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STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

Seventy-Ninth Session

FRIDAY, August 1, 1969.

9:00 o'clock A.M.

The senate met.

The senate was called to order by the president pro tempore.

Prayer was offered by Senator Swan.

The calling of the roll was dispensed with, upon motion of Senator Roseleip, with unanimous consent.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Senate Bill 640

Relating to standards for construction and design of mobile homes manufactured or sold in this state.

By Senator Heinzen; co-sponsored by Assemblyman Parkin.

Read first time.

To committee on Transportation.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Senate Petition 452

A petition from 20 residents from Kewaunee County urging legislation to restore 35% of the Liquor Tax to the Veterans' Trust Fund.

By Senator Meunier.

To committee on Governmental and Veterans' Affairs.

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Senate Petition 453

A petition from 40 residents of Manitowoc County urging legislation to restore 35% of the Liquor Tax to the Veterans Trust Fund.

By Senator Meunier.

To committee on Governmental and Veterans' Affairs.

Senate Petition 454

A petition from 20 residents of Kewaunee County urging legislation to restore 35% of the Liquor Tax to the Veterans Trust Fund.

By Senator Meunier.

To committee on Governmental and Veterans' Affairs.

Senate Petition 455

A petition from 19 residents from Manitowoc County in favor of Senate Bill 546 concerning barbering licenses.

By Senator Meunier.

To committee on Health and Social Services.

Senate Petition 456

A petition from 60 residents from Milwaukee urging legislation to restore 35% of the Liquor Tax to the Veterans Trust Fund.

By Senator Whittow.

To committee on Governmental and Veterans' Affairs.

State of Wisconsin
Claims Board

July 29, 1969.

Mr. William P. Nugent
Senate Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Madison, Wisconsin 53702

Dear Mr. Nugent

The State Claims Board is submitting this report to you in accordance with the provisions of Section 16.007 of the Statutes covering claims on which the Board has taken executive action.

The amount recommended for payment is under \$500 and has, therefore, under the provisions of the statutes, been paid directly by the Board.

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The Claims Board would appreciate your acceptance of this report and the spreading of it upon the Journal to inform the members of the Legislature as to the nature of the type of claims which come before the Board for its consideration.

Sincerely,
GLEN E. POMMERENING,
Secretary.

**BEFORE THE
CLAIMS COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN**

A hearing was held at Madison, Wisconsin, on March 1, 1968, upon the claim of Wisconsin Telephone Company for \$678.47.

On September 22, 1966, underground telephone cables owned by the claimant and within the right of way of State Trunk Highway 190 in the City of Brookfield were damaged by employees of the State Highway Commission, who were digging post holes. The Commission finds that the damage was caused by state employees, but that damages of only \$499.95 have been proved. The Commission concludes that payment of that amount is justified under the provisions of section 16.007, Statutes.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, this 25th day of July, 1969.

WALTER G. HOLLANDER,
Chairman, Senate Committee
on Finance.

BYRON F. WACKETT,
Chairman, Assembly Committee
on Finance.

GLEN E. POMMERENING,
Representative of Commissioner
of Administration.

FREDERICK MILLER,
Representative of Governor.

E. WESTON WOOD,
Representative of Attorney General.

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EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

**The State of Wisconsin
Executive Office
Madison 53702**

July 29, 1969.

To The Honorable, The Legislature:

While I have, today, signed **Senate Bill 543 (Chapter 129)** in recognition of the dire need for physicians currently being experienced by many communities in Wisconsin, I have done so with reservation.

I urge the Legislature to pass, at the earliest possible date, legislation which would establish uniform standards for making exception to our current law relating to licensing of foreign physicians. I view this step as essential to the effective operation of our Medical Examining Board which operates to protect the public by determining the qualifications of all applicants.

Neither the Legislature nor the Governor is in a position to measure the educational qualifications of any given applicant. In addition, it seems only fair that the law apply equally to all applicants. Any exceptions to our licensing requirements relating to citizenship should be known and available to all.

It is my intention to withhold my signature from any future special legislation exempting an individual from licensing or citizenship requirements for the practice of medicine in this state.

Respectfully submitted,

**WARREN P. KNOWLES,
Governor.**

July 31, 1969.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to the provisions of the statutes governing, I hereby nominate and with the advice and consent of the senate appoint **Hilding Haag, of Madison, as a member of**

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the Consumer Credit Review Board, to serve for a term ending May 1, 1974.

Respectfully submitted,

WARREN P. KNOWLES,
Governor.

Read.

To committee on Labor, Taxation, Insurance and Banking.

To the Honorable, the Senate:

The following bills, originating in the senate, have been approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State.

Senate Bill	Chapter No.	Date Approved
7 -----	125 -----	July 29, 1969
104 -----	126 -----	July 29, 1969
315 -----	127 -----	July 29, 1969
361 -----	128 -----	July 29, 1969
543 -----	129 -----	July 29, 1969
623 -----	130 -----	July 29, 1969
116 -----	131 -----	July 30, 1969

Respectfully submitted,

WARREN P. KNOWLES,
Governor.

Senate Bill 490

Was recalled from the joint committee on Finance, upon motion of Senator Roseleip, with unanimous consent, and referred to joint Survey committee on Tax Exemptions.

Upon motion of Senator Roseleip, with unanimous consent, the senate returned to the 5th order of business.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

**REPORT OF JOINT SURVEY COMMITTEE
ON TAX EXEMPTIONS**

APPENDIX TO SENATE BILL 490

Public Policy Involved

To relieve the burden of the law where events are infrequently held, the department of revenue issued administra-

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tive opinion No. 32 in 1962 which provides that otherwise taxable events that do not occur more than three times in a calendar year and in total do not exceed seven days in duration are to be considered occasional sales and therefore exempt from the sales tax law. Events sponsored by a fire department organization may presently qualify for this occasion sale exemption. Expanding this exemption to provide an exemption for the sale of all admissions and commodities by such organizations, where such sales could be in direct competition with similar private enterprise would result in a competitive advantage to such organizations and result in further loss of sales tax revenue to the state. For these reasons, the bill is undesirable as a matter of public policy.

Respectfully submitted,

**JOINT SURVEY COMMITTEE
ON TAX EXEMPTIONS.**

CHESTER E. DEMPSEY,
Chairman.

ROBERT O. UEHLING,
Vice-Chairman.

MOTIONS

Senate Bill 490

The bill was re-referred to the joint committee on Finance, upon motion of Senator Roseleip, with unanimous consent.

Upon motion of Senator Roseleip, the senate adjourned until Tuesday, August 5th, at 11:00 A.M.

CHIEF CLERK'S REPORT

The chief clerk records:

Senate Bill 116

Correctly enrolled and presented to the Governor on Tuesday, July 29, 1969.