



State of Wisconsin

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Date Transfer Requested: 08/15/2005 (Per: GMM)



☞ The 2003 drafting file for LRB 03-0113

has been transferred to the drafting file for

2005 LRB 05-3489

☞ This cover sheet, the final request sheet, and the final version of the 2003 draft were copied on yellow paper, and returned to the original 2003 drafting file.

☞ The attached 2003 draft was incorporated into the new 2005 draft listed above. For research purposes, this cover sheet and the complete drafting file were transferred, as a separate appendix, to the 2005 drafting file. If introduced this section will be scanned and added, as a separate appendix, to the electronic drafting file folder.

2003 DRAFTING REQUEST

Bill

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Received By: gmalaise

Wanted: As time permits

Identical to LRB:

For: Fred Risser (608) 266-1627

By/Representing: Sarah Briganti

This file may be shown to any legislator: NO

Drafter: gmalaise

May Contact: David Berger (414) 774-0897

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Subject: State Govt - miscellaneous

Extra Copies:

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Pre Topic:

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Topic:

Official state tartan

Instructions:

See attached--designate an official state tartan

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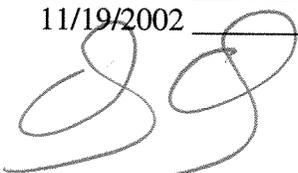
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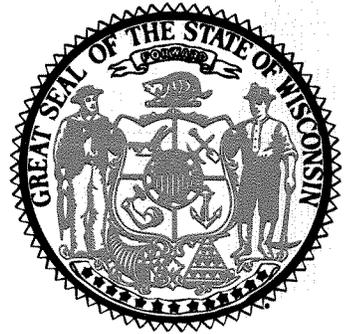
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FRED A. RISSER
President
Wisconsin State Senate



To: Jeff Kuesel
Legislative Reference Bureau

From: Sarah Briganti
Office of Senator Fred Risser

Date: 17 September 2002

RE: Drafting Request

At the request of the Wisconsin Scottish Clans and Societies Association, Senator Risser would like to request that legislation be drafted to amend Chapter 1.10 of the Statutes to include an "Official State Tartan".

For your reference, I have enclosed information on the tartan being presented as the proposed "Official State Tartan", as well as information on similar statutory language from North Carolina.

If you should have any questions please feel free to contact me (6-1627), or David Berger (414-774-0897).

Draft.

WR Scottish clans
& Societies ASS'n(?)

The Wisconsin Tartan was commissioned by Robert McWilliam, of Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin. The tartan was designed by Dr. Philip Smith, President of The Tartan Educational and Cultural Assoc. based on the color scheme and type of tartan requested by Mr. McWilliam. The color scheme is that of a hunting tartan as this is the general color scheme of the tartans of the more famous Wisconsin Scots. The more recognized Wisconsin Scottish names that have this hunting color scheme are as follows:

- Rose
- MacArthur
- Mitchell
- Muir
- MacCallum

Register w/ Tartan Society?
Gray = Neutral? CRB?
K? Scottish Society?

The Tartan is not exclusive to the clans of Scotland, quite the contrary. All of the districts in Scotland have a tartan. All of the counties in Ireland now have their individual tartans. All of the Provinces in Canada have their tartans Twenty ~~one~~ ^{six} or twenty ~~two~~ ^{two} states have a tartan. The Marines, the Navy, the Air Force, The West Point Military Academy have Tartans.

NH 3.21

The following is list of the known state tartans:

- Arizona
- Arkansas
- California
- North and South Carolina
- Colorado
- Connecticut
- Georgia
- Idaho
- Indiana
- Main
- Massachusetts
- Michigan (Upper Peninsula)
- Minnesota
- Ohio
- Pennsylvania
- Texas
- Utah
- Vermont
- Washington

Reproductions of these state tartans are attached.

The colors in the Wisconsin Tartan represent the various industries that have made this great state what it is today. The industries represented are as follows:

Brown - For the Fur Trade

Grey - For the Lead mines

Green - For the Lumber Industry and the great Pinery that was once Wisconsin

Blue - For the two Great Lakes and the Land of Lakes that make up our resort Industry

Yellow - For the Dairy Industry

Red - For the Iron ore industry and for the University of Wisconsin System

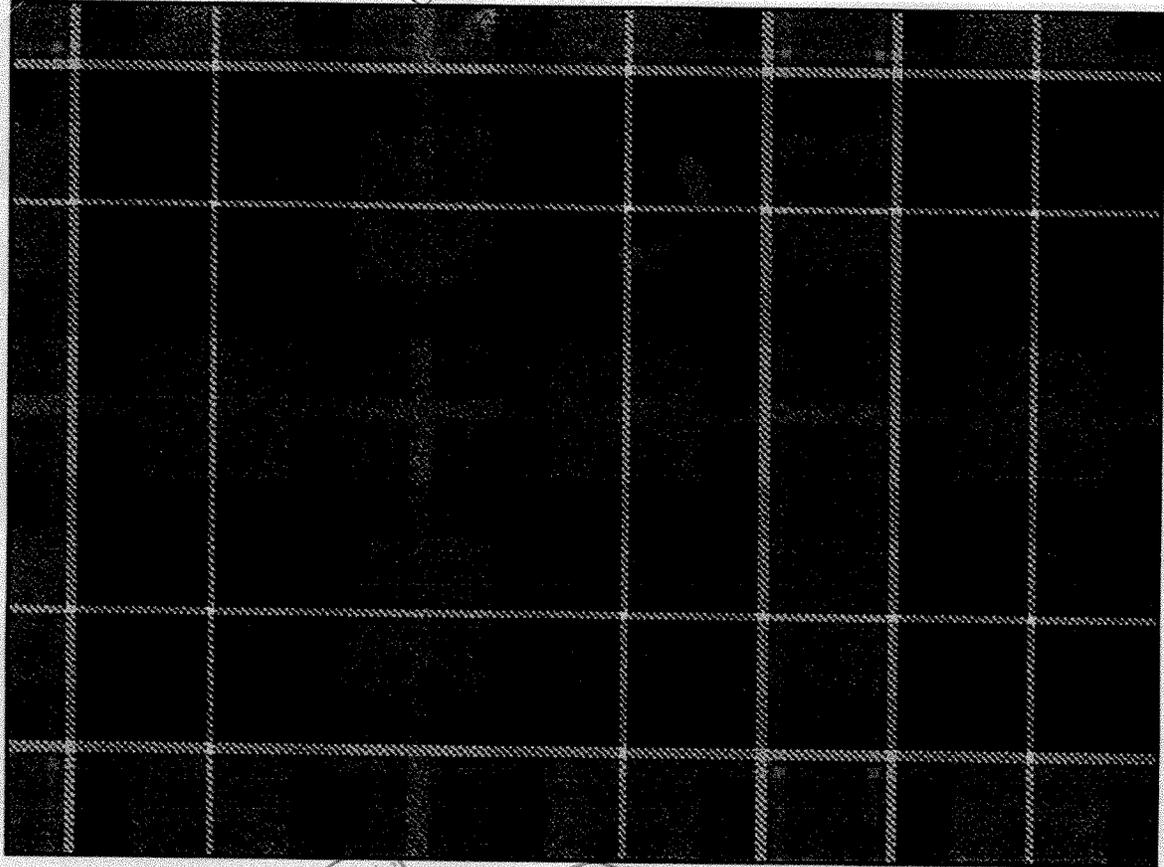
It may also be said that the combination of the Green and Yellow represents the professional sports industry now flourishing in the state..

Colors represent industries past & present

Blue - lakes & rivers

Green - forests

Brown - fur trade



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Notes:

Thread Count, pivots half:

B/22 R6 B4 N6 K28 G40 Y4 G40 K28 B22 T/6 Pivot Point

N.B.: B is "Muted Blue (B3); G is "Dark Green" (DG); T is "Dark Tan/Brown (DT); Y is "Darker Yellow" (DY2); N is "Medium Neutral" (NN); R is "Modern red" (R1).

K ?

MB

Red = Scarlet

M Blue

Grey

Black

Green (Dark)

Yellow (Dark)

Green

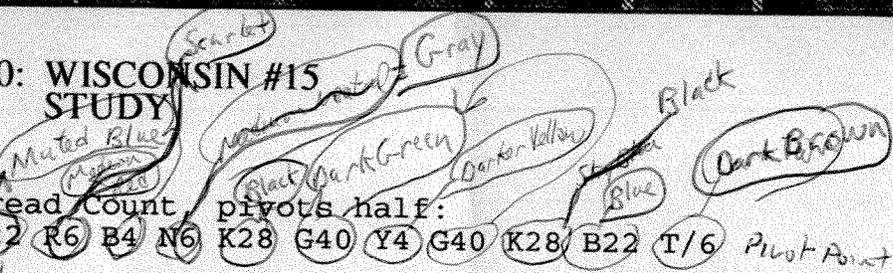
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Blue M

Tan - Medium Brown
Dark

1 set

Pivot to Pivot



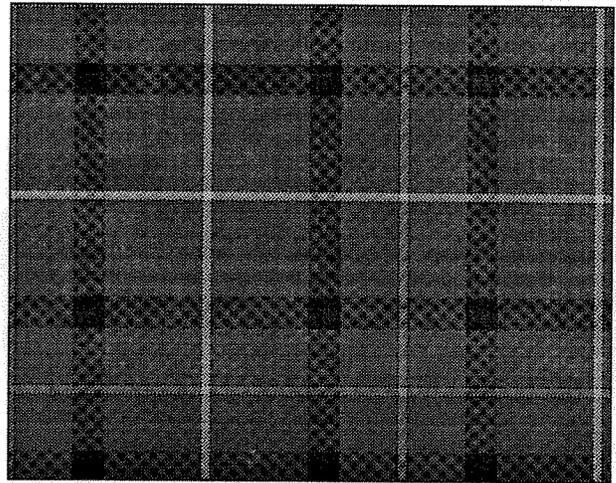
California Tartan Honors John Muir

California Government Code Section 424.3

AB 614, 2001 California Statutes ch. 100

BILL NUMBER: AB 614 CHAPTERED
BILL TEXT

CHAPTER 100
FILED WITH SECRETARY OF STATE JULY 24,
2001
APPROVED BY GOVERNOR JULY 23, 2001
PASSED THE ASSEMBLY JULY 12, 2001
PASSED THE SENATE JULY 9, 2001
AMENDED IN SENATE JUNE 19, 2001
AMENDED IN ASSEMBLY MAY 8, 2001



INTRODUCED BY Assembly Members Thomson and Bill Campbell (Principal coauthor: Assembly Member NegreteMcLeod) (Principal coauthor: Senator McPherson) (Coauthors: Assembly Members Alquist, Ashburn, Briggs, John Campbell, Cardoza, Cohn, Corbett, Cox, Dickerson, Hertzberg, Hollingsworth, Kehoe, Leonard, Maddox, Matthews, Nation, Salinas, Shelley, Strom-Martin, and Wayne)

FEBRUARY 22, 2001

An act to add Section 424.3 to the Government Code, relating to the State of California.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 614, Thomson. State of California: official State Tartan. Existing law designates the state's flag, motto, nickname, flower, dance, song, tree, reptile, bird, colors, insect, animal, mineral, rock, gemstone, marine mammal, marine fish, soil, fossil, and prehistoric artifact. This bill would designate the official State Tartan, as described.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The Legislature finds and declares all of the following:

(a) The Scottish people and their descendants have traditionally utilized woven fabrics, called tartan, as emblematic of their family and cultural heritage.

(b) The oppression of Scots included the Dress Act of 1747, which was suppressive legislation that forbade wearing the kilt, playing the bagpipe, or even displaying a swatch of tartan. The penalty for breaking this law was six months in jail on the first offense, and on the second offense deportation to the colonies in America or

Australia for seven years of indentured labor.

(c) The tartan is a symbol of Scottish courage in the face of adversity, of loyalty to family and friend, and of the human qualities of perseverance in a just cause and strength in the resolve that freedom is for the many, not the few, which may serve as a continuing inspiration for all people today.

(d) California is the most culturally diverse state in the nation. Californians of Scottish, Scots-Irish, and other Celtic descent have made major contributions to the history and development of the state.

(e) The state's natural splendor and history have been symbolized in the pattern and colors of the California Tartan sett based on the family tartan of the revered John Muir, but with sufficient originality as to be independently recordable with the Scottish Tartans Society and the Scottish Tartans Authority as a unique tartan. The tartan's blue reflects the sky, the ocean, and the state's rivers and lakes, while the green stands for the state's mountains, fields, and parks. The red, gold, and blue seams signify the arts, sciences, agriculture, and industry of California.

SEC. 2. Section 424.3 is added to the Government Code, to read:

424.3.

(a) The tartan defined in subdivision (b) is the official State Tartan, and may be claimed by any resident of the state.

(b) The official State Tartan is generally described as a pattern or sett consisting of alternate squares of meadow green and pacific blue that are separated and surrounded by narrow charcoal bands. The squares of meadow green are divided by a gold seam that is supported by charcoal lines on each side. There are three redwood stripes, the middle of which is broader, that are added to each side of the gold seam. The pacific blue square is divided by a sky blue stripe, which is supported on each side by charcoal lines. The tartan is specifically defined by the following weave code: Y..B..G..S..G...S..G..S..G..B..A..B..K... Ancient Colors 8...2..20..4..20..8..20..4..20..32..56..2...8... Full Pivots This weave code means that the threads begin with 8 threads of yellow, followed by 2 threads of black, 20 threads of green, 4 threads of scarlet, 20 threads of green, 8 threads of scarlet, 20 threads of green, 4 threads of scarlet, 20 threads of green, 32 threads of black, 56 threads of azure, 2 threads of black, and 8 threads of sky blue. At that point the weave pivots and returns, beginning with 2 threads of black, and continuing the sequence in reverse order through 8 threads of yellow, at which point it pivots back again.

More on California Tartan

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State of Wisconsin
2003 - 2004 LEGISLATURE

LRB-0113/P ①

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1 AN ACT...; relating to: designating a state tartan.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Current law designates a state song, ballad, waltz, polka, symbol of peace, beverage, tree, grain, flower, bird, fish, animal, domestic animal, wildlife animal, dog, insect, fossil, mineral, rock, and soil. This bill designates a state tartan.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

2 SECTION 1. 1.10 (3) (q) of the statutes is created to read:

3 1.10 (3) (q) The tartan whose thread count is described in this paragraph is the
4 state tartan. The thread count for the state tartan shall begin with 22 threads of
5 muted blue, followed by 6 threads of red, 4 threads of muted blue, 6 threads of
6 medium neutral, 28 threads of sky blue, 40 threads of dark green, 4 threads of yellow,
7 40 threads of dark green, 28 threads of sky blue, 22 threads of muted blue, and 6
8 threads of dark tan, at which point the weave pivots and returns, beginning with 22

Sen cat

dance

scarlet

gray

black

dark

black

brown

1 threads of muted blue, and continuing the sequence in reverse order through 22
2 threads of muted blue, at which point the weave pivots back again.

3 **SECTION 2.** 1.10 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 1.10 (4) The Wisconsin Blue Book shall include the information contained in
5 this section concerning the state song, ballad, waltz, dance, beverage, tree, grain,
6 flower, bird, fish, animal, domestic animal, wildlife animal, dog, insect, fossil,
7 mineral, rock, ~~and soil,~~ and tartan.

8 **History:** 1971 c. 14, 129, 167, 228, 307; 1977 c. 326; 1983 a. 33; 1985 a. 162, 295, 332; 1987 a. 279; 1989 a. 162; 1993 a. 411; 1999 a. 83, 186; 2001 a. 16.
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**DRAFTER'S NOTE
FROM THE
LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU**

LRB-0113/1dn

GMM.....

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cmh

date

Senator Risser:

Please have the people from the Wisconsin Scottish Clans and Societies Association (WSCSA) review this draft carefully to ensure that the description of the tartan in the draft is accurate. ~~The thread count submitted by the WSCSA does not indicate what color "K" stands for, so I looked at the laws of other states that have official tartans and found that in California "K" stands for sky blue. See s. 424.3 of the California Government Code. Accordingly, I interpreted "K" to mean sky blue. If that is incorrect, please advise.~~

Gordon M. Malaise
Senior Legislative Attorney
Phone: (608) 266-9738
E-mail: gordon.malaise@legis.state.wi.us

**DRAFTER'S NOTE
FROM THE
LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU**

LRB-0113/1dn
GMM:cmh:cph

November 15, 2002

Senator Risser:

Please have the people from the Wisconsin Scottish Clans and Societies Association (WSCSA) review this draft carefully to ensure that the description of the tartan in the draft is accurate.

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Malaise, Gordon

From: Robert McWilliam [rmcwilliam@wi.rr.com]
Sent: Friday, December 27, 2002 12:51 PM
To: gordon.malaise@legis.state.wi.us
Subject: FW: _1226080543_001



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Gordon,

I just received this from Phil Smith in response to a copy of the 2003 Bill I sent him requesting confirmation that the thread count and colors were OK. Unfortunately it was sent to my old office address and took a couple of days for them to send it to me. I hope his notes will make sense to you. I will see that Dave Berger will get a copy. Best Regards.
Bob McWilliam

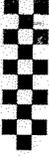
-----Original Message-----

From: Bob Juday [mailto:rjuday@imprexusa.com]
Sent: Thursday, December 26, 2002 8:12 AM
To: Robert McWilliam (E-mail)
Subject: _1226080543_001

Bob;

This just showed up one day on my desk. I don't know how it got here, but I thought you might like to have it. Hope you had a wonderful Christmas...Keep those jokes and stories coming. See you soon, Bob

_1226080543_001



Bob,

The text should read:

"The thread count for the state tartan shall begin with 44 threads of muted blue, followed by 6 threads of scarlet, 6 threads of grey, 28 threads of black, 40 threads of dark green, 4 threads of dark yellow, 40 threads of dark green, 28 threads of black, 22 threads of muted blue, and 12 threads of dark brown, at which point the weave pivots and returns through the 22 threads of muted blue until it reaches and goes through the beginning point of 44 threads of mute blue where it reverses again."

I think that this wil remove the ambiguity.

Is "grey" misspelled as "gray" or is it the other way around. In the original text that you sent it is "gray."

I have been laid up with a broken ankle -- just now getting back at the computer.

Phil Smith



State of Wisconsin
2003 - 2004 LEGISLATURE

LRB-0113/A(2)
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2003 BILL

Regen

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2 to: designating a state tartan.

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3 SECTION 1. 1.10 (3) (q) of the statutes is created to read:

44 ✓

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5 state tartan. The thread count for the state tartan shall begin with 22 threads of
6 muted blue, followed by 6 threads of scarlet, 4 threads of muted blue, 6 threads of
7 gray, 28 threads of black, 40 threads of dark green, 4 threads of dark yellow, 40
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until the weave reaches the
beginning point of 44 threads
of muted blue

reverses,

SECTION 1

going through

1 of dark brown, at which point the weave ~~pivots and returns~~, beginning with 22
2 threads of muted blue, and continuing the sequence in reverse order ~~through 22~~
3 ~~threads of muted blue~~, at which point the weave ~~pivots back~~ again.

reverses

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this section concerning the state song, ballad, waltz, dance, beverage, tree, grain,
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mineral, rock, and soil, and tartan.

(END)

Malaise, Gordon

From: Kuesel, Jeffery
Sent: Wednesday, January 15, 2003 4:27 PM
To: Malaise, Gordon
Subject: FW: LRB 0113/2

-----Original Message-----

From: Briganti, Sarah
Sent: Wednesday, January 15, 2003 3:12 PM
To: Kuesel, Jeffery
Cc: Krieser, Steve
Subject: LRB 0113/2

Jeff,

This is to let you know that Senator Tom Reynolds will be taking over drafting of LRB 0113/2. He will be the primary author in the Senate and will likely be introducing the bill.

Thank you.

Sarah Briganti
Legislative Assistant
Office of Senator Fred Risser
266-1627



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1 of dark brown, at which point the weave reverses, going through 22 threads of muted
2 blue, and continuing the sequence in reverse order until the weave reaches the
3 beginning point of 44 threads of muted blue, at which point the weave reverses again.

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9 (END)