconsin Trappers Association

##### Appearances against

- Pam Thomas - Dog Federation of Wisconsin

##### Appearances for Information Only

- Patricia Randolph

##### Registrations for

- Rep. DuWayne Johnsrud - 96th Assembly District
- Tony Uliezelski - Sheboygan Co. Conservation Assoc.
- Rep. Steve Kestell - 27th Assembly District
- Phillip Bloedel - Sheboygan County Conservation Assoc.
- Hubert Nett - Sheboygan Co. Conservation Assoc.
- Robert Schuchardt - Sheboygan Co. Conservation Assoc.
- Harold Holt - Sheboygan Co. Conservation Assoc.
- Walter Briniking - Koenig Conservation Club
- Syl Weyker
- Roger Thibman
- Mark Kaiser - Sheboygan Co. Conservation Assoc.
- Paul Zimmerman - Wisconsin Farm Bureau
- Senator Robert T. Welch - 14th Senate District
- Garrett Huffman on behalf of DATCP Sec. Ben Brancel

Registrations against

- Janet Swandby - Dog Federation of Wisconsin
- Delores Kester - Dog Federation of Wisconsin

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Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Schultz, that  
**Assembly Bill 92** be recommended for concurrence.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

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- Jim March
- Phillip Bloedel - Sheboygan Co. Conservation Assoc.
- Harold Holt - Sheboygan Co. Conservation Assoc.
- Syl Weyken
- Roger Wehrman
- Mark Kaiser - Sheboygan Co. Conservation Assoc.
- Mark Reihl - AFL-CIO Conservation Committee

Registrations against

- Patrick Stevens - Wisconsin Manufacturers & Commerce
- Jennifer Sunstrom - Wisconsin Counties Association

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Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Wirch, seconded by Senator Clausing, that  
**Senate Bill 27** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (3) Senators Clausing, Baumgart and Wirch.

Noes: (2) Senators Schultz and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2, Absent 0

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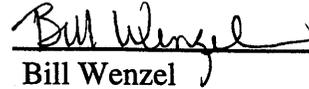
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Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0

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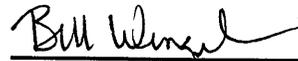


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and A. Lasee.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0



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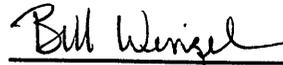


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Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

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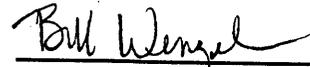
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Noes: (0) None.  
Absent: (0) None.

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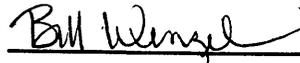
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Noes: (0) None.  
Absent: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0



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## Senate

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**

##### **Senate Bill 263**

Relating to: mass media activities in relation to election campaigns.

By Senators Clausing, Burke and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Travis and Lassa.

October 20, 1999      Referred to committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform.

November 3, 1999      **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (4)      Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch and Schultz.

Absent:     (1)      Senator A. Lasee.

##### Appearances for

- Alice Clausing - 10th Senate District
- Gail Shea - Wisconsin Democracy Campaign
- Jay Heck - Common Cause of Wisconsin

##### Appearances against

- Brady Williamson - Wisconsin Newspaper Assoc./Freedom of Information Council
- Susan Armacost - Wisconsin Right to Life
- Brett Rettke & Jack O'Meara - Wisconsin Education Association Council

##### Appearances for Information Only

- Andrea Dale
- Nicole L. Jarvis

##### Registrations for

- None.

##### Registrations against

- Pete Christensen - Wisconsin Newspaper Association
- Joe Murray - Wisconsin Realtors Association

November 3, 1999      **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

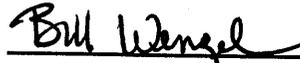
Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Wirch, that  
**Senate Bill 263** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (3) Senators Clausing, Baumgart and Wirch.

Noes: (2) Senators Schultz and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2, Absent 0



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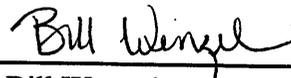


Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.  
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Clausing, seconded by Senator Baumgart, that  
**Murphy, Francis W. "Bill"** be recommended for rejection.

Ayes: (3) Senators Clausing, Baumgart and Wirch.  
Noes: (2) Senators Schultz and A. Lasee.  
Absent: (0) None.

REJECTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2, Absent 0

  
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## Senate

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**

##### **Senate Bill 244**

Relating to: the transfer of a portion of sales and use taxes from the general fund to the conservation fund and making an appropriation.

By Senator Baumgart; cosponsored by Representatives Black, Reynolds and Plouff.

September 28, 1999 Referred to committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform.

September 29, 1999 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch and Schultz.

Absent: (1) Senator A. Lasee.

##### Appearances for

- Senator Jim Baumgart - 9th Senate District
- Michael P. Brust - Conservation Congress
- Tony Ulezelski - Sheboygan County Conservation Assoc.
- Harold Jordahl - The Nature Conservancy
- Mark Houslet - WI Bowhunters Assoc.
- Chuck Pils - Wisconsin Chapter of Wildlife Society
- Rebecca Katers - Clean Water Action Council of NE Wisc.
- Caryl Terrell - Sierra Club/John Muir Chapter
- Hubert Nett - Sheboygan Co. Conservation Assoc.
- Tim Lawhern
- Karen Etter Hale - Madison Audubon Society
- Jim March
- Bill Pfaff - Association of Wisconsin Snowmobile Clubs

##### Appearances against

- Patricia Randolph

##### Appearances for Information Only

- Rep. Steve Kestell - 27th Assembly District
- Steve Miller - WI Department of Natural Resources

##### Registrations for

- William Engfer

- Thomas Harelson
- John Daniel
- Roger Potter
- Gary Homuth
- Mark Kaiser - Sheboygan Co. Conservation Assoc.
- Syl Weyker
- Walter Runiking
- Roger Wehrman
- Peter Behr - Sheboygan Co. Conservation Assoc.
- Harold Holt - Sheboygan Co. Conservation Assoc.
- Phillip Boedel - Sheboygan Co. Conservation Assoc.
- John Repphun - Sheboygan Area GLSF
- Lil Meerstein - Sheboygan Co. Conservation Assoc.

Registrations against

- Susan Fuller

November 3, 1999

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Wirch, that **Senate Substitute Amendment (LRB S 0151)** be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz and A. Lasee.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

**INTRODUCTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0**

Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Wirch, that **Senate Substitute Amendment (LRB S 0151)** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (3) Senators Clausing, Baumgart and Wirch.

Noes: (2) Senators Schultz and A. Lasee.

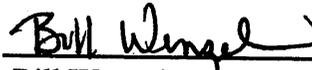
Absent: (0) None.

**ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2, Absent 0**

Moved by Senator Baumgart, seconded by Senator Wirch, that  
**Senate Bill 244** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (3) Senators Clausing, Baumgart and Wirch.  
Noes: (2) Senators Schultz and A. Lasee.  
Absent: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2, Absent 0



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## Senate

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**

##### **Senate Bill 181**

Relating to: campaign financing with respect to the office of justice of the supreme court, making appropriations and providing penalties.

By Senators George, Erpenbach, Risser, Rosenzweig, Darling, Rude, Moen and Robson; cosponsored by Representatives Bock, Richards, Pocan, Turner, Miller, Plouff, J. Lehman, Berceau, Colon, Coggs and Young.

June 1, 1999                      Referred to committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform.

June 1, 1999                      **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (4)    Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch and Schultz.

Absent:     (1)    Senator A. Lasee.

##### Appearances for

- Rep. Peter Bock - 7th Assembly District
- Ed Garvey
- Barbara Lawton - Heffernan Commission
- Jack R. Dewitt - Heffernan Commission
- Midge Miller
- Judge Louis Butler
- John W. Berge - Sierra Club
- Herman Holtzman
- Dr. Philip Blank - Wisconsin Council of Senior Citizens
- Larry Marz - Wisconsin Citizen Action
- Eugene S. Farley, M.D.

##### Appearances against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- John Stocks - WEAC

##### Registrations for

- Roger Bybee - Wisconsin Citizen Action
- Grant D. Waldo - Wisconsin Council of Senior Citizens

- Joanne Ricca - Wisconsin State AFL-CIO
- Caryl Terrell - Sierra Club John Muir Chapter
- Larry Jordan - Wisconsin Citizen Action
- Jerry Adler
- Marvette Cox - Wisconsin Citizen Action
- Sam Jones - Wisconsin Citizen Action
- Joe Vent - Wisconsin Citizen Action
- Karen Aikens - Wisconsin Citizen Action
- Jeanette Johnson - Wisconsin Citizen Action
- Rev. Sue Moline Larson - Lutheran Office for Public Policy in Wisconsin

Registrations against

- None.

August 17, 1999

**PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (3) Senators Clausing, Baumgart and Schultz.  
 Absent: (2) Senators Wirch and A. Lasee.

Appearances for

- Paul Gordon
- Roger Bybee - Wisconsin Citizen Action
- Carolyn Castore - Wisconsin Citizen Action
- Barbara Averill - League of Women Voters
- Mort Sipress

Appearances against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations for

- None.

Registrations against

- None.

August 24, 1999

**PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch and Schultz.  
 Absent: (1) Senator A. Lasee.

Appearances for

- Rep. Peter Bock - 7th Assembly District
- Barbara Fulton - League of Women Voters
- Jeff Parry - UAW Local 72
- Bill Bredek
- Debbie Sucharda
- John Berge - Sierra Club
- Ken Mitchell

Appearances against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Joel L. Lamke

Registrations for

- Ald. Phyllis L. Dresen - 11th Ward (Racine)
- Rep. John Lehman - 62nd Assembly District
- Robin Reed
- Jeanne Williams

Registrations against

- None.

November 9, 1999

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Absent: (0) None.

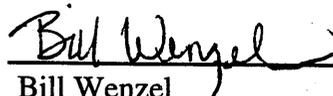
Moved by Senator Clausing by means of Paper Ballot that **Senate Bill 181** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (5) Senators Clausing, Baumgart, Wirch, Schultz  
and A. Lasee.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0, Absent 0



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Committee Clerk