

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs

Senate Bill 170

Relating to: the Veterans Mortgage Loan Program, veterans tuition and fee reimbursement, authority for the Department of Veterans Affairs to acquire a headquarters building, departmental delivery of services to veterans, veterans personal loans, eligibility for burial at a veterans cemetery, part-time study grants for veterans, housing loans for veterans, mortgage loan repayment fund, grants to county veteran service offices, national guard tuition grants, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

By Senators Brown, Schultz, Zien, Welch, Decker, Stepp, S. Fitzgerald, A. Lasee, Roessler, Darling, George, Kedzie, Jauch, Kanavas, Breske, Wirch, Hansen, Leibham, Harsdorf, Carpenter, Plale, Lassa, Moore, Panzer, Risser, Robson and Erpenbach; cosponsored by Representatives Musser, Petrowski, Suder, Kreuser, Turner, Vrakas, Gronemus, Kreibich, Boyle, Pettis, Morris, Hahn, Owens, M. Lehman, Seratti, Balow, Miller, Young, Underheim, Travis, Montgomery, Bies, Hines, Rhoades, D. Meyer, Krawczyk, Kestell, Black, Ladwig, Loeffelholz, Johnsrud, Hebl, J. Fitzgerald, Ott, Freese, Townsend, Gunderson, Olsen, Van Roy, Wieckert, Stone, Ward, Hundertmark, Coggs, Nass, Schneider, Jeskewitz, Shilling, Huber, McCormick, Vukmir, J. Wood, Gundrum, Berceau, Kaufert, Plouff, Nischke, Richards, Zepnick, Towns, Huebsch, Colon and Sinicki.

November 05, 2003 Referred to Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs.

November 6, 2003 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (14) Representatives Musser, Townsend, Pettis, Hundertmark, Petrowski, Bies, Loeffelholz, Gottlieb, Sherman, Boyle, Hubler, Schneider, Sinicki and Miller.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Secretary John Scocos, WI DVA
- Senator Ron Brown, 31st District
- Larry Olson, for Adj Gen Wilkening WI DMA
- Chuck Goranson, Vets for Vets
- Marv Freedman, V V A

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

None.

Registrations For

- Dan Schmitz, Self - DAV member
- Anthony Hardie, WI DVA
- Steve Lawrence, WI VFW
- Bonnie Moser, WNGEA
- Brett Coomber, Budget Office DMA
- Kathy Marschman, Bd Veterans Affairs
- Senator Dale Schultz, 17th District

Registrations Against

None.

November 6, 2003

EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (14) Representatives Musser, Townsend, Pettis, Hundertmark, Petrowski, Bies, Loeffelholz, Gottlieb, Sherman, Boyle, Hubler, Schneider, Sinicki and Miller.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Hubler, seconded by Representative Pettis that **Assembly Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (14) Representatives Musser, Townsend, Pettis, Hundertmark, Petrowski, Bies, Loeffelholz, Gottlieb, Sherman, Boyle, Hubler, Schneider, Sinicki and Miller.

Noes: (0) None.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,
Ayes 14, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Hubler, seconded by Representative Pettis that **Senate Bill 170** be recommended for concurrence as amended.

Ayes: (14) Representatives Musser, Townsend, Pettis, Hundertmark, Petrowski, Bies, Loeffelholz, Gottlieb, Sherman, Boyle, Hubler, Schneider, Sinicki and Miller.

Noes: (0) None.

CONCURRENCE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 14,
Noes 0

Marlene Reineking
Committee Clerk