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WEDNESDAY, June 30, 2010

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date.

CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries dated **Monday, June 28, 2010**.

REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF COMMITTEE REPORTS CONCERNING PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

The committee on **Judiciary, Corrections, Insurance, Campaign Finance Reform, and Housing** reports and recommends:

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 10–010

Relating to the collection and analysis of motor vehicle traffic stop information.

No action taken.

LENA TAYLOR Chairperson

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin Department of Children and Families

June 16 2010

The Honorable, The Senate:

Enclosed is a copy of the Child Abuse and Neglect Report, 2008 Data, pursuant to s.48.981. The report includes a statistical analysis of suspected child abuse and neglect reports received and investigated by county child protective services (CPS) agencies and the state Bureau of Milwaukee Child Welfare in calendar year 2008. The report also contains information on child fatalities due to child abuse or neglect and data regarding children who are identified as victims of abusive head trauma.

Sincerely, *REGGIE BICHA* Secretary

State of Wisconsin Legislative Audit Bureau

June 24, 2010

The Honorable, The Legislature:

The Legislative Audit Bureau has operated its Fraud, Waste, and Mismanagement Hotline since April 2008. The hotline was

established by 2007 Wisconsin Act 126 so that the public, public employees, and contractors could easily and confidentially report suspected fraud, waste, mismanagement, and other improper activities within the scope of state government.

Hotline reports are received primarily through a toll–free telephone number (1–877–FRAUD–17), but also by mail and a secure Web–based form that was developed in 2009. We review each report to determine whether the allegation or concern can be addressed by staff in state agencies or in an independent review by Audit Bureau staff. Statutes require us to protect the identity of any individual making a report and all reported concerns are tracked.

Of the 79 hotline reports we received in 2009, 53 were specific to state programs. We resolved 16 of the reported concerns; 19 remain under review, and 18 could not be substantiated with available information or required no further action.

This letter highlights hotline activities in 2009 and summarizes outcomes and findings related to reports that illustrate the variety of issues addressed through our hotline work. We appreciate the courtesy and cooperation of the various state agencies with whom we worked to resolve hotline reports or address common types of allegations.

Sincerely,

JANICE MUELLER

State Auditor

State of Wisconsin Government Accountability Board

June29, 2010

The Honorable, The Senate:

The following lobbyists have been authorized to act on behalf of the organizations set opposite their names.

For more detailed information about these lobbyists and organizations and a complete list of organizations and people authorized to lobby the 2009–2010 session of the legislature, visit the Government Accountability Board's web site at: http://gab.wi.gov/

Carey, Ray Next Generation Now Childress, Jason Walby, Kathleen Next Generation Now

Also available from the Wisconsin Government Accountability Board are reports identifying the amount and value of time state agencies have spent to affect legislative action and reports of expenditures for lobbying activities filed by organizations that employ lobbyists.

Sincerely, KEVIN KENNEDY Director and General Counsel

State of Wisconsin Department of Health Services

June 30, 2010

The Honorable, The Legislature:

I am pleased to submit to the Legislature the enclosed report as required by Wisconsin Statute s.252.01 (11). The report describes the success of the statewide immunization program and was prepared by the Wisconsin Immunization Program.

Sincerely, KAREN E. TIMBERLAKE Secretary

ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

May 20, 2010

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint HINMAN, MICHAEL, of Verona, as Administrator of Wisconsin Emergency Management, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor.

Respectfully Submitted, JIM DOYLE Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Small Business**, **Emergency Preparedness**, **Technical Colleges**, and **Consumer Protection**.

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

May 20, 2010

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint JAFARI, MARY, of La Crosse, as a member of the Radiography Examining Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2012.

Respectfully Submitted, JIM DOYLE Governor

Read and referred to committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue.

REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF COMMITTEE REPORTS CONCERNING PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 10–021

Relating to foster care and kinship care and affecting small businesses.

Submitted by Department of Children and Families.

Report received from Agency, June 24, 2010.

Referred to committee on Children and Families and Workforce Development, June 30, 2010.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 10-034

Relating to hospices and affecting small businesses. Submitted by Department of Health Services. Report received from Agency, June 29, 2010.

Referred to committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue, June 30, 2010.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 10-036

Relating to hazardous waste management. Submitted by Department of Natural Resources. Report received from Agency, June 28, 2010. Referred to committee on **Environment**, June 30, 2010.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 10–043

Relating to treatment of autism spectrum disorders and affecting small business.

Submitted by Office of the Commissioner of Insurance.

Report received from Agency, June 29, 2010.

Referred to committee on **Health, Health Insurance**, **Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue**, June 30, 2010.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 10-056

Relating to authorized hours of subsidized child care and affecting small businesses.

Submitted by Department of Children and Families.

Report received from Agency, June 30, 2010.

Referred to committee on **Children and Families and Workforce Development,** June 30, 2010.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 10–062

Relating to minor revisions to securities law and franchise law administrative code sections.

Submitted by Department of Financial Institutions.

Report received from Agency, June 30, 2010.

Referred to committee on **Veterans and Military Affairs**, **Biotechnology, and Financial Institutions**, June 30, 2010.

The committee on **Children and Families and Workforce Development** reports and recommends:

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 10-028

Relating to home visitation to prevent child abuse and neglect and affecting small businesses.

No action taken.

ROBERT JAUCH Chairperson