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WEDNESDAY, January 4, 1978.

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

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

Senate Joint Resolution 58

To amend sections 3 and 4 of article IV; and to create section 3(1)(a) to (c) and (2) of article IV of the constitution, relating to decennial redistricting of legislative and congressional districts by a 5-member reapportionment committee (1st consideration).

By Senators McCallum, Swan, Goyke, Cullen, Petri and Lasee; cosponsored by Representatives Clarenbach, Litscher, Hanson, Medinger, Gunderson, Byers, Lorman and Johnston.

Read first time and referred to committee on Governmental and Veterans' Affairs.

Senate Joint Resolution 59

To amend article VIII, sections 1, 7 (2) (b) 1 and 2, and 10 and article XI, section 3; and to create article XIV, section 17 of the constitution, to abolish property taxation, and to base state and local debt limitations on the value of taxable income (1st consideration).

By Senator Berger.

Read first time and referred to committee on Education and Revenue.

BILLS INTRODUCED

Read first time and referred:

Senate Bill 647

Relating to gas tax credits against income tax and increasing an appropriation.

By Senator Morrison.

To committee on Education and Revenue..

Senate Bill 648

Relating to exempting island school districts from budget limitations and referendum requirements.

By Senator Lasee; cosponsored by Representative Swoboda.

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To committee on Education and Revenue.

Senate Bill 649

Relating to prohibiting release or commitment of funds for housing and supporting facilities at Taycheedah correctional institution prior to July 1, 1978, and requiring the department of health and social services to hold public hearings and report to the legislature.

By Senators McCallum and Petri.

To committee on Human Services.

Senate Bill 650

Relating to leaves for qualified prison inmates and granting rule-making authority.

By Senator Risser.

To committee on Human Services.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

The Joint Committee for Review of Administrative Rules reports and recommends for introduction:

Senate Bill 651

Prohibiting the department of natural resources from promulgating rules relating to prohibiting deer hunting with either a rifle or a shotgun or both in Door county.

Introduction:

Ayes, 7 -- Senators Berger, Radosevich, Sensenbrenner and Swan and Representatives Rogers, Brist and Thompson;

Noes, 2 -- Senator Offner and Representative McClain.

Read first time and referred to committee for Review of Administrative Rules.

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Senate Bill 652

Prohibiting the department of natural resources from promulgating rules relating to hunting across public gravel roads for one year.

Introduction:

Ayes, 7 -- Senators Berger, Offner and Sensenbrenner and Representatives Rogers, Brist, McClain and Thompson;

Noes, 1 -- Representative Clarenbach.

Read first time and referred to committee for Review of Administrative Rules.

DAVID G. BERGER
Senate Cochair

WILLIAM J. ROGERS
Assembly Cochair

The committee on Education and Revenue reports and recommends for introduction:

Senate Bill 653

Relating to a declaration of policy and establishment of rules of statutory construction relating to school boards and school districts.

Introduction:

Ayes, 4 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger and Offner;

Noes, 1 -- Senator Sensenbrenner.

Read first time and referred to committee on Education and Revenue.

And further recommends:

DOWNING, GLORIA, of Milwaukee, as a member of the Educational Communications Board, to succeed Doris Ullich, whose term has expired, to serve for the term ending May 1, 1981.

Confirmation:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and Sensenbrenner;

Noes, 0 -- None.

ELLIOTT, JAMES N., of Milwaukee, as a member of the Vocational, Technical and Adult Education Board, to succeed John Zancanaro, to serve for the term ending May 1, 1979.

Confirmation:

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Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and Sensenbrenner;

Noes, 0 -- None.

WOLF, DALE G., of Highbridge, as a member of the Educational Communications Board, to succeed George Reedy, resigned, to serve for the term ending May 1, 1980.

Confirmation:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and Sensenbrenner;

Noes, 0 -- None.

KELLY, MARY E., of Milwaukee, as a member of the Educational Communications Board, to succeed herself, to serve for the term ending May 1, 1980.

Confirmation:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and Sensenbrenner;

Noes, 0 -- None.

Senate Bill 99

Relating to changing the corporate income and franchise tax rates.

Passage:

Ayes, 3 -- Senators Braun, Berger and Offner;

Noes, 2 -- Senators Goyke and Sensenbrenner.

Senate Bill 127

Relating to authorizing school districts to determine and vary the length of a school day.

Rejection of senate substitute amendment 1:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and Sensenbrenner;

Noes, 0 -- None.

Introduction and adoption of senate substitute amendment 2:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and Sensenbrenner;

Noes, 0 -- None.

Passage as amended:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and Sensenbrenner;

Noes, 0 -- None.

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Senate Bill 262

Relating to the scheduling of school bond referenda in 1st class cities.

Passage:

Ayes, 4 -- Senators Braun, Berger, Offner and Sensenbrenner;
Noes, 1 -- Senator Goyke.

Senate Bill 303

Relating to the required number of school days for state aid purposes.

Introduction and adoption of senate substitute amendment 1:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and
Sensenbrenner;
Noes, 0 -- None.

Passage as amended:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and
Sensenbrenner;
Noes, 0 -- None.

Senate Bill 358

Relating to various changes in tax incremental financing.

Passage:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and
Sensenbrenner;
Noes, 0 -- None.

Senate Joint Resolution 44

Endorsing the efforts of the National Parent Teacher Association to reduce violence in television programming.

Adoption:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and
Sensenbrenner;
Noes, 0 -- None.

Assembly Bill 324

Relating to bonds required for school officials and employes.

Concurrence:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and
Sensenbrenner;
Noes, 0 -- None.

Assembly Bill 540

Relating to allowing sales and use tax refunds of less than \$2 upon request.

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Concurrence:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and
Sensenbrenner;

Noes, 0 -- None.

Assembly Bill 681

Relating to the destruction of obsolete school records.

Concurrence:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and
Sensenbrenner;

Noes, 0 -- None.

Assembly Bill 736

Relating to permitting school boards to provide transportation
for public or private school pupils to extracurricular activities.

Concurrence:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Goyke, Braun, Berger, Offner and
Sensenbrenner;

Noes, 0 -- None.

GARY R. GOYKE

Chairman

The committee on Commerce reports and recommends:

Senate Bill 510

Relating to an issuer's duty to inquire concerning securities
presented by corporations.

Passage:

Ayes, 7 -- Senators Parys, Berger, Swan, Goyke, Keppler,
Bidwell and Petri;

Noes, 0 -- None.

Senate Bill 514

Relating to the requirement that certain vehicles stop at
railroad crossings.

Passage:

Ayes, 7 -- Senators Parys, Berger, Swan, Goyke, Keppler,
Bidwell and Petri;

Noes, 0 -- None.

Senate Bill 524

Relating to the state's share of airport costs involving building
projects or building improvement projects.

Adoption of senate amendment 1:

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Ayes, 6 -- Senators Parys, Berger, Swan, Goyke, Bidwell and Petri;

Noes, 1 -- Senator Keppler.

Passage as amended:

Ayes, 6 -- Senators Parys, Berger, Swan, Goyke, Bidwell and Petri;

Noes, 1 -- Keppler.

Senate Bill 583

Relating to retail liquor licenses for restaurants of historical significance.

Passage:

Ayes, 5 -- Senators Parys, Berger, Swan, Bidwell and Petri;

Noes, 2 -- Senators Goyke and Keppler.

Senate Bill 608

Relating to authorizing the establishment of banks wholly owned by other banks, with limited functions.

Passage:

Ayes, 6 -- Senators Parys, Berger, Swan, Goyke, Keppler and Bidwell;

Noes, 1 -- Senator Petri.

RONALD G. PARYS

Chairman

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Senate Petition 132

A petition by 44 residents of the state of Wisconsin in opposition to Assembly Bill 321, relating to prohibiting and restricting state and local abortion subsidies.

By Senator Thompson.

Read and referred to committee on Human Services.

Senate Petition 133

A petition by 75 residents of the state of Wisconsin in support of Assembly Bill 87 and Senate Bill 68, "prohibiting the shooting of bear near a garbage dump" and Assembly Bill 88 and Senate Bill 69, "prohibiting the baiting of bear and using dogs to hunt bear."

By Senator Harnisch.

Read and referred to committee on Natural Resources and Tourism.

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Senate Petition 134

A petition by 44 residents of the state of Wisconsin in support of product liability legislation: Senate Bill 437, Senate Bill 438, Senate Bill 439, Senate Bill 440, Senate Bill 441, Senate Bill 445 and Assembly Bill 237.

By Senators Dorman and McCallum.

Read and referred to committee on Commerce.

Senate Petition 135

A petition by 128 residents of the state of Wisconsin in opposition to Assembly Bill 321, relating to prohibiting and restricting state and local abortion subsidies.

By Senator Thompson.

Read and referred to committee on Human Services.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor
Madison, Wisconsin

December 22, 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 Michael P. Early, of River Falls, as Administrator of the Division of Emergency Government, to succeed Harold Bergan, 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

December 28, 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 Lonny Hanson, of Omro, as a member of the Vocational, Technical and Adult Education Board, to succeed Marvin Boede, resigned, to serve for the term ending May 1, 1983.

Sincerely,
MARTIN J. SCHREIBER
Governor

Read and referred to committee on Education and Revenue.

State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor
Madison, Wisconsin

December 28, 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 Hugh Henderson, Jr., of Milwaukee, as a member of the Labor and Industry Review Commission, to succeed John Zinos, resigned, to serve for the term ending March 1, 1979.

Sincerely,
MARTIN J. SCHREIBER
Governor

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

MOTIONS

MOTIONS UNDER JOINT RULE 7

A certificate of commendation by Senator Risser for HOWARD A. SMART on his retirement from the Investment Board.

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A certificate of congratulations by Senator Sensenbrenner; cosponsored by Representative Merkt for PAUL FELDNER on winning the 1977 USAC Stock Car Championship.

A certificate of commendation by Senator Theno; cosponsored by Representative Kedrowski for JASPER LANDRY on his retirement from the Mellen Weekly Record.

A certificate of congratulations by Senator Theno; cosponsored by Representative Kedrowski for the BAYFIELD TROLLERS on winning the Class C girls volleyball championship.

A certificate of congratulations by Senator Lasee for LINDA AND DUANE TETZLAFF on being chosen Brown County Farm Bureau's Outstanding Young Farmers.

A certificate of congratulations by Senator Lasee for the DENMARK VIKINGS for their undefeated regular football season.

A certificate of commendation by Senator Bablitch; cosponsored by Representative Groshek for the STEVENS POINT AREA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM on taking second place in the WIAA State Football Tournament.

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Senate substitute amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 491** by Senator Dorman.

CHIEF CLERK'S CORRECTION

Suggested by Legislative Reference Bureau

Relating to: **Senate Bill 320** senate substitute amendment 1
On page 5, line 16, substitute "(9)" for "(10)".