Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Commerce, Utilities and Rail

Senate Bill 228

Relating to: the regulation of construction contractors and subcontractors, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.

By Senators Wirch, Hansen, Lehman, Decker, Cowles, Schultz, Harsdorf, Sullivan, Olsen, Lassa and Erpenbach; cosponsored by Representatives Kaufert, Mason, Steinbrink, Kreuser, Boyle, Hahn, Montgomery, Jeskewitz, Sheridan, Jorgensen, Bies, Albers, A. Ott, Petrowski, Townsend and Musser.

July 09, 2007 Referred to Committee on Commerce, Utilities and Rail.

August 2, 2007 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Plale, Breske, Wirch, Hansen,

Cowles, Harsdorf and Kedzie.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Brad Statz, Cross Plains Statz& Harrop
- Bradley Hasheider, Sauk City Hasheider Roofing and Siding
- James Steele, Monona Steele Construction Corporation
- Ron Hanko, McFarland Northern WI Regional Council of Carpenters
- Eric Strom, Greendale Carpenter's Local 344
- Arcadio Perez, West Bend Carpenters' Local 2283
- Mark Reihl, Madison WI State Council of Carpenters
- Jeff Beiriger, Milwaukee WI Roofing and Contractors' Association
- Bob Wirch, Pleasant Prairie Senator, 22nd Senate District

Appearances Against

- John Mielke, Madison ABC of Wisconsin
- Ross Kinzler, Madison WI Housing Alliance
- Brad Boycks, Madison WI Builders Association

Appearances for Information Only

 Thomas Walker, Madison — WI Transportation Builders Association

Registrations For

- Eric Englund, Madison WI Insurance Alliance
- Joanne Ricca, Milwaukee WI State AFL-CIO
- John Merritt, Evansville Carpenter's Local 314
- Mike Carey, Madison
- Rich Fistler, Burlington Carpenter's Local 314
- Matthew Parks, Janesville
- Patrick Smith, St. Germain Northern WI Regional Council of Carpenters
- Debra Miller, Madison WI Department of Commerce
- Dean Kaufert, Neenah 55th Assembly District

Registrations Against

• Amy Bliss, Madison — WI Housing Alliance

Registrations for Information Only

None.

October 25, 2007 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Plale, Breske, Wirch, Hansen,

Cowles, Harsdorf and Kedzie.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Plale, seconded by Senator Breske that **Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (7) Senators Plale, Breske, Wirch, Hansen,

Cowles, Harsdorf and Kedzie.

Noes: (0) None.

INTRODUCTION OF SENATE AMENDMENT 1 TO SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1 RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Plale, seconded by Senator Breske that **Senate Amendment 2 to Senate Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (7) Senators Plale, Breske, Wirch, Hansen,

Cowles, Harsdorf and Kedzie.

Noes: (0) None.

INTRODUCTION OF SENATE AMENDMENT 2 TO SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1 RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Kedzie, seconded by Senator Harsdorf that Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Substitute Amendment 1 be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (3) Senators Cowles, Harsdorf and Kedzie.

Noes: (4) Senators Plale, Breske, Wirch and Hansen.

ADOPTION OF SENATE AMENDMENT 1 TO SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1 NOT RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 4

Moved by Senator Harsdorf, seconded by Senator Kedzie that **Senate Amendment 2 to Senate Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (3) Senators Cowles, Harsdorf and Kedzie.

Noes: (4) Senators Plale, Breske, Wirch and Hansen.

ADOPTION OF SENATE AMENDMENT 2 TO SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1 NOT RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 4

Moved by Senator Breske, seconded by Senator Cowles that **Senate Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (6) Senators Plale, Breske, Wirch, Hansen,

Cowles and Harsdorf.

Noes: (1) Senator Kedzie.

ADOPTION OF SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1 RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 1

Moved by Senator Wirch, seconded by Senator Cowles that **Senate Bill 228** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (6) Senators Plale, Breske, Wirch, Hansen,

Cowles and Harsdorf.

Noes: (1) Senator Kedzie.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 1

Katy Venskus Committee Clerk