

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Health, Children, Families, Aging and Long Term Care

Assembly Bill 4

Relating to: creating a nonrefundable individual income tax credit for certain amounts relating to health savings accounts that may be deducted from, or are exempt from, federal income taxes.

By Representatives Kaufert, Moulton, Nischke, Hundertmark, Wieckert, Gielow, Rhoades, Jensen, Vos, Kerkman, Ott, Van Roy, McCormick, Davis, Suder, Ainsworth, Nass, Stone, Freese, Gundrum, Underheim, Hines, Petrowski, Gronemus, Ziegelbauer, Lothian, Hubler, Ward, Kestell, Townsend, Albers, LeMahieu, J. Fitzgerald, Owens, Vrakas, Meyer, Strachota, Jeskewitz, Kreibich, Pettis, Musser, Kleefisch, Towns, Vukmir and Wood; cosponsored by Senators Darling, Leibham, Harsdorf, Kapanke, Zien, A. Lasee, Stepp, Olsen, Kanavas, Roessler, Grothman, Lazich and Brown.

March 08, 2005 Referred to Committee on Health, Children, Families, Aging and Long Term Care.

March 30, 2005 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Roessler, Darling, Brown, Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Alberta Darling — Senator
- Pat Osborne — WI Association of Life and Health Insurers
- R.J. Pirlot — WI. Manufacturers and Commerce
- Bill Smith — National Federation of Independent Business

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Robert Phillips — Marshfield Clinic

Registrations For

- Brandon Scholtz
- Mark Honadel — Representative
- Terry Moulton — Representative
- Joe Leibham — Sentaor
- Mark Wadium — Outagamie County

- Andy Franken — Wausau Benefits, Inc.
- Tony Langenohl — AHIP
- Sabrina Gentile — WI. Farm Bureau
- Jordan Lamb — Professional Insurance Agents
- Jordan Lamb — Independent Insurance Agents
- Jordan Lamb — National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors
- Louis Schubert — American Family Insurance
- Dean Kaufert — Representative
- Allan Patek — Humana
- Pete Hanson — WI. Restaurant Association
- Josh Watson — Golden Rule
- Chad Zuleger — Pacific Care-AMS
- Dan Schwartz — WI. Association of Provider Networks
- Dan Schwartz — National Association of Professional Benefit
- Dan Schwartz — WI. Association of Health Underwriters

Registrations Against

- Susan McMurray — AFSCME
- Joanne Ricca — WI. State AFL-CIO
- Pat Dovnaus — SEIU
- Robert Kraig — SEIU Wisconsin State Council

March 30, 2005

EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (5) Senators Roessler, Darling, Brown, Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Roessler, seconded by Senator Darling that **Assembly Bill 4** be recommended for concurrence.

Ayes: (3) Senators Roessler, Darling and Brown.

Noes: (2) Senators Erpenbach and Carpenter.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2

Jennifer Stegall
Committee Clerk