

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Health and Healthcare Reform

Assembly Bill 863

Relating to: confidentiality of health care services reviews; use as evidence of information regarding health care providers; homicide or injury by negligent handling of a dangerous weapon, explosives, or fire; criminal abuse of individuals at risk; and criminal abuse and neglect of patients and residents.

By Representatives Newcomer, Moulton, Vukmir, Soletski, Vruwink, Albers, Gunderson, Hahn, LeMahieu, M. Williams, Montgomery, Musser, Nygren, A. Ott, Strachota, Suder, Vos and Bies; cosponsored by Senators Cowles, Darling, Kanavas, Kapanke, Kedzie, Olsen and Roessler.

February 21, 2008 Referred to Committee on Health and Healthcare Reform.

March 4, 2008 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (13) Representatives Vukmir, Moulton, F. Lasee, Wieckert, Strachota, Newcomer, Nygren, Zipperer, Wasserman, Shilling, Vruwink, Benedict and Seidel.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Newcomer, seconded by Representative Vruwink that **Assembly Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (11) Representatives Vukmir, Moulton, F. Lasee, Wieckert, Strachota, Newcomer, Nygren, Zipperer, Wasserman, Shilling and Vruwink.

Noes: (2) Representatives Benedict and Seidel.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,
Ayes 11, Noes 2

Moved by Representative Vukmir, seconded by Representative Nygren that **Assembly Bill 863** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (11) Representatives Vukmir, Moulton, F. Lasee, Wieckert, Strachota, Newcomer, Nygren, Zipperer, Wasserman, Shilling and Vruwink.

Noes: (2) Representatives Benedict and Seidel.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 11, Noes 2

March 4, 2008

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (13) Representatives Vukmir, Moulton, F. Lasee, Wieckert, Strachota, Newcomer, Nygren, Zipperer, Wasserman, Shilling, Vruwink, Benedict and Seidel.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Rep. Scott Newcomer, Hartland — 33rd Assembly District
- Dana Richardson, Madison — Wisconsin Hospital Association
- Laura Leitch, Madison — Wisconsin Hospital Association
- Gina Dennik-Champion, Madison — Wisconsin Nurses Association
- Gail Hanson Brenner, Eau Claire — Wisconsin Nurses Association
- Claire Johnson, Eau Claire
- Kirsten Albers, Madison — Meriter Hospital
- Louise Omdahl, Racine
- Stephanie Blomingdale, Milwaukee — Wisconsin Federation of Nurses and Health Professionals
- Lisa Renn, De Pere

Appearances Against

- Kieth Clifford, Madison — Wisconsin Association for Justice

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Vonda Wall, Menomonie
- Jennifer Negro, Eau Claire — Wisconsin Nurses Association
- Christy Pullara, Madison — Eau Claire - University / Wisconsin Nurses Association
- Kari Metz, Eau Claire — Wisconsin Nurses Association
- Erin Traynor, Spring Valley — Wisconsin Nurses Association
- Tom Ramsey, Madison — Wisconsin Association of Homes and Services for the Aging
- Tom Petri, Madison — WI Primary Health Care Association
- Nate Elias, Madison — Marshfield Clinic
- Catherine Foltz, Madison
- Sarah Elliot, Marinette — Bay Area Medical Center
- Jim Murphy, Madison — WI Assisted Living Association

- Jim McGinn, Madison — WI Health Care Association
- Mark Grapentine, Madison — Wisconsin Medical Society
- Michael Welsh, Madison — WI Academy of Family Physicians
- R.J. Pirlot, Madison — Wisconsin Manufacturers & Commerce
- Kathryn Kuhn, Milwaukee — Medical College of WI
- Lisa Maroney, Madison — UW Hospital & Clinics
- Melissa Huggins, Madison — Meriter Health Services
- Caren Krueger, Suamico — Wisconsin Nurses Association
- Lisa Mihlbauer, Wauwatosa
- Laura Delp, Loganville
- Jennifer Delp, Loganville — MATC - Reedsburg
- Setphanie Cimermancic, Muskego — Wisconsin Nurses Association
- Rosemary Smith, Oshkosh — Wisconsin Nurses Association
- Jennifer Caretta, Racine — Wisconsin Nurses Association
- Megan Lloyd, Racine
- Rosa Aguilar, Kenosha — Wisconsin Nurses Association
- Anna Tepley, Sturtevant
- Alicia Edwards, Racine
- Roshonna Clark-Lockhart, Milwaukee — Wisconsin Nurses Association / UWM
- Angela Cone, West Allis — Wisconsin Nurses Association / UWM
- Nikki Nash, Madison — UW School of Nursing
- Cari Stuart, Wind Lake — UWM Nursing
- Jenni Bowling, Racine
- Elizabeth Torres, Racine
- Kelly Maynor, Racine
- Emily Hiatt, La Crosse — Gunderson Lutheran Health System
- Jill Winkler, Racine
- Carrie Ott, Caledonia
- Morgan Nelson, Kenosha
- Mary Jo Noble, Brookfield — MSOE
- Tammi Neville, Menomonee — MSOE
- Marcia Foltl, Madison
- Jenell Tarasievich, Milwaukee
- Nathan Hein, Milwaukee
- Catherine Schommer, Waukesha — UWM College of Nursing
- Katlynn Kelley, Grafton
- Bobbie Glaser, New Berlin
- Robert Williams, Racine
- Calle Schartner, Madison
- Nadifa Mohammed, Madison

- Bonnie Howe, Sun Prairie
- Sandra Stewart, Sheboygan
- Mary Mueller, Baraboo
- Kim Hunt, Osceola
- Cortney Ziegler, Baldwin
- Brian Nemoir, Delafield — Pro Health Care

Registrations Against

- Joe Strohl, Madison — Wisconsin Association for Justice

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

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Committee Clerk