



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Assembly Journal

Ninety-Fourth Regular Session

9:30 A.M.

THURSDAY, March 4, 1999

The Assembly met in the Assembly Chamber located in the State Capitol.

Representative Underheim in the chair.

The Assembly dispensed with the call of the roll.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

Assembly Joint Resolution 28

Relating to: the vote on bills that would increase certain tax rates or broaden the base of the state sales tax (first consideration).

By Representatives Sykora, Ziegelbauer, Hahn, Rhoades, Ryba, Grothman, Ainsworth, Stone, Goetsch, Skindrud, Spillner, Kelso, Musser, Owens, Albers, Porter, Petrowski, Powers, Seratti, Nass, Kreibich, Gunderson and Kedzie; cosponsored by Senators Welch, Zien and Lazich.

To committee on **Ways and Means**.

Assembly Joint Resolution 29

Relating to: proclaiming May 3rd of every year, Trzeciego Maja Day.

By Representatives Ryba, Bock, Gronemus, Hahn, Kreuser, Krug, Miller, Montgomery, Plale, Rhoades, Seratti, Suder, Sykora, Urban and Owens; cosponsored by Senators Drzewiecki, Darling, Erpenbach, Grobschmidt, Moen, Schultz, Shibilski and Zien.

To committee on **Rules**.

Assembly Bill 146

Relating to: transportation to private schools, transportation of children participating in certain special education programs and contracts with private agencies for children-at-risk programs.

By Representatives Seratti and Jensen; cosponsored by Senator Fitzgerald.

To committee on **Education Reform**.

Assembly Bill 147

Relating to: modifying the definition of all-terrain vehicle.

By Representatives Seratti, Pettis, Ryba, Sykora, Goetsch, Musser and Petrowski; cosponsored by Senator Zien.

To committee on **Tourism and Recreation**.

Assembly Bill 148

Relating to: directing the legislative fiscal bureau to study the tax on personal property.

By Representatives Seratti, Sykora, F. Lasee, Urban, Plale, Porter, Ainsworth, Ryba, Reynolds, Musser, Gunderson, Kaufert, Skindrud and Powers.

To committee on **Ways and Means**.

Assembly Bill 149

Relating to: county share of community aids funding.

By Representatives Seratti, Hutchison, Sykora, Albers and Turner; cosponsored by Senator Drzewiecki.

To joint committee on **Finance**.

Assembly Bill 150

Relating to: publicizing the names of persons who illegally dump trash.

By Representatives Seratti, Klusman, Owens, Albers, Ainsworth, Ward, Wasserman, Steinbrink, Kreibich, Ryba, F. Lasee, Hasenohrl, Miller, Musser and Powers; cosponsored by Senators Baumgart, Schultz and Welch.

To committee on **Rural Affairs and Forestry**.

Assembly Bill 151

Relating to: expenditure of \$12,600 from the general fund in payment of a claim against the state made by Alan and Marlene Sieker.

By Representative Albers; cosponsored by Senator Schultz.

To joint committee on **Finance**.

Assembly Bill 152

Relating to: payment of health insurance premiums for University of Wisconsin System faculty and certain administrative staff.

By Representatives Albers, Klusman, Kreibich, Bock, Pocan, Miller, J. Lehman, Meyer, Brandemuehl, Black, Powers, La Fave, Spillner, Kreuser, Hutchison, Plouff, Lassa, Musser, Riley, Goetsch and Rhoades; cosponsored by Senators Grobschmidt, Schultz, Welch, Rude, Huelsman, Plache, Roessler and Clausing.

To committee on **Colleges and Universities**.

Assembly Bill 153

Relating to: requiring authorization for the use of nonoriginal manufacturer replacement parts in the repair of a motor vehicle.

By Representatives Freese, Urban, Ainsworth, Black, Bock, Carpenter, Colon, Handrick, Hasenohrl, Huebsch, Kestell, Kreuser, Leibham, Meyer, Meyerhofer, Miller, Montgomery, Musser, Owens, Pettis, Pocan, Porter, Reynolds, Rhoades, Ryba, Travis, Wasserman and Wood; cosponsored by Senators Grobschmidt, Welch, Erpenbach, Darling, Roessler, Plache, Baumgart, Panzer, Clausing, Decker, Drzewiecki, Risser, Cowles, Burke, Jauch, Robson, Moen and Farrow.

To committee on **Insurance**.

Assembly Bill 154

Relating to: restrictions on the use of laser pointers and providing a penalty.

By Representatives La Fave, Kaufert, Ryba, Musser, Hasenohrl, Albers, Black, Sinicki and Riley; cosponsored by Senator Roessler.

To committee on **Criminal Justice**.

Assembly Bill 155

Relating to: local ordinances governing drug paraphernalia.

By Representatives Foti, Kestell, Travis, Ainsworth, Albers, Brandemuehl, Handrick, Jeskewitz, Kedzie, Kelso, Klusman, Kreibich, Ladwig, J. Lehman, M. Lehman, Montgomery, Musser, Nass, Olsen, Seratti, Spillner, Staskunas, Steinbrink, Stone, Ward, La Fave and Gunderson; cosponsored by Senators Erpenbach, Fitzgerald, Schultz, Farrow, Welch, Lazich, Roessler, Zien, Drzewiecki and Darling.

To committee on **Urban and Local Affairs**.

Assembly Bill 156

Relating to: candidacy of independent candidates for the offices of governor and lieutenant governor.

By Representatives Staskunas, Jensen, La Fave, Albers, Meyer, Plale, J. Lehman, Cullen, Boyle, Powers, Wasserman, Duff, Plouff and Berceau; cosponsored by Senator Schultz.

To committee on **Campaigns and Elections**.

Assembly Bill 157

Relating to: a sales and use tax exemption for incontinent underpads and briefs.

By Representatives Sykora, Handrick, F. Lasee, Bock, Ryba, Plouff, Olsen, Kelso, Grothman, Freese, Meyerhofer, Seratti, Powers and Montgomery.

To joint survey committee on **Tax Exemptions**.

Assembly Bill 158

Relating to: increasing the limit on policies issued by the state life insurance fund.

By Representatives Bock, Miller, Turner, La Fave, Cullen, Ryba, Riley and Boyle; cosponsored by Senators Burke, Risser, George and Erpenbach.

To committee on **Insurance**.

Assembly Bill 159

Relating to: looking into a building for sexual purposes and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Bock, Turner, Albers, Black, Sinicki and Colon; cosponsored by Senators Burke and Clausing.

To committee on **Criminal Justice**.

Assembly Bill 160

Relating to: testing of blood for alcohol content in motor vehicle accidents involving a fatality or great bodily harm and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Goetsch, Brandemuehl, Urban, Ladwig, M. Lehman, Walker, Ainsworth, Spillner, La Fave, Reynolds, Hoven, Ziegelbauer, Ryba and Bock; cosponsored by Senators Roessler and Huelsman.

To committee on **Highway Safety**.

Assembly Bill 161

Relating to: limiting the corporate income tax deduction for compensation paid to an employe.

By Representatives Pocan, Bock, Sinicki, Miller, Carpenter, Berceau, Musser, Black, Plouff, Boyle, La Fave, Turner, Kreuser, Schneider, Ryba and Cullen; cosponsored by Senator Risser.

To committee on **Ways and Means**.

Assembly Bill 162

Relating to: creating an office of public intervenor in the department of justice and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Black, Bock, Young, Richards, Miller, Krug, Coggs, Carpenter, Pocan, Huber, Berceau, Cullen, Plale, Schooff, Ryba, Wood, La Fave, J. Lehman, Travis, Kreuser, Meyer, Plouff, Turner, Reynolds, Lassa, Meyerhofer, Boyle, Morris-Tatum and Hasenohrl; cosponsored by Senators George, Erpenbach, Moen, Baumgart, Grobschmidt, Moore, Plache, Shibilski, Decker, Risser, Robson, Wirch, Jauch, Burke and Clausing.

To committee on **Natural Resources**.

Assembly Bill 163

Relating to: the sales taxes on purchases made with a manufacturer's rebate.

By Representatives Sykora, Wood, Albers, Freese, Grothman, Gunderson, F. Lasee, Miller, Kelso, Montgomery, Musser, Owens, Powers, Ryba, Skindrud, Urban, Wasserman and Ziegelbauer; cosponsored by Senators Drzewiecki, Lazich and Schultz.

To committee on **Ways and Means**.

Assembly Bill 164

Relating to: eliminating the citizens utility board.

By Representatives Duff, Plale, Ladwig, Vrakas, Ward, Olsen, Albers, Spillner, Owens, Urban, Goetsch, M. Lehman and Stone; cosponsored by Senators Wirch, Huelsman and Zien.

To committee on **Utilities**.

Assembly Bill 165

Relating to: making an appropriation for the Wisconsin higher education and Lawton minority undergraduate grant programs.

By Representatives Black, Musser, Meyerhofer, Young, Bock, La Fave, Ryba, Sinicki, Wasserman, Miller, Colon,

Pocan, Plouff, Boyle, Meyer, Huber, Berceau and Lassa; cosponsored by Senators Grobschmidt, Darling, Moen, Drzewiecki, Baumgart, Plache, Erpenbach, Robson, Shibilski, Clausing and Risser.

To committee on **Colleges and Universities**.

Assembly Bill 166

Relating to: creating a nonrefundable individual income tax credit for certain expenses related to child or dependent care.

By Representatives Black, Powers, Carpenter, Sinicki, J. Lehman, Ryba, Bock, Hasenohrl, Pocan, Lassa, Meyer, Schooff, Cullen, Plouff and Boyle; cosponsored by Senators Robson, Baumgart, Plache, Risser, Erpenbach and Clausing.

To committee on **Ways and Means**.

Assembly Bill 167

Relating to: disclosure of certain activity for the purpose of influencing elections and providing penalties.

By Representatives Travis, Black, Bock, Cullen, Hasenohrl, Huber, J. Lehman, Meyer, Miller, Musser, Plouff, Pocan, Riley, Staskunas and Wasserman; cosponsored by Senators Plache, Baumgart, Clausing, Decker, Erpenbach, George, Moen and Wirch.

To committee on **Campaigns and Elections**.

Assembly Bill 168

Relating to: employment discrimination because of temporary absence from work while responding to an emergency call as a volunteer fire fighter, emergency medical technician, first responder or ambulance driver.

By Representatives Ainsworth, Hasenohrl, Albers, Goetsch, Gronemus, Gunderson, Hahn, Kedzie, Lassa, M. Lehman, Musser, Ott, Petrowski, Porter, Powers, Ryba, Seratti, Spillner, Sykora, Turner, Sherman, Huebsch, Brandemuehl, Klusman, Freese, Wasserman, Meyer and Colon; cosponsored by Senators Rude, Plache, Baumgart, Farrow, Fitzgerald, Roessler, Wirch, Schultz, Risser, Robson and Darling.

To committee on **Labor and Employment**.

Assembly Bill 169

Relating to: domestic abuse and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Kelso, Porter, Ladwig, Kreibich, Brandemuehl, Freese, Musser, Plale and Nass.

To committee on **Criminal Justice**.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

The committee on **Rural Affairs and Forestry** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 78

Relating to: the sales tax on electricity used in farming.

Passage:

Ayes: 9 – Representatives Ainsworth, Musser, Rhoades, Freese, Klusman, Hubler, Gronemus, Hasenohrl and Sherman.

Noes: 0.

To joint survey committee on **Tax Exemptions**.

JOHN AINSWORTH

Chairperson

Committee on Rural Affairs and Forestry

REFERENCE BUREAU CORRECTIONS

Assembly Substitute Amendment 2 to **Assembly Bill 52**

1. Page 9, line 11: delete “(a) The treatment of”.
 2. Page 9, line 12: before that line insert:
“(a) The treatment of”.
 3. Page 10, line 4: delete “(2) and” and substitute “(2)”.
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ADJOURNMENT

Representative Urban moved that the Assembly stand adjourned until 1:00 P.M. on Tuesday, March 16, pursuant to **Senate Joint Resolution 1**.

The question was: Shall the Assembly stand adjourned?

Motion carried.

The Assembly stood adjourned.

9:31 A.M.