

## Senate

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy**

##### **Senate Joint Resolution 15**

Relating to: the vote on bills that would increase certain tax rates (first consideration).

By Senators Welch, Harsdorf, Kanavas, Kedzie, A. Lasee, Leibham, Reynolds, Stepp and Zien; cosponsored by Representatives Suder, Albers, Bies, J. Fitzgerald, Gielow, Grothman, Gunderson, Hines, Jensen, Krawczyk, Kreibich, Ladwig, F. Lasee, McCormick, D. Meyer, Musser, Nass, Nischke, Owens, Petrowski, Stone, Towns, Vukmir, Ward, J. Wood and Ziegelbauer.

February 05, 2003      Referred to Committee on Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy.

March 4, 2003            **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (4)      Senators Zien, S. Fitzgerald, Stepp and  
   Carpenter.

Absent:     (1)      Senator George.

##### Appearances For

- None.

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- Wayne Corey, WI Independent Businesses, Madison, WI

##### Registrations For

- State Senator Tom Reynolds, 5th State Senate District
- Bill Smith, National Federation of Independent Businesses (WI), Madison, WI
- Jeff Schoepke, Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce, Madison, WI

##### Registrations Against

- Bob Andersen, WI Council on Children & Families, Madison, WI

March 11, 2003            **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Zien, S. Fitzgerald, Stepp and  
Carpenter.  
Absent: (1) Senator George.

Appearances For

- State Senator Bob Welch, 14th State Senate District
- Representative Scott Suder, 69th Assembly District
- Joan Hansen, Wisconsin Manufacturers & Commerce,  
Madison, WI

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Bill Smith, National Federation of Independent Businesses  
(WI), Madison, WI

Registrations Against

- Joanne Ricca, Wisconsin State AFL-CIO, Milwaukee, WI

March 11, 2003

**EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (4) Senators Zien, S. Fitzgerald, Stepp and  
Carpenter.  
Absent: (1) George.

Moved by Senator Stepp, seconded by Senator S. Fitzgerald that  
**Senate Substitute Amendment LRBs0026** be recommended for  
introduction and adoption.

Ayes: (4) Senators Zien, S. Fitzgerald, Stepp and  
Carpenter.

Noes: (1) Senator George (polling).

INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION OF SENATE  
SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT LRBs0026 RECOMMENDED,  
Ayes 4, Noes 1

Moved by Senator S. Fitzgerald, seconded by Senator Stepp that  
**Senate Joint Resolution 15** be recommended for adoption as  
amended.

Ayes: (3) Senators Zien, S. Fitzgerald and Stepp.

Noes: (2) Senators George and Carpenter.

ADOPTION AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2

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John Hogan  
Committee Clerk