

Vote Record

Senate Committee on Health, Utilities, Veterans and Military Affairs

Date: 4/28/99 Executive Session Public Hearing
 Bill Number: CR-98-191, 98-188, 98-204
 Moved by: Welch Seconded by: Rude
 Motion: Send letter

Committee Member

	<u>Aye</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Absent</u>
Sen. Rodney Moen, Chair	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sen. Roger Breske	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sen. Judy Robson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sen. Jon Erpenbach	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sen. Robert Welch	X <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sen. Brian Rude	X <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sen. Gary Drzewiecki	X <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Totals: _____

Motion Carried

Motion Failed

Tommy G. Thompson
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The Honorable Rodney Moen, Chair
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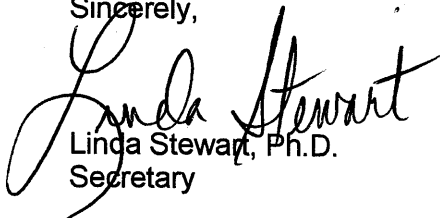
Dear Senator Moen:

I am writing in response to your letter dated May 6 regarding the Senate Committee on Health, Utilities, Veterans and Military Affairs review period for CR98-204 (DWD55), relating to criminal record background checks for certified daycare operators and employers.

The Department of Workforce Development (DWD) agrees to consider modifications to the administrative rule as requested by committee members. Our intention throughout the rulemaking process has been for the DWD rule on background reviews to remain consistent with the Department of Health and Family Services rules on this subject.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Howard Bernstein, DWD Legal Counsel, at 266-9427, or Kim Markham, DWD Legislative Liaison, at 267-3200.

Sincerely,


Linda Stewart, Ph.D.
Secretary



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Judith B. Robson
Wisconsin State Senator

April 1, 1999

Senator Rod Moen, Chair
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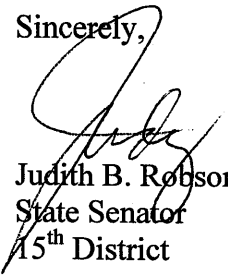
Dear Senator Moen:

I request a public hearing on CR 98-204 relating to background checks for certified day care providers. CR 98-204 states that Ch. HFS 12 and the "crimes table" incorporated into Ch. HFS 12 will be used for "guidance in resolving issues that arise in particular cases" during background reviews.

Considerable concern has been voiced by providers about the expansive nature of the crimes enumerated in Ch. HFS 12. The Department of Health and Family Services has made some revisions, but objections remain that the rule goes beyond the scope and intent of the original law.

Your consideration of this request is appreciated.

Sincerely,


Judith B. Robson
State Senator
15th District

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