## **Senate**

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## **Committee on Agriculture and Higher Education**

#### Senate Bill 459

Relating to: allowing dairy cooperatives to claim the dairy manufacturing facility investment credit and making an appropriation.

By Senators Vinehout, Kapanke, Olsen and Harsdorf; cosponsored by Representatives Davis, Steinbrink, A. Ott, Albers, Gronemus, Mursau, Musser, Tauchen, Suder, Jorgensen, M. Williams, Hahn, Garthwaite, Nerison, Petrowski, Ballweg and Vruwink.

February 05, 2008 Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Higher Education.

February 20, 2008

### PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present:	(5)	Senators Vinehout, Lassa, Plale, Harsdorf and
		Kapanke.
Absent:	(0)	None.

#### Appearances For

- Rod Nilsestuen, DeForest Sec., DATCP
- Shawn Pfaff, Madison Dairy Business Assn, WI Cheesemakers
- John Manske, Madison WI Federation of Co-ops
- Brad Legreid, Middleton WI Dairy Products Assn
- George Klaetsch, Madison WI Agribusiness Council

#### Appearances Against

• None.

### Appearances for Information Only

• None.

**Registrations For** 

- Sherrie Gates-Hendrix, Madison WI Dept of Revenue
- Al Ott, Forrest Junction Rep.
- Brett Davis, Oregon Rep.
- Jeff Lyon, Madison WI Farm Bureau Federation

Registrations Against

• None.

Registrations for Information Only

• None.

## February 25, 2008 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present:	(5)	Senators Vinehout, Lassa, Plale, Harsdorf and
		Kapanke.
Absent:	(0)	None.

Moved by Senator Vinehout, seconded by Senator Kapanke that **Senate Amendment 1** be recommended for introduction and adoption.

Ayes:	(5)	Senators Vinehout, Lassa, Plale, Harsdorf
		and Kapanke.
Noes:	(0)	None.

INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION OF SENATE AMENDMENT 1 RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Vinehout, seconded by Senator Plale that **Senate Bill 459** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes:	(5)	Senators Vinehout, Lassa, Plale, Harsdorf
		and Kapanke.
Noes:	(0)	None.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Joel Nilsestuen Committee Clerk