



# STATE OF WISCONSIN Assembly Journal

## Ninety-Sixth Regular Session

FRIDAY, August 29, 2003

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

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### ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

#### Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 03-040

Relating to petitions for review.  
Submitted by Tax Appeals Commission.  
Report received from Agency, August 20, 2003.  
To committee on **Ways and Means**.  
Referred on August 29, 2003.

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### INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

#### Assembly Bill 487

Relating to: the purpose and integrity of the patients compensation fund and changing its name to the injured patients and families compensation fund.

By Representatives Ladwig, Gielow, Weber, Albers, Bies, J. Fitzgerald, Freese, Gunderson, Jensen, Jeskewitz, Kerkman, Krawczyk, Kreibich, M. Lehman, LeMahieu, Lothian, McCormick, D. Meyer, Montgomery, Nischke, Olsen, Petrowski, Pettis, Seratti, Stone, Suder, Towns, Townsend, Van Roy, Vukmir, Wasserman and Owens; cosponsored by Senators Schultz, Roessler, Brown, Darling, S. Fitzgerald, Kanavas, Kedzie, A. Lasee, Panzer, Reynolds, Stepp, Zien and Welch.

To committee on **Insurance**.

#### Assembly Bill 488

Relating to: the administration of local exposition district taxes.

By Representative Foti; cosponsored by Senator Darling, by request of Wisconsin Center District.

To committee on **Ways and Means**.

#### Assembly Bill 489

Relating to: manufacturers, importers, and distributors of motor vehicles and franchised motor vehicle dealers.

By Representatives Freese, Gronemus, Ainsworth, Friske, Gielow, Gunderson, Hahn, Hines, Hundertmark,

Kestell, Krawczyk, M. Lehman, LeMahieu, McCormick, Montgomery, Olsen, Ott, Petrowski, Shilling, Suder, Van Roy and Vrakas; cosponsored by Senators Leibham, Breske, Brown, Erpenbach, S. Fitzgerald, Kanavas, Plale, Risser, Schultz, Stepp and Welch.

To committee on **Transportation**.

#### Assembly Bill 490

Relating to: wholesale motor vehicle dealers.

By Representatives Freese, Gronemus, Gunderson, Hahn, Hines, Hundertmark, Kestell, Krawczyk, M. Lehman, LeMahieu, McCormick, Montgomery, Ott, Petrowski, Rhoades, Shilling, Suder, Van Roy and Vrakas; cosponsored by Senators Leibham, Breske, Brown, Carpenter, S. Fitzgerald, Kanavas, Plale, Risser, Schultz and Welch.

To committee on **Transportation**.

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### COMMITTEE REPORTS

The joint committee for **review of Administrative Rules** reports and recommends:

#### Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 03-017

Relating to the regulation of baiting and feeding to control and manage chronic wasting disease.

Concurrence in objection:

Ayes: 6 – Representatives Grothman, Seratti and Gunderson; Senators Welch, Lazich and Lassa.

Noes: 4 – Representatives Black and Hebl; Senators Leibham and Robson.

*GLENN GROTHMAN*

Assembly Chairperson

Joint Committee for review of  
Administrative Rules

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### REFERENCE BUREAU CORRECTIONS

#### Assembly Bill 444

1. Page 6, line 23: delete “175.345” and substitute “175.35”.

2. Page 16, line 6: delete “not been” and substitute “not”.

## SPEAKER'S APPOINTMENTS

August 28, 2003

Mr. Patrick Fuller, Chief Clerk  
Wisconsin State Assembly  
Room 208, Risser Justice Center  
17 West Main Street  
Madison, WI 53708

Dear Patrick:

Pursuant to Assembly Rule 42 (2)(b), I have appointed Representative Mark Honadel to the following committees: Economic Development, Energy and Utilities and Corrections and Courts.

Please call Ellen Nowak of my office if you have any questions.

Sincerely,  
*JOHN G. GARD*  
Assembly Speaker

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## REFERRAL OF AGENCY REPORTS

State of Wisconsin  
Department of Natural Resources  
Madison

August 2003

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

The Groundwater Coordinating Council (GCC) is pleased to release its 2003 Report to the Legislature. The GCC was formed in 1984 to help state agencies coordinate non-regulatory activities and exchange information on groundwater. The GCC has served as a model for interagency coordination and cooperation among state government officials, the Governor, local government and the federal

government. It is one of the few groups in the nation to effectively coordinate groundwater activities in its state from an advisory position.

This report summarizes GCC and agency activities related to groundwater protection and management in FY 03 (July 1, 2002 to June 30, 2003) and provides an overview of the condition of the groundwater resource. See the *Executive Summary* for highlights and the GCC recommendations in *Future Directions for Groundwater Protection*. This report is available online at <http://www.dnr.state.wi.us/org/water/dwg/gcc/index.html>.

We hope you will find this report to be a useful reference in protecting Wisconsin's valuable groundwater resource.

Sincerely,  
*TODD AMBS, CHAIR*  
Groundwater Coordinating Council

Referred to committee on **Natural Resources**.

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State of Wisconsin  
Department of Commerce  
Madison

August 22, 2003

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

As specified in s. 101.122, we are submitting 2002 year's annual report for the Rental Weatherization Program. This program began on January 1, 1985. Additional copies of the report are available by contacting the Program Manager at Rental Weatherization Program, Commerce-Safety and Buildings Division at 266-5649.

Sincerely,  
*CORY L. NETTLES*  
Secretary

Referred to committee on **Housing**.