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MONDAY, August 23, 2004

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date:

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 04–028

Relating to the enforcement of the tobacco master settlement agreement.

Submitted by Department of Justice. Report received from Agency, August 19, 2004. To committee on **Judiciary**. Referred on August 23, 2004.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 04–043

Relating to historic and existing buildings. Submitted by Department of Commerce. Report received from Agency, August 12, 2004. To committee on **Tourism**. Referred on August 23, 2004.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 04–048

Relating to the administration of the forest crop law and the managed forest law. Submitted by Department of Natural Resources. Report received from Agency, August 18, 2004. To committee on **Forestry**. Referred on August 18, 2004.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 04–052

Relating to the design and construction of swimming pools and fees. Submitted by Department of Commerce. Report received from Agency, August 17, 2004. To committee on **Tourism**. Referred on August 23, 2004.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 04–055

Relating to Wisconsin's statewide trauma care system. Submitted by Department of Health and Family Services. Report received from Agency, August 18, 2004. To committee on **Health**. Referred on August 23, 2004.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 04–068

Relating to private sewage system replacement or rehabilitation grant program.

Submitted by Department of Commerce. Report received from Agency, August 17, 2004. To committee on **Natural Resources**. Referred on August 23, 2004.

SPEAKER'S APPOINTMENTS

August 17, 2004

Mr. Patrick Fuller, Chief Clerk Wisconsin State Assembly Room 208, Risser Justice Center 17 West Main Street Madison, Wisconsin 53708

Dear Patrick:

I have appointed Representative Leah Vukmir as the chair of the Assembly Committee on Education Reform. Representative Vukmir replaces Representative Scott Jensen, who resigned from the committee earlier this month.

> Sincerely, JOHN G. GARD Assembly Speaker

REFERRAL OF AGENCY REPORTS

State of Wisconsin Department of Commerce Madison

July 30, 2004

To the Honorable, the Assembly:

The attached report has been sent to you pursuant to s. 1.11 (2)(j), Stats. This section requires agencies to submit a report to the chief clerk of each house of the legislature, with the report to include the number of proposed actions for which the agency conducted an assessment of whether an impact statement was required and the number of impact statements prepared.

The report encompasses the activities of the Wisconsin Department of Commerce for the period from July 1, 2003 to July 1, 2004.

Any questions concerning this report may be directed to Dennis W. Kozich, Chief Legal Counsel, at 608/266-3203.

Sincerely, CORY L. NETTLES Secretary

Referred to committee on Natural Resources.

State of Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction Madison

August 3, 2004

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

This letter is an addendum to the 2002-2003 annual report on the status of the Preschool to Grade 5 (P-5) program.

If you have questions, please contact Sandra Dercole in the Office of Urban Education at 414-227-4942.

Sincerely, ELIZABETH BURMASTER State Superintendent

Referred to committee on Education.

State of Wisconsin Department of Commerce Madison

DATE: August 9, 2004

TO: Assembly Chief Clerk Patrick E. Fuller

FROM: Jamie Wall

SUBJECT: WDF 2003-2005 Funding Distribution Plan

Enclosed is a copy of the Wisconsin Development Fund 2003-2005 Funding Distribution Plan. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (608) 267-0770.

Referred to committee on Economic Development.

State of Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services Madison

August 20, 2004

To the Honorable, the Assembly:

Section 227.485 (9) of the Wis. Stats. requires the Department to submit a report concerning decisions and resulting payments of attorney fees and related legal costs. Attorney fees and other legal costs are to be paid whenever the opposing party to an agency's Chapter 227 hearing prevails and it is determined the agency's position was not substantially justified. The attached report reflects payments made during SFY 2004.

In addition, under 814.245 (10) of the Wis. Stats., the Department is required to report any awards granted to the Department regarding frivolous motions brought against this Department. In SFY 2004, no motions of opposing parties were found to be frivolous. Consequently, the Department has no awards to report.

Sincerely, HELENE NELSON Secretary

Referred to committee on Health.