

# JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

WEDNESDAY, July 13, 1977.

The chief clerk makes the following entries under the above date.

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## BILLS INTRODUCED

Read first time and referred:

### **Senate Bill 491**

Relating to providing an option for employes of a municipal mass transit system to be included within the Wisconsin retirement fund.

By Senator Dorman; cosponsored by Representatives Dandeneau, Rooney and Ferrall.

To Joint Survey Committee on Retirement Systems.

### **Senate Bill 492**

Relating to creditable service under the Wisconsin retirement fund for elected officials.

By Senator Thompson, by request of Judge Daniel O'Connor, Portage and Gaylord Thomas, Waupun.

To Joint Survey Committee on Retirement Systems.

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## PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

### **Senate Petition 92**

A petition by 145 Wisconsin citizens urging the Legislature to reject the Norquist-Maurer amendments to the general property tax relief formula.

By Senator Sensenbrenner.

Read and referred to joint committee on Finance.

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## State of Wisconsin Claims Board

July 7, 1977

Don Schneider  
Senate Chief Clerk  
State Capitol  
Madison, Wisconsin 53702

Dear Mr. Schneider:

Enclosed is the report of the State Claims Board covering claims heard on May 23, 1977.

The amounts recommended for payment under \$1000 on claims included in this report have, under the provisions of s. 16.007, Wisconsin Statutes, been paid directly by the Board.

The Board is preparing the bill(s) on the recommended award(s) over \$1,000, and will submit such to the Joint Finance Committee for legislative introduction.

This report is for the information of the Legislature. The Board would appreciate your acceptance and spreading of it upon the Journal to inform the members of the Legislature.

Sincerely,  
EDWARD D. MAIN  
Secretary

### BEFORE THE CLAIMS BOARD OF WISCONSIN

The Claims Board conducted a hearing at the State Capitol Building, Madison, Wisconsin, on May 23, 1977, upon the claim of the Wisconsin Marine Bank, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, which claims \$8,974.96 as the result of an error made by the Department of Transportation in the preparation of a duplicate title for a 1973 Kenworth tractor, ID No. 223647. The original title indicated claimant's lien, but when a duplicate title was issued it failed to indicate said lien, and only indicated a different additional lien holder on said vehicle. Upon the sale of the vehicle, claimant's lien was not satisfied as to the original lien holder because its lien did not appear on the duplicate title. The corporate owner of the vehicle has been placed on receivership by the Wisconsin Department of Revenue. Section 342.10, Stats., provides that the

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names of the secured parties shall be shown on the title, and the Department was negligent for not referring to the original title when issuing the duplicate title and causing the claimant's lien to appear thereon.

### THE BOARD FINDS:

The Board finds that claimant's loss was due to the causal negligence of an officer or employe of the state, and that the claimant did not contribute to its loss and has exhausted its remedy against the original owner of the vehicle, and recommends payment of the claim.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, this 30th day of June, 1977.

**GERALD D. KLECZKA**  
Senate Finance Committee

**VIRGIL D. ROBERTS**  
Assembly Finance Committee

**EDWARD M. PARSONS**  
Representative of Governor

**EDWARD D. MAIN**  
Representative of Secretary of  
Administration

**ALLAN P. HUBBARD**  
Representative of Attorney  
General

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### CHIEF CLERK'S REPORT

The chief clerk records:

**Senate Bill 480**

**Senate Bill 481**

Correctly enrolled and presented to the Governor on July 11, 1977.

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**EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS**

**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor  
Madison, Wisconsin**

**July 8, 1977.**

**To the Honorable, the Senate:**

**Pursuant to the provisions of the statutes governing, I have nominated and with the advice and consent of the senate do appoint Dale Cattnach, of Madison, as Secretary of the Department of Transportation, to succeed Zel S. Rice, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor.**

**Sincerely,  
MARTIN J. SCHREIBER  
Governor**

**Read and referred to committee on Commerce.**

**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor  
Madison, Wisconsin**

**July 8, 1977.**

**To the Honorable, the Senate:**

**Pursuant to the provisions of the statutes governing, I have nominated and with the advice and consent of the senate do appoint Carol Toussaint, of Madison, as Secretary of the Department of Local Affairs and Development, to succeed William Bechtel, resigned, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor.**

**Sincerely,  
MARTIN J. SCHREIBER  
Governor**

**Read and referred to committee on Governmental and Veterans' Affairs.**

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**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor  
Madison, Wisconsin**

**July 11, 1977.**

**To the Honorable, the Senate:**

**Pursuant to the provisions of the statutes governing, I have nominated and with the advice and consent of the senate do appoint Don Gehrmann, of Madison, as Highway Safety Coordinator, to succeed John Radcliffe, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor.**

**Sincerely,  
MARTIN J. SCHREIBER  
Governor**

**Read and referred to committee on Commerce.**

**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor  
Madison, Wisconsin**

**July 11, 1977.**

**To the Honorable, the Senate:**

**Pursuant to the provisions of the statutes governing, I have nominated and with the advice and consent of the senate do appoint John R. Hayon, of Sheboygan, as a member of the Labor and Industry Review Commission, to serve for the term ending March 1, 1981.**

**Sincerely,  
MARTIN J. SCHREIBER  
Governor**

**Read and referred to committee on Agriculture, Aging and Labor.**

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State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor  
Madison, Wisconsin

July 12, 1977.

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
480 -----	44 -----	July 12, 1977
481 -----	45 -----	July 12, 1977

Sincerely,  
MARTIN J. SCHREIBER  
Governor

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## MESSAGE FROM THE ASSEMBLY

By Everett E. Bolle, chief clerk.

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the assembly agrees to a committee of conference on Assembly Bill 96 and appoints Representatives Rooney, Hanson and Rutkowski as conferees on its part.

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## CHIEF CLERK'S CORRECTION

Suggested by Legislative Reference Bureau

Relating to Senate Bill 481

On page 1, line 4, after "staff" insert "and".

Relating to Assembly Bill 857

On page 1, line 4, after "staff" insert "and".

Relating to assembly amendment 1 to assembly amendment 6 to assembly substitute amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 462

On page 1, line 2, substitute "line 2" for "line 1".