

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Consumer Protection

Assembly Bill 438

Relating to: changes in the regulation of boxing contests, regulating mixed martial arts fighting contests, granting rule-making authority, making an appropriation, and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Colon, Pocan, Zepnick, Hintz, Zigmunt, Kleefisch, Vruwink, Richards, Cullen, Staskunas, Honadel and Seidel; cosponsored by Senators Hansen, Lehman, Plale, Cowles, Lassa, Taylor and Sullivan.

September 23, 2009 Referred to Committee on Consumer Protection.

November 4, 2009 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (6) Representatives Hintz, Soletski, Roys, Lothian, Spanbauer and Meyer.

Absent: (3) Representatives Hixson, Pope-Roberts and Kleefisch.

Appearances For

- Pedro Colon — Representative
- Dave Hansen — Senator
- Hector Colon — Dept. of Regulation and Licensing
- Tim Westlake, Hartland — Dr.
- Sal D'Amato, Milwaukee
- Mark Plavkan, Madison
- Al Wichgers, Waterford
- Adam Sandoval, Green Bay — Combat USA
- Scott Joffe, Milwaukee — Duke Roufus Academy \$ Gladiators Fighting, LLC
- Brandon Tracy, Mount Horeb — Infusion Mixed Martial Arts
- Ryan Wortner, Green Bay — The Dungeon/Combat USA
- Jeff Nass, Pulaski
- Duke Roufus, West Allis — Duke Roufus MMA Academy

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Bob Lynch, Madison

Registrations For

- Jeff Plale — Senator, 7th Senate District
- Ted Zigmunt — Representative
- Melody Wichgers, Waterford
- Adam Fiul, Mequon
- Joel Wortner, Green Bay — The Dungeoun/Combat USA
- Zach Beaman, Waukesha
- Miquel Lockhart, Waukesha

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

April 22, 2010

Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.

Cecely Castillo
Committee Clerk