

# STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Senate Journal

## One-Hundred and Third Regular Session

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THURSDAY, January 25, 2018

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

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### REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Economic Development, Commerce and Local Government** reported and recommended:

**Senate Bill 671**

Relating to: University of Wisconsin research contracts.

Passage.

Ayes: 7 - Senators Feyen, Petrowski, Darling, Testin, Ringhand, Bewley and Johnson.

Noes: 0 - None.

**Senate Bill 679**

Relating to: talent attraction and retention initiatives and making an appropriation.

Passage.

Ayes: 4 - Senators Feyen, Petrowski, Darling and Testin.

Noes: 3 - Senators Ringhand, Bewley and Johnson.

*DAN FEYEN*

Chairperson

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### PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Carpenter added as a co-author of **Senate Bill 672**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Petrowski added as a co-author of **Senate Bill 671**.

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**State of Wisconsin**  
**Office of the Senate President**

January 25, 2018

The Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 46 (2)(c), I am writing to inform you that I have directed the following proposals to be withdrawn from committee and rereferred. I have obtained the consent of the appropriate standing committee chairperson and the chairperson of the committee on **Senate Organization**.

**Senate Bill 528**, relating to: creating a nonrefundable individual income tax credit for certain expenses incurred by

a family caregiver to assist a qualified family member., withdrawn from the committee on **Workforce Development, Military Affairs and Senior Issues** and rereferred to the joint committee on **Finance**.

**Senate Bill 679**, relating to: talent attraction and retention initiatives and making an appropriation., withdrawn from the committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to the joint committee on **Finance**.

Sincerely,  
*ROGER ROTH*  
President

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The following bills have been rereferred to the committee on **Insurance, Financial Services, Constitution and Federalism**, by the Senate President, pursuant to Senate Rule 20 (1)(c):

**Senate Joint Resolution 54**, Relating to: an advisory referendum on an amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

**Senate Joint Resolution 63**, relating to: slavery or involuntary servitude in punishment of a crime (first consideration).

**Senate Joint Resolution 65**, relating to: eliminating constitutional restrictions on marriage (first consideration).

**Senate Joint Resolution 95**, relating to: eligibility and conditions for release prior to conviction of persons accused of certain crimes and considerations for imposing bail (first consideration).

**Senate Bill 210**, relating to: prohibiting the Investment Board from making certain investments.

**Senate Bill 245**, relating to: requiring a supermajority vote for bills overturning local government policies, ordinances, and regulations.

**Senate Bill 583**, relating to: securities registration exemptions related to crowdfunding.

**Senate Bill 586**, relating to: guaranteed asset protection products sold in connection with vehicle credit sales, loans, and consumer leases.

**Senate Bill 710**, relating to: coercive conditions attached to federal funding.

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**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Senate Majority Leader**

January 19, 2018

The Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 20 (2)(a), I am making the following appointments to the 2017-18 Senate standing committees:

**INSURANCE, FINANCIAL SERVICES,  
CONSTITUTION AND FEDERALISM**

- Senator Craig (*Chair*)
- Senator Stroebel (*Vice Chair*)
- Senator Feyen

With regard to members of the minority party, appointments are based on nominations by the minority leader.

Sincerely,  
*SCOTT FITZGERALD*  
Majority Leader

**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Senate Majority Leader**

January 25, 2018

The Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 20 (2)(a), I am appointing Senator Alberta Darling chair of the committee on

**Universities and Technical Colleges**, effective immediately.

Sincerely,  
*SCOTT FITZGERALD*  
Majority Leader

**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Senate Majority Leader**

January 25, 2018

The Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 20 (2)(a), I am appointing Senator Devin LeMahieu to the committee on **Agriculture, Small Business and Tourism**, effective immediately.

Sincerely,  
*SCOTT FITZGERALD*  
Majority Leader

**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Senate Majority Leader**

January 25, 2018

The Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 20 (2)(a), I am appointing Senator Chris Kapenga to the committee on **Labor and Regulatory Reform**, effective immediately.

Sincerely,  
*SCOTT FITZGERALD*  
Majority Leader