Senate
Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Government Operations and Consumer Protection

Senate Bill 698

Relating to: duties and powers of the Department of Safety and Professional Services concerning certain credentialing and occupational licensing functions; mandatory meeting requirements for various boards and councils; membership and rules procedures of certain boards; discipline and examination and other licensure requirements for certain professionals; plumbing and fire protection systems and swimming pool plan review; requiring the exercise of rule-making authority; making appropriations; and providing penalties.

By Senator Stroebel; cosponsored by Representative Vorpagel.

February 02, 2016 Referred to Committee on Government Operations and Consumer Protection

February 04, 2016 **Public Hearing Held**

Present:	(5)	Senator Stroebel; Senators LeMahieu, Kapenga, Harris Dodd and Wirch.
Absent:	(0)	None.
Excused:	(0)	None.

Appearances For

- Jeff Weigand - Department of Safety and Professional Services
- Robert Schlaeger - Department of Safety and Professional Services

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Bob Dupont - Alliance for Regulatory Coordination

Registrations For

- Duey Stroebel - 20th Senate District

Registrations Against

- Marty King - Wisconsin Fire Protection Coalition

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 10, 2016 **Executive Session Held**

Present:	(5)	Senator Stroebel; Senators LeMahieu, Kapenga, Harris Dodd and Wirch.
Absent:	(0)	None.
Excused:	(0)	None.

Moved by Senator Stroebel, seconded by Senator LeMahieu that **Senate Bill 698** be recommended for passage.

Ayes:	(5)	Senator Stroebel; Senators LeMahieu, Kapenga, Harris Dodd and Wirch.
Noes:	(0)	None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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John Soper
Committee Clerk