



STATE OF WISCONSIN Assembly Journal

Ninety-Fourth Regular Session

TUESDAY, February 29, 2000

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

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Assembly substitute amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 420** offered by Representative Urban.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 471** offered by committee on **Small Business and Economic Development**.

Assembly amendment 2 to **Assembly Bill 554** offered by committee on **Colleges and Universities**.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 611** offered by Representative Vrakas.

Assembly amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 628** offered by Representatives Cullen and Sinicki.

Assembly amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 699** offered by Representative La Fave.

Assembly amendment 2 to **Assembly Bill 699** offered by Representative La Fave.

Assembly amendment 3 to **Assembly Bill 699** offered by Representative La Fave.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 703** offered by Representatives Ott and Goetsch.

Assembly amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 711** offered by committee on **Housing**.

Assembly amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 723** offered by committee on **Housing**.

Assembly amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 751** offered by Representative Handrick.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 806** offered by committee on **Housing**.

Assembly amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 97** offered by Representative Vrakas.

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 98–139

Relating to transfer pupils with disabilities and surrogate parents.

Submitted by Department of Public Instruction.
Report received from Agency, February 18, 2000.
To committee on **Education**.
Referred on February 29, 2000.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 99–073

Relating to education for school age parents.
Submitted by Department of Public Instruction.
Report received from Agency, February 18, 2000.
To committee on **Education**.
Referred on February 29, 2000.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 99–103

Relating to summer school programs.
Submitted by Department of Public Instruction.
Report received from Agency, February 18, 2000.
To committee on **Education**.
Referred on February 29, 2000.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 99–118

Relating to occupational therapy.
Submitted by Department of Public Instruction.
Report received from Agency, February 18, 2000.
To committee on **Education**.
Referred on February 29, 2000.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 99–129

Relating to public librarian certification.
Submitted by Department of Public Instruction.
Report received from Agency, February 18, 2000.
To committee on **Education**.
Referred on February 29, 2000.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 99–130

Relating to grants for national teacher certification.
Submitted by Department of Public Instruction.
Report received from Agency, February 18, 2000.
To committee on **Education**.
Referred on February 29, 2000.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

Assembly Bill 808

Relating to: prohibiting the sale or purchase of a body part of a human being.

By Representatives Albers, Gronemus, Goetsch, Wood, Jeskewitz, Ladwig, Porter, Duff, Montgomery, Walker, Gunderson, Suder, Seratti, Nass, Jensen, Pettis, Rhoades, Urban, Owens, Meyerhofer, Sykora, Gard, Hahn, Gundrum, Kestell, Leibham, Kedzie, Petrowski, Huebsch, Stone, Ott, Grothman, Olsen, Ryba, Kreibich, Freese, F. Lasee, Spillner, Hoven, Hundertmark, Musser, Waukau, Vrakas and Ziegelbauer; cosponsored by Senators Breske, Fitzgerald, Roessler, Drzewiecki, Lazich, Zien, Schultz, Baumgart, Farrow and Rosenzweig.

To committee on **Criminal Justice**.

Assembly Bill 809

Relating to: policies concerning treatment and conduct of persons detained during a sexually violent person commitment proceeding and persons committed for treatment after being found to be a sexually violent person and granting rule-making authority.

By Representative Huebsch; cosponsored by Senator George, by request of Department of Health and Family Services.

To committee on **Judiciary and Personal Privacy**.

Assembly Bill 810

Relating to: the notice of a hearing on the creation of a tax incremental district proposed by the city of Stoughton.

By Representative Hebl; cosponsored by Senators Wirch and Chvala, by request of City of Stoughton.

To committee on **Ways and Means**.

Assembly Bill 811

Relating to: personal guarantees for sales of hearing aids.

By Representatives J. Lehman, Ladwig, Musser, Pocan, Ryba, Miller, Wasserman and Waukau.

To committee on **Health**.

Assembly Bill 812

Relating to: health insurance coverage of hearing testing and hearing aids.

By Representatives J. Lehman, Bock, Pocan, Ryba, Young, Miller, Berceau, Wasserman and Waukau.

To committee on **Health**.

Assembly Bill 813

Relating to: the terms of address that pupils use with school employees.

By Representatives Owens, Gronemus, Ladwig and Williams; cosponsored by Senator Schultz.

To committee on **Education Reform**.

Assembly Bill 814

Relating to: providing a person who determines medical assistance eligibility with access to the records of an applicant for medical assistance and requiring the departments of health and family services and work force development to develop a plan to modify the client assistance for reemployment and economic data support system.

By Representatives Riley, Berceau, Sinicki, Gunderson, Kreuser, Young, Bock, Gronemus and Cullen; cosponsored by Senators Moore, Darling, Rosenzweig and George.

To committee on **Health**.

Assembly Bill 815

Relating to: requiring pharmacies and pharmacists, as a condition of medical assistance participation, to charge low-income persons eligible for medicare for certain prescription drugs no more than specific amounts, authorizing the department of health and family services to enter into rebate agreements with drug manufacturers and making appropriations.

By Representatives Wieckert, Pettis, Petrowski, Underheim, Kestell, Gronemus, Montgomery, Skindrud, Hundertmark, Kelso, Hahn, Sykora, Rhoades, Townsend, Seratti, Ladwig, Stone, M. Lehman, Urban, Musser, Vrakas, Goetsch, Hoven, Jensen, Kreibich, Owens, F. Lasee, Ott, Hutchison, Johnsrud and Duff; cosponsored by Senators Rosenzweig, Darling, Roessler and Welch.

To committee on **Health**.

Assembly Bill 816

Relating to: the speed of personal watercraft on certain lakes.

By Representatives Handrick, Urban, La Fave, Hasenohrl, Black, Goetsch, Owens, Miller, Colon and Boyle; cosponsored by Senators Robson and Clausing.

To committee on **Tourism and Recreation**.

Assembly Bill 817

Relating to: limiting the conditions on special exceptions and conditional use permits under exclusive agricultural use zoning for agricultural uses that involve the raising or keeping of animals.

By Representatives Ward, Klusman and Powers.

To committee on **Conservation and Land Use**.

Assembly Bill 818

Relating to: handles and locks on doors leading to the passenger compartment of certain passenger vehicles.

By Representatives Berceau, Musser, Riley, Gunderson and Hasenohrl; cosponsored by Senator Burke.

To committee on **Transportation**.

Assembly Bill 819

Relating to: a sales tax and use tax exemption for devices for pumping breast milk.

By Representatives Wasserman, Handrick, Albers, Berceau, Bock, Boyle, Gronemus, Grothman, F. Lasee, Meyerhofer, Pettis, Plale, Richards, Sinicki, Sykora, Williams and Young; cosponsored by Senators Roessler and George.

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

Assembly Bill 820

Relating to: schools eligible for veteran retraining grants, application of the state resource allocation program and making appropriations.

By Representatives Ladwig, Kreuser, Musser, Sykora, Wieckert, Hoven, Vrakas, Kreibich, Huebsch, Waukau, Pettis, Schneider, Gunderson, Bock, Suder, M. Lehman, Hahn, Plouff, Brandemuehl, Turner, Porter, Seratti, Underheim, Carpenter, Petrowski, Owens, Handrick, Duff, Black, Gronemus, Hundertmark, Grothman, Montgomery, Johnsrud, Spillner, Nass, Plale, Boyle, Travis, Jeskewitz, Stone, Hutchison, J. Lehman, Ainsworth, Hasenohrl, Albers, Ryba, Jensen, Ott and Skindrud; cosponsored by Senators Plache, Moen, Roessler, Grobschmidt, Welch, Drzewiecki, Rude, Fitzgerald, Risser, Schultz, Baumgart, Breske, Clausing, Zien, George, Wirch and Jauch, by request of Department of Veterans Affairs.

To committee on **Veterans and Military Affairs**.

Assembly Bill 821

Relating to: the placement of a child for adoption outside of the county where the child is located.

By Representative Ward; cosponsored by Senator Plache.
To committee on **Children and Families**.

Assembly Bill 822

Relating to: creating a grant program to improve local roads for job preservation, granting bonding authority and making appropriations.

By Representatives Kedzie, Wood, Nass, Powers, Schooff and Gard; cosponsored by Senators Robson, Erpenbach, Plache, Wirch and Chvala.

To joint committee on **Finance**.

pupils, granting rule-making authority and making an appropriation.

Assembly amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 10 – Representatives Kreibich, Rhoades, Hutchison, Townsend, Underheim, Kelso, Plouff, Boyle, Lassa and Richards.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 10 – Representatives Kreibich, Rhoades, Hutchison, Townsend, Underheim, Kelso, Plouff, Boyle, Lassa and Richards.

Noes: 0.

To joint committee on **Finance**.

Assembly Bill 709

Relating to: regulation of athletic agents, granting rule-making authority and providing a penalty.

Passage:

Ayes: 10 – Representatives Kreibich, Rhoades, Hutchison, Townsend, Underheim, Kelso, Plouff, Boyle, Lassa and Richards.

Noes: 0.

To joint committee on **Finance**.

Assembly Bill 736

Relating to: grants for study abroad.

Passage:

Ayes: 10 – Representatives Kreibich, Rhoades, Hutchison, Townsend, Underheim, Kelso, Plouff, Boyle, Lassa and Richards.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

ROB KREIBICH

Chairperson

Committee on Colleges and Universities

COMMITTEE REPORTS

The committee on **Colleges and Universities** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 554

Relating to: tuition for resident undergraduates at the university of Wisconsin system and granting rule-making authority.

Assembly amendment 2 adoption:

Ayes: 7 – Representatives Kreibich, Rhoades, Hutchison, Underheim, Kelso, Plouff and Richards.

Noes: 3 – Representatives Townsend, Boyle and Lassa.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 8 – Representatives Kreibich, Rhoades, Hutchison, Townsend, Underheim, Kelso, Plouff and Richards.

Noes: 2 – Representatives Boyle and Lassa.

To committee on **Rules**.

Assembly Bill 629

Relating to: creating a loan program for teachers and orientation and mobility instructors of visually impaired

The committee on **Corrections and the Courts** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 722

Relating to: probation, parole and extended supervision agent positions, purchase of services for persons on probation and parole and making an appropriation.

Passage:

Ayes: 8 – Representatives Walker, Goetsch, Owens, Hoven, Hahn, Balow, Cogg and Pocan.

Noes: 1 – Representative Gundrum.

To joint committee on **Finance**.

SCOTT WALKER

Chairperson

Committee on Corrections and the Courts

The committee on **Education** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 646

Relating to: financial assistance to public library boards for certain communications hardware shared service agreements between educational agencies and political subdivisions regarding certain telecommunications access, prohibition on educational agencies that receive certain telecommunications access from providing access to business entities and making an appropriation.

Assembly amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 15 – Representatives Olsen, Nass, Brandemuehl, Hahn, Spillner, Kestell, Hundertmark, Rhoades, J. Lehman, La Fave, Pocan, Reynolds, Schooff, Sherman and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 15 – Representatives Olsen, Nass, Brandemuehl, Hahn, Spillner, Kestell, Hundertmark, Rhoades, J. Lehman, La Fave, Pocan, Reynolds, Schooff, Sherman and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 0.

To joint committee on **Finance**.

Assembly Bill 663

Relating to: the disclosure of pupil records by the department of public instruction.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 15 – Representatives Olsen, Nass, Brandemuehl, Hahn, Spillner, Kestell, Hundertmark, Rhoades, J. Lehman, La Fave, Pocan, Reynolds, Schooff, Sherman and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 14 – Representatives Olsen, Brandemuehl, Hahn, Spillner, Kestell, Hundertmark, Rhoades, J. Lehman, La Fave, Pocan, Reynolds, Schooff, Sherman and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 1 – Representative Nass.

To committee on **Rules**.

Assembly Bill 714

Relating to: use of epinephrine auto-injectors on pupils by certain school employes and volunteers.

Assembly amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 15 – Representatives Olsen, Nass, Brandemuehl, Hahn, Spillner, Kestell, Hundertmark, Rhoades, J. Lehman, La Fave, Pocan, Reynolds, Schooff, Sherman and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 15 – Representatives Olsen, Nass, Brandemuehl, Hahn, Spillner, Kestell, Hundertmark, Rhoades, J. Lehman, La Fave, Pocan, Reynolds, Schooff, Sherman and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

Senate Bill 204

Relating to: the council on library and network development in the department of public instruction.

Concurrence:

Ayes: 15 – Representatives Olsen, Nass, Brandemuehl, Hahn, Spillner, Kestell, Hundertmark, Rhoades, J. Lehman, La Fave, Pocan, Reynolds, Schooff, Sherman and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

Senate Bill 241

Relating to: programs for children at risk of not graduating from high school.

Concurrence:

Ayes: 15 – Representatives Olsen, Nass, Brandemuehl, Hahn, Spillner, Kestell, Hundertmark, Rhoades, J. Lehman, La Fave, Pocan, Reynolds, Schooff, Sherman and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

Senate Bill 264

Relating to: granting high school diplomas to certain veterans.

Concurrence:

Ayes: 15 – Representatives Olsen, Nass, Brandemuehl, Hahn, Spillner, Kestell, Hundertmark, Rhoades, J. Lehman, La Fave, Pocan, Reynolds, Schooff, Sherman and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

LUTHER OLSEN
Chairperson
Committee on Education

The committee on **Environment** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 602

Relating to: establishing a time period for review by the department of natural resources of applications for certain permits, licenses, approvals and determinations and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.

Assembly amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 5 – Representatives Kedzie, Johnsrud, Vrakas, Powers and Meyer.

Noes: 3 – Representatives Black, Bock and Sinicki.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 5 – Representatives Kedzie, Johnsrud, Vrakas, Powers and Hutchison.

Noes: 4 – Representatives Black, Bock, Meyer and Sinicki.

To committee on **Rules**.

Assembly Bill 627

Relating to: registration of reductions in certain air emissions and granting rule-making authority.

Assembly amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 8 – Representatives Kedzie, Johnsrud, Vrakas, Powers, Black, Bock, Meyer and Sinicki.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 9 – Representatives Kedzie, Johnsrud, Vrakas, Powers, Hutchison, Black, Bock, Meyer and Sinicki.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

Assembly Bill 708

Relating to: applicability of the local governmental unit negotiation and cost-recovery process for contaminated property.

Assembly amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 8 – Representatives Kedzie, Johnsrud, Vrakas, Powers, Black, Bock, Meyer and Sinicki.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 9 – Representatives Kedzie, Johnsrud, Vrakas, Powers, Hutchison, Black, Bock, Meyer and Sinicki.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

Assembly Bill 758

Relating to: accreditation, certification and registration of laboratories by the department of natural resources.

Passage:

Ayes: 9 – Representatives Kedzie, Johnsrud, Vrakas, Powers, Hutchison, Black, Bock, Meyer and Sinicki.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

Senate Bill 64

Relating to: the amount of funding that a local governmental unit may receive under the safe drinking water loan program.

Concurrence:

Ayes: 9 – Representatives Kedzie, Johnsrud, Vrakas, Powers, Hutchison, Black, Bock, Meyer and Sinicki.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

NEAL KEDZIE

Chairperson
Committee on Environment

The committee on **Financial Institutions** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 612

Relating to: payday loan providers and granting rule-making authority.

Passage:

Ayes: 12 – Representatives Jeskewitz, Kelso, Kedzie, Rhoades, Kreibich, Huebsch, Montgomery, Hoven, Kreuser, Meyer, Plale and Plouff.

Noes: 3 – Representatives La Fave, Morris-Tatum and Turner.

To committee on **Rules**.

SUZANNE JESKEWITZ

Chairperson
Committee on Financial Institutions

The committee on **Government Operations** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 369

Relating to: public access to records of the identities of final candidates for certain local governmental positions.

Passage:

Ayes: 4 – Representatives Wieckert, Nass, Coggs and Wasserman.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

STEVE WIECKERT

Chairperson
Committee on Government Operations

The committee on **Health** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 694

Relating to: bonding authority of the Wisconsin health and educational facilities authority.

Passage:

Ayes: 15 – Representatives Underheim, Urban, Handrick, Walker, F. Lasee, Johnsrud, Olsen, Wieckert, Hundertmark, Owens, La Fave, Meyer, Miller, Schooff and Waukau.

Noes: 1 – Representative Wasserman.

To committee on **Rules**.

GREGG UNDERHEIM

Chairperson
Committee on Health

The committee on **Tourism and Recreation** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 690

Relating to: authorizing the state historical society to award grants for the preservation of historic property, granting bonding authority and making appropriations.

Passage:

Ayes: 10 – Representatives Spillner, Seratti, Olsen, Pettis, Hutchison, Reynolds, Sinicki, Ryba, Steinbrink and Waukau.
Noes: 1 – Representative Skindrud.

To joint committee on **Finance**.

Assembly Bill 698

Relating to: immunity of private campground owners and operators.

Passage:

Ayes: 6 – Representatives Spillner, Pettis, Skindrud, Hutchison, Steinbrink and Waukau.
Noes: 5 – Representatives Seratti, Olsen, Reynolds, Sinicki and Ryba.

To committee on **Rules**.

JOAN SPILLNER
Chairperson
Committee on Tourism and Recreation

The committee on **Transportation** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 444

Relating to: the term “station wagon”; requests for personalized vehicle registration plates; the contents of certificates of vehicle title; motor vehicle financial responsibility laws; temporary operation plates for leased vehicles; the location of vehicle identification numbers; the expiration date of trailer fleet registration; credit and plate transfer provisions associated with the registration of automobiles; the elimination of certain replacement plate fees; registering semitrailers under the international registration plan; motor vehicles passing within 100 feet of an intersection located outside of a business or residential district; the renumbering of statutory provisions prohibiting individuals from making false statements to the department of transportation; deadlines for submitting applications and awarding grants under the bicycle and pedestrian facilities grant program; granting rule-making authority; and providing penalties (suggested as remedial legislation by the department of transportation).

Senate amendment 1 concurrence:

Ayes: 13 – Representatives Brandemuehl, Stone, Hahn, Petrowski, Suder, Townsend, Huebsch, Leibham, Lassa, Balow, Steinbrink, Turner and Sherman.
Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

Assembly Bill 635

Relating to: requiring the department of transportation to register and issue a certificate of title for a motorcycle having a certain vehicle identification number.

Passage:

Ayes: 14 – Representatives Brandemuehl, Stone, Hahn, Petrowski, Suder, Townsend, Huebsch, Leibham, Lassa, Balow, Gronemus, Steinbrink, Turner and Sherman.
Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

Assembly Bill 728

Relating to: tourist-oriented directional signs for Wisconsin Badger Camp, Inc., in Grant County.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 13 – Representatives Brandemuehl, Stone, Hahn, Petrowski, Suder, Townsend, Huebsch, Leibham, Lassa, Balow, Steinbrink, Turner and Sherman.
Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 13 – Representatives Brandemuehl, Stone, Hahn, Petrowski, Suder, Townsend, Huebsch, Leibham, Lassa, Balow, Steinbrink, Turner and Sherman.
Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

Assembly Bill 794

Relating to: maximum gross vehicle weight of motor trucks transporting exclusively milk.

Passage:

Ayes: 13 – Representatives Brandemuehl, Stone, Hahn, Petrowski, Suder, Townsend, Huebsch, Leibham, Lassa, Balow, Steinbrink, Turner and Sherman.
Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

Senate Bill 81

Relating to: the display of license plates upon vehicles consigned for sale by dealers, distributors, manufacturers and transporters.

Concurrence:

Ayes: 13 – Representatives Brandemuehl, Stone, Hahn, Petrowski, Suder, Townsend, Huebsch, Leibham, Lassa, Balow, Steinbrink, Turner and Sherman.
Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

Senate Bill 99

Relating to: certain statutes dealing with motor vehicle dealers, salespersons and sales finance companies (Revision Bill).

Concurrence:

Ayes: 13 – Representatives Brandemuehl, Stone, Hahn, Petrowski, Suder, Townsend, Huebsch, Leibham, Lassa, Balow, Steinbrink, Turner and Sherman.
Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

Senate Bill 300

Relating to: low-speed vehicles, granting rule-making authority and providing a penalty.

Concurrence:

Ayes: 13 – Representatives Brandemuehl, Stone, Hahn, Petrowski, Suder, Townsend, Huebsch, Leibham, Lassa, Balow, Steinbrink, Turner and Sherman.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

DAVID BRANDEMUEHL
Chairperson
Committee on Transportation

The committee on **Urban and Local Affairs** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 453

Relating to: liability for the actions of law enforcement officers and other employes of cities, villages, towns or counties who are requested to assist other jurisdictions.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 8 – Representatives Gunderson, Brandemuehl, Kedzie, Stone, Musser, Colon, Berceau and Williams.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 8 – Representatives Gunderson, Brandemuehl, Kedzie, Stone, Musser, Colon, Berceau and Williams.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

Assembly Bill 523

Relating to: changing the standards under which certain zoning variances may be granted by a local board of adjustment or appeals.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 8 – Representatives Gunderson, Brandemuehl, Kedzie, Stone, Musser, Colon, Berceau and Williams.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 8 – Representatives Gunderson, Brandemuehl, Kedzie, Stone, Musser, Colon, Berceau and Williams.

Noes: 0.

To joint committee on **Finance**.

Assembly Bill 710

Relating to: the reorganization and modernization of chapter 66 of the statutes.

Passage:

Ayes: 8 – Representatives Gunderson, Brandemuehl, Kedzie, Stone, Musser, Colon, Berceau and Williams.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

SCOTT GUNDERSON
Chairperson
Committee on Urban and Local Affairs

The committee on **Ways and Means** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 293

Relating to: the definition of agricultural land for purposes of the property tax.

Assembly amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 13 – Representatives M. Lehman, Sykora, Goetsch, Huebsch, F. Lasee, Owens, Spillner, Wood, La Fave, Meyerhofer, Morris–Tatum, Plale and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 9 – Representatives M. Lehman, Sykora, Goetsch, Huebsch, F. Lasee, Owens, Spillner, Meyerhofer and Plale.

Noes: 4 – Representatives Wood, La Fave, Morris–Tatum and Ziegelbauer.

To committee on **Rules**.

Assembly Bill 531

Relating to: authorizing a county to make payments in lieu of taxes to local units of government for unimproved lands.

Assembly amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 13 – Representatives M. Lehman, Sykora, Goetsch, Huebsch, F. Lasee, Owens, Spillner, Wood, La Fave, Meyerhofer, Morris–Tatum, Plale and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 11 – Representatives M. Lehman, Sykora, Goetsch, Huebsch, F. Lasee, Owens, Spillner, La Fave, Meyerhofer, Morris–Tatum and Plale.

Noes: 2 – Representatives Wood and Ziegelbauer.

To committee on **Rules**.

Assembly Bill 735

Relating to: single sales factor apportionment of income for corporate income tax and franchise tax purposes and granting rule-making authority.

Assembly amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 9 – Representatives Huebsch, F. Lasee, Spillner, Wood, La Fave, Meyerhofer, Morris–Tatum, Plale and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 4 – Representatives M. Lehman, Sykora, Goetsch and Owens.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 12 – Representatives M. Lehman, Sykora, Goetsch, Huebsch, F. Lasee, Owens, Spillner, Wood, La Fave, Meyerhofer, Plale and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 1 – Representative Morris–Tatum.

To committee on **Rules**.

MICHAEL LEHMAN
Chairperson
Committee on Ways and Means

SPEAKER'S COMMUNICATIONS

February 29, 2000

Charles Sanders
Assembly Chief Clerk
1 East Main Street, Suite 402
P.O. Box 8952
Madison, Wisconsin 53708

Dear Mr. Sanders:

On February 23, 2000, **Assembly Bill 791** relating to transferring money from the general fund to the budget stabilization fund was referred to the Assembly Committee on Ways and Means. Pursuant to Assembly Rule **42 (3)(c)**, I hereby withdraw **Assembly Bill 791** from the Assembly Committee on Ways and Means and re-refer that bill to the Assembly Committee on Government Operations.

Representative M. Lehman has been notified of this change and approves.

Sincerely,
SCOTT R. JENSEN
Assembly Speaker

COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin
Office of the Secretary of State
Madison

To Whom It May Concern:

Acts, Joint Resolutions and Resolutions deposited in this office have been numbered and published as follows:

<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Act Number</u>	<u>Publication Date</u>
Assembly Bill 44	29	February 25, 2000
Assembly Bill 551	30	February 25, 2000

Sincerely,
DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State

State of Wisconsin
Joint Legislative Council
Madison

February 29, 2000

Mr. Charles R. Sanders
Assembly Chief Clerk
1 East Main Street, Suite 402
Madison, WI 53702

Dear Charles:

I am pleased to transmit to you the following report to the 1999 Legislature on legislation introduced by the Joint Legislative Council:

RL 99-18 Legislation on Economic
Development
(1999 Senate Bills 393 and 394)

I would appreciate your including this letter in the Journal for the information of the membership. Additional copies of this report are available at the Legislative Council Staff offices, One East Main, Suite 401, or from our web page at www.legis.state.wi.us/lc/jlc99recs.htm.

Sincerely,
LAURA D. ROSE
Interim Director

REFERRAL OF AGENCY REPORTS

State of Wisconsin
Department of Health and Family Services
Madison

February 28, 2000

To the Honorable, the Assembly:

The biennial budget bill, **1983 Wisconsin Act 27**, created s. **46.275**, Community Integration Program (CIP) for Residents of State Centers. The intent of this program "is to relocate persons from the state centers for the developmentally disabled into appropriate community settings with the assistance of home and community-based services and with continuity of care. The intent of the program is also to minimize its impact on state employees through redeployment of employees into vacant positions." S. **46.275(5m)** requires the Department to submit a report to the Joint Committee on Finance and to the Chief Clerk of each house of the Legislature describing the program's impact during the preceding calendar year on state employees, including the Department's efforts to redeploy employees into vacant positions and the number of employees laid off.

For the period of January 1, 1999 to December 31, 1999, there were 59 placements of center residents into the community. For fiscal year 1999, reductions of \$3,569,650 and 82.63 FTE were made in the budget for the purpose of CIP placements. For the period July 1, 1999 through December 31, 1999, sufficient reductions will be made in the fiscal year 2000 operating budget to reflect reductions for CIP placements. Reductions of positions and dollars have been made for calendar year 1999 with no employees being laid off during the year. Only six layoffs have occurred at the centers due to the CIP program since the program began in 1983. All other reductions have been absorbed through attrition of employees.

Sincerely,
JOE LEEAN
Secretary

Referred to committee on **Health**.

State of Wisconsin
Department of Public Instruction
Madison

February 28, 2000

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

Enclosed is a copy of "The 1998-99 Full-Time Inter-District Public School Open Enrollment Program: A Report to the Governor and the Legislature." This report is required by sec. 118.51(15)(c), Wis. Stats. The report has been submitted to the chief clerks of each house of the legislature as required by sec. 13.172(3), Wis. Stats.

Sec. 118.51(15)(c), Wis. Stats., requires the Department of Public Instruction to:

Annually submit a report to the governor, and to the appropriate standing committees of the legislature under s. 13.172 (3), on the number of pupils who applied to attend public school in a nonresident school district under this section [the full-time inter-district public school open enrollment program], the number of applications denied and the bases for the denials, and the number of pupils attending public school in a nonresident school district under this section.

This report provides more than the basic information required by the statute, including appendices with district-by-district lists of applications to transfer in and out of the district, the number of students who transferred, and the amount of the state aid adjustment for regular education students who transferred under the program.

We hope that this report provides useful information to the legislature.

Sincerely,
JOHN T. BENSON
State Superintendent

Referred to committee on **Education**.

State of Wisconsin
Department of Public Instruction
Madison

March 1, 2000

To the Honorable, the Assembly:

Wisconsin school laws include the following provision in s. 115.45 (6)(b) and (c), Wis. Stats.:

SECTION 115.45 Grants for preschool to grade 5 programs.

(6) The state superintendent shall:

(b) By March 1, 1986, and annually thereafter, submit to the joint committee on finance and the chief clerk of each house of the legislature, for distribution to the appropriate standing committees under s. 13.172 (3), a budget report detailing the grants he or she intends to award under this section in the next fiscal year. The report shall provide summary data on the results of the annual testing required under sub. (4) (b) and include a description of the guidelines used to determine the individual schools and private service providers that will receive funds under this section and the types of expenditures eligible for such funds.

(c) Annually submit to the legislature under s. 13.172 (2) a report on the academic progress made by pupils enrolled in preschool to grade 5 programs under this section.

All Preschool-to-Grade-5 (P-5) evaluation reports for 1998-99 are contained herein as well as a report on the academic progress for all schools funded by the P-5 program. If you have any questions, please contact my office or Sandra Dercole in the DPI Office of Urban Education (414-227-4942).

Sincerely,
JOHN T. BENSON
State Superintendent

Referred to committee on **Education**.