



STATE OF WISCONSIN Assembly Journal

Ninety-Seventh Regular Session

FRIDAY, March 17, 2006

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

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Assembly substitute amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 903** offered by Representative Owens.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following Assembly proposals, which have been approved by both the Assembly and Senate, have been enrolled by the Legislative Reference Bureau:

- Assembly Bill 810**
- Assembly Bill 904**
- Assembly Bill 905**
- Assembly Bill 973**
- Assembly Bill 1014**
- Assembly Bill 1028**
- Assembly Bill 1036**
- Assembly Bill 1060**
- Assembly Joint Resolution 68**
- Assembly Joint Resolution 80**

PATRICK E. FULLER
Assembly Chief Clerk

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor
Madison

March 15, 2006

To the Honorable Members of the Assembly:

The following bills, originating in the Assembly, have been approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Act Number</u>	<u>Date Approved</u>
Assembly Bill 298	135	March 14, 2006
Assembly Bill 20	136	March 14, 2006

Respectfully submitted,
JIM DOYLE
Governor

State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor
Madison

March 17, 2006

To the Honorable Members of the Assembly:

The following bills, originating in the Assembly, have been approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Act Number</u>	<u>Date Approved</u>
Assembly Bill 144	137	March 16, 2006
Assembly Bill 536	139	March 16, 2006
Assembly Bill 912	140	March 16, 2006

Respectfully submitted,
JIM DOYLE
Governor

COMMUNICATIONS

March 16, 2006

Patrick Fuller
Assembly Chief Clerk
17 West Main Street, Suite 401
Madison, WI 53708

Dear Patrick:

I respectfully request that my name be added as a co-sponsor of Assembly Bill 1096, relating to a loan program for students studying for a license to teach who agree to teach in school districts with populations of less than 10,000, a loan program for residents of this state studying for a license or permit to teach mathematics or science, requiring the exercise of rule-making authority, and making appropriations. This bill was introduced by Representative Towns on March 6, 2006 and was referred to committee on Colleges and Universities.

I appreciate your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,
CAROL ROESSLER
State Senator
18th Senate District

State of Wisconsin
Office of the Secretary of State
Madison

To Whom It May Concern:

Acts, Joint Resolutions and Resolutions deposited in this office have been numbered and published as follows:

<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Act Number</u>	<u>Publication Date</u>
Assembly Bill 298 135	March 28, 2006
Assembly Bill 20 136	March 28, 2006

Sincerely,
DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State

REFERRAL OF AGENCY REPORTS

State of Wisconsin
Department of Regulation and Licensing
Madison

February 17, 2006

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

It is with pleasure that I submit the 2003-2005 Biennial Report for the Department of Regulation and Licensing (DRL).

The Department's achievements and successes of the past two years reflect the dedicated effort of a conscientious workforce, committed to providing an efficient and effective regulatory program that provides safety and protection for the public and quality service for the professionals we regulate. In the 2005-2007 biennium, the Department will strive to generate even greater efficiencies and further improve the way we do business.

The over 300,000 professionals regulated by this agency contribute \$9.8 billion annually to the Wisconsin economy. We acknowledge our considerable responsibilities, and on behalf of Wisconsin's citizens, we are committed to serving them and continuing to support the state's economic growth.

I will be happy to respond to any questions or comments about the Department and its functions.

Sincerely,
CELIA M. JACKSON
Secretary

Referred to committee on **Labor**.

State of Wisconsin
Department of Administration
Madison

February 28, 2006

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

This report is transmitted as required by s. 20.002(11)(f), Wisconsin Statutes, (for distribution to the appropriate

standing committees under s. 13.172(3), Wisconsin Statutes), and confirms that the Department of Administration has found it necessary to exercise the "temporary reallocation of balances" authority provided by this section in order to meet payment responsibilities and cover resulting negative cash balances during the month of January 2006.

On January 1, 2006, the **General Fund** cash balance closed at a negative \$118.9 million. The negative balance continued until January 13, 2006, when the balance closed at a positive \$53.3 million. The **General Fund** cash balance reached its intramonth low of a negative \$173.7 million on January 11, 2006. The negative balance was due to the difference in the timing of revenues and expenditures.

The General Fund shortfall was not in excess of the statutory interfund borrowing limitation and did not exceed the balances of the funds available for interfund borrowing.

The distribution of interest earnings to investment pool participants is based on the average daily balance in the pool and each fund's share. Therefore, the monthly calculation by the State Controller's Office will automatically reflect the use of these temporary reallocations of balance authority, and as a result, the funds requiring the use of the authority will effectively bear the interest cost.

Sincerely,
STEPHEN E. BABLITCH
Secretary

Referred to committee on **Ways and Means**.

State of Wisconsin
Department of Administration
Madison

March 14, 2006

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

Included with this correspondence, I am submitting the report of the Department of Administration, Division of Gaming (Gaming), for the first quarter of fiscal year 2006 (July 1, 2005 through September 30, 2005) and the second quarter of fiscal year 2006 (October 1, 2005 through December 31, 2005). As required by s. 562.02 (1)(g), Wis. Stats., the attached materials contain pari-mutuel wagering and racing statistical information, as well as the revenues for the program areas of Racing, Charitable Gaming, Bingo and Indian Gaming.

If you have any questions or comments regarding this report, please do not hesitate to contact Rachel Meek at (608) 270-2535.

Sincerely,
ROBERT W. SLOEY
Administrator

Referred to committee on **State Affairs**.