



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

Ninety-Fourth Regular Session

10:00 A.M.

THURSDAY, September 9, 1999

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by Senator Fred Risser.

The Chair, with unanimous consent, asked that the proper entries be made in the journal.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

Read first time and referred:

Senate Bill 227

Relating to: certification by electors who render assistance in voting at polling places.

By Senators Breske, George, Darling, Burke and Schultz; cosponsored by Representatives Musser, Ryba, Miller, Hahn, Riley, Pocan, Freese, Gronemus, Coggs, Berceau, Meyerhofer, Pettis, Waukau, Kreibich and Kedzie.

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

Senate Bill 228

Relating to: requiring town board approval for, and setting conditions on, certain annexation actions and prohibiting the creation of town islands.

By Senators Breske, A. Lasee, Shibilski and Schultz; cosponsored by Representatives F. Lasee, Musser, Handrick, Seratti, Ainsworth, Hasenohrl, Goetsch, Ladwig, Spillner, Hutchison, Olsen, Gronemus, Gunderson, Sykora, Johnsrud, Kreibich, Kestell, Nass, Skindrud, Freese, Klusman, Albers, Porter and Hahn.

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

Senate Bill 229

Relating to: discontinuing the occupational tax on owners of domestic mink.

By Senators Breske, Rude, Drzewiecki and Farrow; cosponsored by Representatives Handrick, Ryba, Musser, Seratti, Lassa, Petrowski, Ainsworth, Pettis, Waukau, Grothman and Sykora.

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

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Economic Development, Housing and Government Operations** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 189

Relating to: consolidation or merger of incorporated Roman Catholic congregations.

Concurrence.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Wirch, Moore, Grobschmidt, Drzewiecki and Zien.

Noes, 0 – None.

Assembly Bill 227

Relating to: changing the boundaries of Jackson County and Monroe County.

Concurrence.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Wirch, Moore, Grobschmidt, Drzewiecki and Zien.

Noes, 0 – None.

JEFFRIS, THOMAS MOUAT, of Janesville, as a member of the State Historical Society Board of Curators, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2002

Confirmation.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Wirch, Moore, Grobschmidt, Drzewiecki and Zien.

Noes, 0 – None.

KALISHEK, KAREN A., of Shawano, as a member of the Examining Board of Architects, Landscape Architects, Professional Engineers, Designers and Land Surveyors, to serve for the interim term ending July 1, 2001.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Wirch, Moore, Grobschmidt, Drzewiecki and Zien.

Noes, 0 – None.

Senate Bill 112

Relating to: referral of bills to the joint committee on finance and preparation of fiscal estimates on penalty bills.

Passage.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Wirch, Moore, Grobschmidt, Drzewiecki and Zien.

Noes, 0 – None.

Senate Bill 146

Relating to: repealing, consolidating, renumbering, amending and revising various provisions of the statutes for the purpose of correcting errors, supplying omissions, correcting and clarifying references, eliminating defects, anachronisms, conflicts, ambiguities and obsolete provisions, reconciling conflicts and repelling unintended repeals (Revisor's Correction Bill).

Passage.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Wirch, Moore, Grobschmidt, Drzewiecki and Zien.

Noes, 0 – None.

Senate Bill 161

Relating to: authorizing payment schedules for delinquent taxpayers who enter into a compromise with the department of revenue.

Passage.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Wirch, Moore, Grobschmidt, Drzewiecki and Zien.

Noes, 0 – None.

Robert Wirch
Chairperson

The committee on **Judiciary and Consumer Affairs** reports and recommends:

Senate Bill 50

Relating to: enforcement of motor vehicle safety belt violations and providing a penalty.

Passage.

Ayes, 4 – Senators George, Risser, Huelsman and Darling.
Noes, 1 – Senator Clausing.

Gary George
Chairperson

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

September 2, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint ESLINGER, REBA L., of Spooner, as a member of the Board of Veterans Affairs, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2005.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

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

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

September 2, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint HEILIGER, DONALD L., of Stoughton, as a member of the Board of Veterans Affairs, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2005.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

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

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

September 2, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint GRACZ, GREGORY L., of Milwaukee, as a member of the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2006.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Education.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

September 2, 1999

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint AXTELL, ROGER E., of Janesville, as a member of the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2006.

Sincerely,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Education.**

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

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98–180

Relating to WPDES permit exemptions for private sewage systems with a design capacity of less than 12,000 gallons per day.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

Report received from Agency, September 7, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**, September 9, 1999.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98–196

Relating to regulating the discharge of chloride to surface waters of the state.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

Report received from Agency, September 7, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**, September 9, 1999.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 99–044

Relating to bow fishing hours on inland lakes during the rough fish spearing season.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

Report received from Agency, September 7, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**, September 9, 1999.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 99–047

Relating to snowmobiles.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

Report received from Agency, September 7, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**, September 9, 1999.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 99–082

Relating to camping and reservations on state parks, forests and other public lands and waters under the department's jurisdiction.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

Report received from Agency, September 7, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**, September 9, 1999.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 99-083

Relating to public use of department lands.
Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.
Report received from Agency, September 7, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**, September 9, 1999.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 99-097

Relating to the 1999 migratory game bird season.
Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.
Report received from Agency, September 7, 1999.

Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform**, September 9, 1999.

The committee on **Health, Utilities, Veterans and Military Affairs** reports and recommends:

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-071

Relating to early intervention services for children with developmental needs in the age group from birth up to 3.
No action taken.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-090

Relating to the transmission and receipt of electronic prescription orders.
No action taken.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 99-016

Relating to the education required of licensed dental hygienists to receive a certificate to administer local anesthesia to patients.
No action taken.

Rodney Moen
Chairperson

The committee on **Judiciary and Consumer Affairs** reports and recommends:

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 98-159

Relating to bicycle helmets and drawstrings in children's clothing.
No action taken.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 99-008

Relating to the solicitation of prospective purchasers of burial agreements funded with the proceeds of a life insurance policy.
No action taken.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 99-074

Relating to certification criteria.
No action taken.

Gary George
Chairperson

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Risser, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn until Tuesday, September 14 at 10:00 A.M..
Adjourned.

10:01 A.M.