

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Public Health

Assembly Bill 717

Relating to: fire safety performance standards for cigarettes, making an appropriation, and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Hines, Wasserman, Young, A. Ott, Sinicki, Benedict, Berceau, Grigsby and Molepske; cosponsored by Senators Robson, Hansen, Miller, Lehman, Risser, Coggs, Cowles, Roessler and Sullivan.

January 22, 2008 Referred to Committee on Public Health.

January 30, 2008 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (9) Representatives Hines, Vukmir, Ballweg,
 Moulton, Nerison, Benedict, Wasserman,
 Schneider and Black.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- J.A. Hines — Rep.
- Lori Wirth — City of Madison Fire Department
- David Bloom — WI State Fire Chiefs Assoc.
- Mahlon Mitchell — Wisconsin Alliance for Fire Safety
- Nadine Gratz — Office of Sen. Judy Robson

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Judy Robson — Senator
- Ed Huck — WI Alliance of Cities
- Kelly McDowell — Altria/Phillip Morris
- Debra Miller — WI Dept. of Commerce
- Dan Gengler — WI Fire Protection Coalition
- Joe Strohl — Professional Fire Fighters of WI
- Michael Welsh — WI Public Health Assoc.
- Michael Welsh — WI Association of Local Health
Departments and Boards
- Jeremy Levin, Madison — Wisconsin Medical Society

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 13, 2008

EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (8) Representatives Hines, Vukmir, Ballweg, Moulton, Nerison, Benedict, Wasserman and Schneider.

Absent: (1) Representative Black.

Moved by Representative Ballweg, seconded by Representative Moulton that **Assembly Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (7) Representatives Hines, Ballweg, Moulton, Nerison, Benedict, Wasserman and Schneider.

Noes: (1) Representative Vukmir.

Absent: (1) Representative Black.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,
Ayes 7, Noes 1

Moved by Representative Schneider, seconded by Representative Ballweg that **Assembly Bill 717** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (7) Representatives Hines, Ballweg, Moulton, Nerison, Benedict, Wasserman and Schneider.

Noes: (1) Representative Vukmir.

Absent: (1) Representative Black.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 1

Douglas Parrott
Committee Clerk