Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Job Creation, Economic Development and Consumer Affairs

Senate Bill 563

Relating to: creating income and franchise tax credits for expenses related to film production services and for capital investments made by a film production company, requiring the exercise of rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

By Senators Kanavas, Darling, Kedzie, Lassa, Risser and Plale; cosponsored by Representatives Gielow, Wasserman, Zepnick, Kerkman, F. Lasee, Vos, Loeffelholz, Strachota, Sherman, Lehman, Stone, Fields, Berceau, Sheridan, Pettis, Newcomer, Cullen, Seidel, Molepske, Toles, Pope-Roberts and Kleefisch.

February 03, 2006 Referred to Committee on Job Creation, Economic Development and Consumer Affairs.

February 7, 2006 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Kanavas, Zien, Reynolds and Lassa.

Absent: (1) Senator Decker.

Appearances For

- Ted Kanavas, Brookfield State Senator, WI State Senate -33rd District
- Alberta Darling, Madison Senator, Wisconsin State Legislature
- Doug Neilson, Milwaukee Visit Milwaukee
- Brad Pruitt, Milwaukee
- Lori Lins, Milwaukee Lori Lins LTD
- Michael Graf, Madison Spot Film Works & Film Wisconsin
- Daniel Moore, Chicago Directors Guild of America
- Scott Robbe, Madison Film Wisconsin
- George Tzougros, Madison Wisconsin Arts Board

Appearances Against

• None.

Appearances for Information Only

• None.

Registrations For

• Julia Hertel — Wisconsin Convention & Visitor Bureaus

- Steven White, Milwaukee
- Scott Thom, Madison
- Michael Wautier, Milwaukee Milwaukee International Film Festival
- David Fantle, Bayside Visit Milwaukee
- Patricia Algiers, Shorewood
- Steve Bass, Milwaukee MMAC
- Jan Brethawaur, Milwaukee Jennifer's Talent
- Jason Johns, Madison National Association of Theatre Owners of WI & Upper Michigan

Registrations Against

• None.

February 9, 2006 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Kanavas, Zien, Reynolds and Lassa.

Absent: (1) Senator Decker.

Moved by Senator Kanavas, seconded by Senator Zien that **Senate Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (4) Senators Kanavas, Zien, Reynolds and Lassa.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Senator Decker.

ADOPTION OF SENATE AMENDMENT 1 RECOMMENDED, Ayes 4, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Kanavas, seconded by Senator Zien that **Senate Bill 563** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (4) Senators Kanavas, Zien, Reynolds and Lassa.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Senator Decker.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 4, Noes 0

James Michel Committee Clerk