# **Assembly**

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

## **Committee on Consumer Protection**

### **Assembly Bill 121**

Relating to: prohibiting an insurer from requiring a certain vendor for repairing a motor vehicle, requiring adjusters to inspect motor vehicle damage, and insurance payments for motor vehicle repair costs.

By Representatives Shilling, Soletski, Hubler, Van Roy, Kerkman, Hintz, Berceau, Fields, Murtha, Hilgenberg, Young, Mursau, Huebsch, Wood, A. Williams, Zepnick, Spanbauer, Smith, Milroy, Grigsby, Brooks and Lothian; cosponsored by Senators Kreitlow, Erpenbach, Wirch, Holperin, Lehman and Cowles.

March 04, 2009 Referred to Committee on Consumer Protection.

#### April 8, 2009 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (8) Representatives Hintz, Soletski, Hixson, Pope-Roberts, Roys, Lothian, Spanbauer and Meyer.

Absent: (1) Representative Kleefisch.

## Appearances For

- Jennifer Shilling, La Crosse Representative, Wisconsin State Assembly
- Brady Jacobson, Stoddard Wisconsin Auto Collision Technicians Association, LTD
- Robert Friet, La Crosse J&H Auto Body
- Lee Vieregge, La Crosse Dahl Ford
- Tom Day, Eau Claire Ken Vance Motors, Inc.
- Art Krohikowski, Reedsburg Reedsburg Auto Body
- Jim Short, Green Bay Klein-Dickert Auto Glass
- Bill Sepic, Madison WI Auto and Truck
- Gary Corbett, DeForest Zimbrick, Inc. WACTAL
- Mike Miyagawa, Madison M&M Auto Body

#### Appearances Against

- Jon Stevermer, Sun Prairie State Farm
- Chuck Fravel, Neenah American Family Mutual Insurance
- Ron Squire, Madison
- John Ziereis, Stevens Point Sentry Insurance
- Pete Arttus, Madison Farmers Insurance
- Brian DiMasi, Columbus Belron, US
- Brad Meyer, Brooklyn Center ABRA Auto

- Andy Franken, Madison Wisconsin Insurance Alliance
- Misha Lee, Stevens Point Sentry Insurance

## **Appearances for Information Only**

• None.

### **Registrations For**

- Pat Kreitlow, Chippewa Falls Senator, Wisconsin State Senate
- Tim Carpenter, Milwaukee Senator, Wisconsin State Senate
- Mike Behr, Harshaw Independent Auto Glass Shops
- Jeff Lyden, Tomah Lyden Auto Body, Inc
- Nick Blomberg, Medford
- Sue Peterson, Pewaukee WACTAL
- Amy Olson, Madison Klein-Dickert Co., Inc
- Wayne Corey, Madison Wisconsin Independent Businesses
- Bill Smith, Madison National Federation of Independent Businesses

## Registrations Against

- Andrew Burkart, Sheboygan
- Matt Moroney, Madison Independent Insurance Agents of Wisconsin
- Pat Strachota, West Bend Representative, Wisconsin State Assembly
- Ron Von Haden, Madison Professional Insurance Agents of Wisconsin
- Heather Wright, Chicago Farmers Insurance
- Brad Zweck, Wausau Liberty Mutual
- Barbara Ulbrich, Bloomington State Farm Insurance
- Mindy Walker, Madison American International Group

#### Registrations for Information Only

• Ron Wilema, Milton — Glass America

April 22, 2010 Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.

Cecely Castillo Committee Clerk