

WEDNESDAY, September 23, 1998

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date:

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 98–030

Relating to the registration and regulation of architects, landscape architects, professional geologists, professional engineers, designers and land surveyors.

Submitted by Department of Regulation and Licensing. Report received from Agency, September 15, 1998. To committee on **Consumer Affairs**. Referred on September 23, 1998.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 98–102

Relating to titling of vehicles held by trusts. Submitted by Department of Transportation. Report received from Agency, September 17, 1998. To committee on **Highways and Transportation**. Referred on September 23, 1998. Mr. Larry Weiss 4801 Hewitts Point Rd. Oconomowoc, WI 53066

Dear Mr. Weiss:

As Assembly Speaker, it is my pleasure to appoint you as a member of the Benevolent Retirement Home for the Aged Task Force. This appointment is effective immediately.

If you have any questions, please contact my Chief of Staff, Brett Healy. Thank you for your service.

> Sincerely, SCOTT R. JENSEN Assembly Speaker

AGENCY REPORTS

State of Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Affairs Madison

September 11, 1998

September 18, 1998

To the Honorable, the Assembly:

1991 Wisconsin Act 273 created section 1.11(2)(j), Wis. Stats., which requires the submittal of an annual report to the chief clerk of each house of the Legislature by September 15 regarding the preparation of environmental assessments and environmental impact statements.

I am submitting the attached report prepared by the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection for fiscal year 1998 to comply with this requirement.

Please contact Buzz Davis of my staff at 224-4593 if there are any questions regarding the report.

Sincerely, *BEN BRANCEL* Secretary, DATCP

Referred to committee on Natural Resources.

SPEAKER'S APPOINTMENTS

September 18, 1998

Mr. Patrick Murphy W267 N2899 Woodland Dr. Pewaukee, WI 53072

Dear Mr. Murphy:

As Assembly Speaker, it is my pleasure to appoint you as a member of the Benevolent Retirement Home for the Aged Task Force. This appointment is effective immediately.

If you have any questions, please contact my Chief of Staff, Brett Healy. Thank you for your service.

> Sincerely, SCOTT R. JENSEN Assembly Speaker

State of Wisconsin Department of Administration Madison

September 15, 1998

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

This report is transmitted as required by sec. 20.002(11)(f) of the Wisconsin Statutes, (for distribution to the appropriate standing committees under sec. 13.172(3) Stats.), and confirms that the Department of Administration has found it necessary to exercise "the temporary reallocation of balances" authority provided by this section in order to meet payment responsibilities and cover resulting negative balances during the month of August, 1998. On August 20, 1998 the <u>Wisconsin Petroleum Inspection</u> <u>Fund</u> balance was -\$4.75 million. This shortfall continued until August 26, 1998 when the balance reached \$4.68 million. This shortfall was due to the timing of revenues.

The Wisconsin Petroleum Inspection was not in excess of the statutory interfund borrowing limitation and did not exceed the balances of the Funds available for interfund borrowing.

The distribution of interest earnings to investment pool participants is based on the average daily balance in the pool and each fund's share. Therefore, the monthly calculation by the State Controller's Office will automatically reflect the use of these temporary reallocations of balance authority.

> Sincerely, *MARK D. BUGHER* Secretary, DOA