

STATE OF WISCONSIN
Senate Journal
Ninety–Fourth Regular Session

WEDNESDAY, February 10, 1999

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

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF RESOLUTIONS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Read and referred:

Senate Joint Resolution 6

Relating to: urging the U.S. and Canadian governments to prohibit diversion of Great Lakes water.

By Senators Jauch, Cowles, Baumgart, Moen, Burke, Erpenbach, Grobschmidt, Breske, Welch, Decker, Wirch and Darling; cosponsored by Representatives Krug, Musser, F. Lasee, Urban, Plale, Ott, Colon, Hasenohrl, La Fave, Plouff, Kreuser, Boyle, Black, Gronemus, Richards, Kelso, Kedzie and Sherman.

To committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform.**

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

Read first time and referred:

Senate Bill 34

Relating to: creating a permit authorizing certain restaurants to manufacture and sell wine on the restaurant's premises.

By Senators Rosenzweig, George and Darling; cosponsored by Representatives Vrakas, Plale, Hoven, Klusman, Duff, Grothman, F. Lasee, Powers, Sykora and Berceau.

To committee on **Economic Development, Housing and Government Operations.**

Senate Bill 35

Relating to: promoting a pupil from the 4th grade to the 5th grade and from the 8th grade to the 9th grade.

By Senators Darling, Rude, Huelsman, Roessler and Rosenzweig; cosponsored by Representatives Jeskewitz, Klusman, La Fave, Plouff, J. Lehman and Musser.

To committee on **Education.**

Senate Bill 36

Relating to: special distinguishing registration plates associated with the Green Bay Packers professional football team, payments to D.A.R.E. Wisconsin, Ltd., Boys and Girls Clubs of Wisconsin, the University of Wisconsin Children's

Hospital and Clinics and the Children's Hospital of Wisconsin, Inc., and making appropriations.

By Senators Drzewiecki, Fitzgerald, Schultz, Darling, Farrow, Rosenzweig, Roessler, Welch, Panzer, Huelsman, Zien and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Montgomery, Gard, Ryba, Urban, Huebsch, Sykora, Turner, Ainsworth, F. Lasee, Hahn, Handrick, Seratti and Kreuser.

To committee on **Insurance, Tourism, Transportation and Corrections.**

Senate Bill 37

Relating to: federal waivers under the food stamp program.

By Senators George, Moore, Darling, Jauch, Risser, Erpenbach and Rosenzweig; cosponsored by Representatives Black, Young, Pocan, Albers, La Fave, Gronemus, J. Lehman, Riley and Morris–Tatum.

To committee on **Human Services and Aging.**

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Insurance, Tourism, Transportation and Corrections** reports and recommends:

LITSCHER, JON E., of Lake Mills, as Secretary of the Department of Corrections, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Breske, Grobschmidt, Baumgart, Shibilski, Schultz, A. Lasee and Zien.

Noes, 0 – None.

OCONNELL, CONNIE L., of Sun Prairie, as Commissioner of Insurance, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Breske, Grobschmidt, Baumgart, Shibilski, Schultz, A. Lasee and Zien.

Noes, 0 – None.

THOMPSON, CHARLES H., of Wisconsin Dells, as Secretary of the Department of Transportation, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Breske, Grobschmidt, Baumgart, Shibilski, Schultz, A. Lasee and Zien.

Noes, 0 – None.

Roger Breske
Chairperson

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

FOX, PETER, of Madison, as Secretary of the Department of Employment Relations, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Baumgart, Decker, Breske, Zien and Farrow.

Noes, 0 – None.

STEWART, DR. LINDA, of Milwaukee, as Secretary of the Department of Workforce Development, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Baumgart, Decker, Breske, Zien and Farrow.

Noes, 0 – None.

VAN BOGAERT, CYNTHIA A., of Oregon, as a member of the Employe Trust Funds Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2001.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Baumgart, Decker, Breske, Zien and Farrow.

Noes, 0 – None.

Jim Baumgart
Chairperson

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin

February 5, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

Pursuant to Senate Rule [20 \(2\)\(a\)](#) and [\(b\)](#), I have appointed Senator Brian Rude to the Environmental Education Board.

Sincerely,

CHUCK CHVALA

Chair, Committee on Senate Organization

State of Wisconsin
Office of the Secretary of State

To the Honorable, the Senate:

| <u>Bill, Joint Resolu- tion or Resolution Number</u> | <u>Act Number or Enrolled Number</u> | <u>Publication Date</u> |
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| 1999 Senate Joint Resolution 1 | Enrolled Joint Resolution, 1 | N/A |
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Sincerely,
DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State

State of Wisconsin
Department of Commerce
Recycling Market Development Board

February 3, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

We are please to submit to you, the Recycling Market Development Board Quarterly Report for October through December 1998. In accordance to the statutory requirement, the Recycling Market Development Board is submitting the Quarterly Report to the Senate Chief Clerk and the Assembly Chief Clerk, for your review.

Thank you for giving us the opportunity to update you on the Recycle Market Development Board activities. We hope this report will answer any questions you may have, as well as demonstrate the accomplishments we have made in our

constant efforts to develop and sustain recycling markets in Wisconsin.

If you have any further questions or comments, please contact me at (608) 267-9360.

Sincerely,

GAIL MILLER
Executive Director

State of Wisconsin
Department of Corrections

January 22, 1998

The Honorable, The Legislature:

This is the annual report on Prison Industries for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1998, as required by *Wisconsin Statutes* 303.18. This report includes the cash balance of each industry and the amount of wood furniture and printing state agencies purchased from Prison Industries.

The cash deficit for traditional prison industries (appropriation 134) has been eliminated. The Department showed a cash profit of \$700,687 during FY 98; a change of the accumulated balance from (\$236,629) in FY 97 to \$464,058 on June 30, 1998.

The cash deficit for private venture partnership industries (appropriation 189) increased by \$290,747 (from (\$989,310) in FY 97 to (\$1,280,057) in FY 98). The unsupported portion of the negative balance is \$878,877.

See Appendix A for a summary of the cash balance for each industry and the overall financial condition of Prison Industries.

State agencies purchased \$36,898,424 in printing from all sources in FY 98. Of that amount \$1,125,177 or 3% was purchased from Prison Industries. State printing bulletins now require that all forms for which Prison Industries has negotiated a contract be purchased from Prison Industries.

The total amount of purchases made by state agencies for wood furniture is no longer available. Due to an accounting policy change, agencies are only required to identify a purchase for wood furniture by a specific object code if it exceeds \$5,000. State agencies reported purchases of \$236,236 for wood furniture in FY 97. Prison Industries reported the sale of \$905,875 of wood furniture to state agencies. Purchases of less than \$5,000 are included in the amount reported by Prison Industries.

Appendix B provides comparisons with FY 97 for printing and wood furniture.

Sincerely,

JON E. LITSCHER
Secretary, Department of Corrections

MARK D. BUGHER
Secretary, Department of Administration

Referred to committee on **Insurance, Tourism, Transportation and Corrections.**

State of Wisconsin
Department of Corrections

January 28, 1999

The Honorable, The Legislature:

The following information is provided for your consideration and review pursuant to 301.03(6m) WI Stats. the figures below cover the period from January 1, 1998 to December 31, 1998.

1. There were 43 inmates transferred involuntarily from a prison to a mental health institute under 51.20(13)(A) 4. All but four were committed for outpatient treatment. Two inmates were returned to Corrections with their cases dismissed. Two inmates were committed upon release. Six inmates were committed to inpatient treatment and stayed an

average of 103 days. One inmate transferred voluntarily from prison to a mental health institute and stayed for 20 days.

2. 3,733 inmates underwent voluntary treatment with psychotropic drugs and 39 inmates were treated with psychotropics on an involuntary basis. The types of medications used include antipsychotic drugs, antidepressant drugs, mood stabilizers, anti-parkinsonian medications, and medications for side effects.
3. Mental health services, both psychiatric and psychological, are available at all the major institutions. Services include individual and group therapy, chemotherapy, psychiatric, psychological, and neuropsychological evaluations, crisis interventions, sex offender groups, domestic abuse groups, anger management groups, and cognitive interventions programs. Inmates who need more intensive mental health services are transferred to the Special Management Unit at Columbia Correctional Institution, the Wisconsin Resource Center, or one of the Mental Health Institutes.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please let me know.

Sincerely,

JON E. LITSCHER
Secretary

**State of Wisconsin
Department of Corrections**

January 29, 1999

The Honorable, The Legislature:

Attached is the second quarter report on Prison Industries for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1999, as required by Section 303.019 of the Wisconsin Statutes. This report includes the year-to-date cash balance of each industry. This report reflects private sector joint venture balances separately from the remainder of Prison Industries.

Traditional Prison Industries

Traditional Industries cash receipts for the period July 1, 1998 through December 31, 1998 were \$10,648,394. Cash expenditures for the same time period were \$10,183,204. Through the 2nd quarter of this fiscal year, revenues exceeded expenditures by \$465,190.

Traditional Industries are projecting a \$330,000 profit on a cash basis for the fiscal year. On an accrual basis, a \$580,000 profit is projected for the period ending June 30, 1999. Traditional Industries ended fiscal year 1998 with a cash balance of \$464,058, becoming debt free for the first time in 20 years.

Private Sector Ventures

Private Sector Ventures receipts for the period July 1, 1998 through December 31, 1998 were \$144,724. Cash expenditures for the same time period were \$361,262. Through the 2nd quarter of this fiscal year, expenditures exceeded revenues by \$216,538. This is partially offset by accounts receivables of \$36,414.

In fiscal 1998, the Department of Corrections identified program changes to the Private Sector Program to reduce the cash deficit. These changes have been implemented and include the elimination of the second shift at Jackson Correctional Institution and renegotiation of rates paid by the

private sector company. The Department is confident that these and other changes identified in the ongoing assessment of this program will result in the program breaking even and recovering its one-time start-up costs by June 30, 2000. With the significant reduction in work orders from one of the two private businesses, additional actions will need to be taken so that this goal can be met.

In viewing the cash deficit, it should also be noted that these numbers do not reflect the financial benefits realized by the State in the form of room and board payments, state and federal taxes, crime victim restitution and child support payments. For the last two pay periods of FY-96 and fiscal years of FY-97 and FY-98, this amount was in excess of \$933,000. During the first two quarters of FY 99, \$158,304 was collected and it is estimated that the total collected for FY 99 will be approximately \$300,000.

The Department would be happy to respond to any questions you may have on this matter.

Sincerely,

JON E. LITSCHER
Secretary, Department of Corrections

MARK D. BUGHER
Secretary, Department of Administration

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

**THE STATE OF WISCONSIN
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**

EXECUTIVE ORDER #361

***Relating to the Creation of the Governor's Task Force
on Building Tomorrow's Workforce***

WHEREAS, working citizens are the heart and soul of Wisconsin's thriving economy; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin's unemployment rate has been below the national average for 142 consecutive months; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin's record-shattering economy has increased employment by thirty-three percent over the past twelve years and created over 680,000 new jobs for Wisconsin families; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin has utilized its workforce to such a degree that Wisconsin is facing a shortage of quality, high-skilled workers; and

WHEREAS, to compete in a global economy and keep Wisconsin's economy growing, we must continue to train and educate our workforce;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TOMMY G. THOMPSON, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the laws of this State, and specifically by Section 14.019 of the Wisconsin Statutes, do hereby:

1. Create the Governor's Task Force on Building Tomorrow's Workforce (hereinafter "Task Force").
2. Provide that the Task Force shall consist of not more than twenty-five (25) members appointed by the Governor to serve at the pleasure of the Governor.
3. Provide that the Governor shall designate two (2) members of the Task Force as co-chairs to serve in that capacity at the pleasure of the Governor.
4. Require the Task Force to prepare and submit a report to the Governor detailing its findings and recommendations to recruit, train, and educate Wisconsin's existing and future workforce.

5. Provide that the Task Force shall have the following mission:
 - a. To map out the future of technical and industrial education for high school and post-secondary students; and
 - b. To create strategies to expand apprenticeship programs; and
 - c. To identify best practice models and develop recommendations for preparing youths for careers in technical occupations, for re-employing disadvantaged and dislocated workers in technical occupations, and for facilitating continuing education, training, and career development in the classroom and the workplace.
6. Direct the University of Wisconsin system and other state agencies to provide assistance to the Task Force.
7. Instruct the Department of Workforce Development and the Department of Commerce to provide staff assistance to the Task force.
8. Direct the Department of Administration to provide the Task Force with reimbursement for expenses in accordance with section 20.505 (3)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes.

IN TESTIMONY WHERE OF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the city of Madison this thirtieth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine.

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

BY THE GOVERNOR:

DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

January 29, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint BRAUN, RICHARD A., of Kewaunee, as a member of the Banking Review Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2004.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Privacy, Electronic Commerce and Financial Institutions.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

January 29, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint MILNER, JOHN E., of

Oconomowoc, as a member of the Credit Union Review Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2004.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Privacy, Electronic Commerce and Financial Institutions.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

January 29, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint HOLMES, ROBERT W., of Tomah, as a member of the Savings and Loan Review Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2003.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Privacy, Electronic Commerce and Financial Institutions.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

January 29, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint TIMMERMAN, DOUGLAS J., of Madison, as a member of the Savings and Loan Review Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2003.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Privacy, Electronic Commerce and Financial Institutions.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

January 29, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint PITTELKOW, CHARLES R., of Brookfield, as a member of the Savings Bank Review Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2003.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Privacy, Electronic Commerce and Financial Institutions.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

January 29, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint MARTIN, ROGER F., of Mequon, as a member of the Savings Bank Review Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2003.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Privacy, Electronic Commerce and Financial Institutions.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

January 29, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint DE GOLIER, LAURA P., of Fond du Lac, as Executive Secretary of the Wisconsin Conservation Corps Board, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

January 29, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint CLEMENTS, JENNIFER J., of Sparta, as a member of the Board on Aging and Long Term Care, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2004.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Human Services and Aging.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

January 29, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint MCROBERTS, DAVID L., of Madison, as a member of the Ethics Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2005.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Economic Development, Housing and Government Operations.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

January 29, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint GRIEBENOW, DR. KERRY L., of New Londaon, as a member of the Optometry Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2002.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Health, Utilities, Veterans and Military Affairs.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

January 29, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint SARAZEN, DR. JEFF M., of Wausau, as a member of the Optometry Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2001.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Health, Utilities, Veterans and Military Affairs.**

**REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF
COMMITTEE REPORTS CONCERNING
PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES**

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-123

Relating to fish farms, fish diseases and imports of live fish and fish eggs.

Submitted by Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection.

Report received from Agency, February 8, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**, February 10, 1999.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-146

Relating to the land recycling loan program.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

Report received from Agency, February 9, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**, February 10, 1999.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-148

Relating to sport fishing regulations.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

Report received from Agency, February 9, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**, February 10, 1999.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-151

Relating to water system capacity for community and nontransient noncommunity water systems.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

Report received from Agency, February 9, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**, February 10, 1999.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-152

Relating to licensing fees charged to livestock markets, livestock dealers, and livestock truckers, registration fees charged to the keepers of farm-raised deer, fees charged for a permit to operate an approved feedlot, and the fee charged to an accredited veterinarian when the veterinarian obtains, from the department of agriculture, trade and consumer protection, forms to be used in issuing interstate health certificates or certificates of veterinary inspection.

Submitted by Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection.

Report received from Agency, February 8, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**, February 10, 1999.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-155

Relating to certification for the identification, removal and reduction of lead-based paint hazards, accreditation of training courses that prepare individuals for certification, and approval of training course managers, principal instructors and guest instructors.

Submitted by Department of Health and Family Services.

Report received from Agency, February 8, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Human Services and Aging**, February 10, 1999.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-162

Relating to an increase in construction permit fees.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

Report received from Agency, February 9, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**, February 10, 1999.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-176

Relating to forestry grant programs.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

Report received from Agency, February 9, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**, February 10, 1999.

The committee on **Insurance, Tourism, Transportation and Corrections** reports and recommends:

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-143

Relating to eligibility of TEA projects.

No action taken.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-145

Relating to excursion permits on state-owned rail lines.

No action taken.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-147

Relating to vehicle restraining devices.

No action taken.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-153

Relating to school bus equipment standards.

No action taken.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-167

Relating to the location for placement of utility work signs.

No action taken.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-185

Relating to demerit point assessment for operating after suspension and revocation offenses.

No action taken.

Roger Breske
Chairperson

**State of Wisconsin
Revisor of Statutes Bureau**

February 1, 1999

To the Honorable, the Senate:

The following rules have been published:

| Clearinghouse Rules | Effective Date(s) |
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| 97-138 | February 1, 1999 |
| 98-23 | April 1, 1999 |

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| 98-30 | February 1, 1999 |
| 98-31 | February 1, 1999 |
| 98-42 | February 1, 1999 |
| 98-45 | February 1, 1999 |
| 98-78 | February 1, 1999 |
| 98-79 | February 1, 1999 |
| 98-84 | February 1, 1999 |
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| 98-108 | February 1, 1999 |
| 98-111 | February 1, 1999 |
| 98-121 | February 1, 1999 |
| 98-122 | February 1, 1999 |
| 98-125 | February 1, 1999 |
| 98-132 | February 1, 1999 |
| 98-134 | February 1, 1999 |

Sincerely,
GARY L. POULSON
Deputy Revisor

MOTIONS UNDER SENATE RULE 98

for the Month of January 1999

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Plache, for David A. Baker, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Huelsman, for Robert Barras, on the occasion of being chosen to receive the Hartland Area Chamber of Commerce 1998 Youth Volunteer Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Roland Bast, on the occasion of being selected at the 1999 Germantown Chamber of Commerce Citizen of the Year.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Panzer, for Thomas R. Bast, on the occasion of his retirement after 34 years of dedicated service to the citizens of West Bend.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Panzer, for Andy Michael Baumann, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Erpenbach, for Beverly J. Beyer, on the occasion of many years of dedication to the City of Verona.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Drzewiecki, for Elmer and Jane Boettcher, on the occasion of celebrating their 60th Wedding Anniversary.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Drzewiecki, for Matthew Bongel, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Huelsman, for Andrew Bonvicini, on the occasion of being chosen to receive the Delafield Area Chamber of Commerce 1998 Student of the Year Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Wirch, for the Bristol Fire Department, on the occasion of celebrating its 100th Anniversary.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Farrow, for Joseph Burke, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Captain Gerald A. Culver, on the occasion of his retirement after 30 years of dedicated service to the Glendale Police Department.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Roessler, for Paul and Joan Cunningham President and Vice-President of Schreiner's Restaurant, on the occasion of providing the Fond du Lac community with a superb place to dine and gather.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Rosenzweig, for Charles Anthony Curtis, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Rosenzweig, for D.C. Ellington Company, on the occasion of being named Business of the Year by the West Allis Chamber of Commerce.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Decker, for John Drolshagen, on the occasion of his organizational skills in preparing a social event "Lite Up a Lite Christmas Dinner for the Elderly."

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Erpenbach, for Kelsey Michel Durand, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Andrew J. Durch, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator George, for Dr. William Finlayson, on the occasion of his lifelong dedication to public service.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Byron Randall Fisher, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Calvin Beason Fisher, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for the Germantown Citizens's Scholarship Fund, on the occasion of its enduring commitment to the students of the Germantown Community.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Roessler, for James Gilmore, on the occasion of his retirement and many years of dedicated service to Law Enforcement.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for Jeremy M. Goetsch, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Decker, for Charlie & Torri Gray owners of Culver's Frozen Custard, on the occasion of being named the "Outstanding Restaurateur of the Year" winner by fellow members of the Wisconsin Restaurant Association.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Panzer, for Lieutenant Keith E. Gross, on the occasion of his retirement after 27 years of dedicated service to the Ozaukee County Sheriff Department.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Decker, for Matthew Hagengruber, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Rosenzweig, for Joyce Halliburton, on the occasion of being honored with the Citizen of the Year and Lifetime achievement Award from the West Allis Chamber of Commerce.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for Ron and Mary Jane Hollnagel owners of the White Spruce Inn, on the occasion of being recognized as "Outstanding Restaurateurs of the Year" at the Wisconsin Restaurant Association's Award Night Banquet.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Hometown Publications II, on the occasion of being chosen as the 1999 Germantown Chamber of Commerce Business of the Year.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Jauch, for Rose Jaques, on the occasion of being selected the 1999 Vacational Chapter "Outstanding Restaurateur of the Year".

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Burke, for Alex Jordan, on the occasion of his retirement and his years of dedicated service to the Labor Union Local 113.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Robson, for Walter Rufus Knight, on the occasion of his contributions of time and talent and unique skills to the Beloit Community.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Rosenzweig, for Molly Koranda, on the occasion of her 2 years of service in the Wisconsin State Senate as a Legislative Aide in the 5th Senate District.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Drzewiecki, for Vern and Judy Krawczyk, on the occasion of being named the "1999 Outstanding Restaurateur of the Year" – by the Green Bay Chapter of the Wisconsin Restaurant Association"

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Ellis, for James Wagner Lager, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Moen, for Alice Larson, on the occasion of 22 years of service to the people of Jackson County.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Roessler, for Joseph Malchow, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Timothy Manix, on the occasion of his retirement after 32 years of exemplary state service.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Ellis, for Louis James Metz, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Huelsman, for Donald Howard Mullett, on the occasion of being chosen to receive the Hartland Area Chamber of Commerce 1998 Person of the Year Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Wirch, for Brian Nelson, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Ellis, for Jack Oldenburg, on the occasion of being chosen as the 1999 Wisconsin Restaurant Association Big Four Chapter's "Outstanding Restaurateur of the Year".

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Robson, for Christopher Olson, on the occasion of his retirement after 30 years of service as a Firefighter and Paramedic.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Erpenbach, for The Oregon High School and the members of the 1998 Oregon Panthers Soccer Championship Team, on the occasion of a tremendous year of competition and achievement.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Ellis, for The Oshkosh Country Club, on the occasion of celebrating its 100th Anniversary.

A certificate of condolence by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator George, for the family and friends of Robert Purtell, Jr., on the occasion of celebrating with them his life on earth.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Huelsman, for Michael Reiland, on the occasion of being named the 1998 Pewaukee Person of the Year.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Clausing, for Thomas J. and Beverly Ruble owners of the Virginian Supper Club, on the occasion of being honored as the "1999 Outstanding Restaurateurs of the Year" by the St. Croix Chapter of the Wisconsin Restaurant Association.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Rosenzweig, for Samuel Morse Middle School, on the occasion of being named the 166 National "Blue Ribbon School" for 1999.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Rosenzweig, for Steve Schilling, on the occasion of being honored as Outstanding Restaurateur for

1999 by the Milwaukee Chapter of the Wisconsin Restaurant Association.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Roessler, for Dick Schlimm, on the occasion of his outstanding years of service for Advocap.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Huelsman, for Jamie Schmidt, on the occasion of being chosen to receive the Delafield Area Chamber of Commerce 1998 Student of the Year Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Wirch, for Eric Shada, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Grobschmidt, for David Stawski, on the occasion of being honored as the 1998 St. Francis "Citizen of the Year".

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Fitzgerald, for Vicki Steinke, on the occasion of being chosen the 1998 "Person of the Year" by the Delafield Chamber of Commerce.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Decker, for Thomas J.P. Theisen, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for Hunter Tromp, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Christopher Uitz, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Roessler, for Troy Walker, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Wirch, for Tom Williams, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.