

WISCONSIN STATE
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COMMITTEE HEARING
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2005-06

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(SC-AI)

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INFORMATION COLLECTED BY COMMITTEE
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Name: D. Greenly

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Vote Record
Committee on Agriculture and Insurance

Date: 3-6-06

Moved by: Kedzie

Seconded by: Olsen

Attachments

AB _____

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Appointment Diane Greenly

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Be recommended for:

- Passage Adoption Confirmation Concurrence Indefinite Postponement
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Committee Member

Senator Dan Kapanke, Chair

Senator Neal Kedzie

Senator Ronald Brown

Senator Luther Olsen

Senator Jon Erpenbach

Senator David Hansen

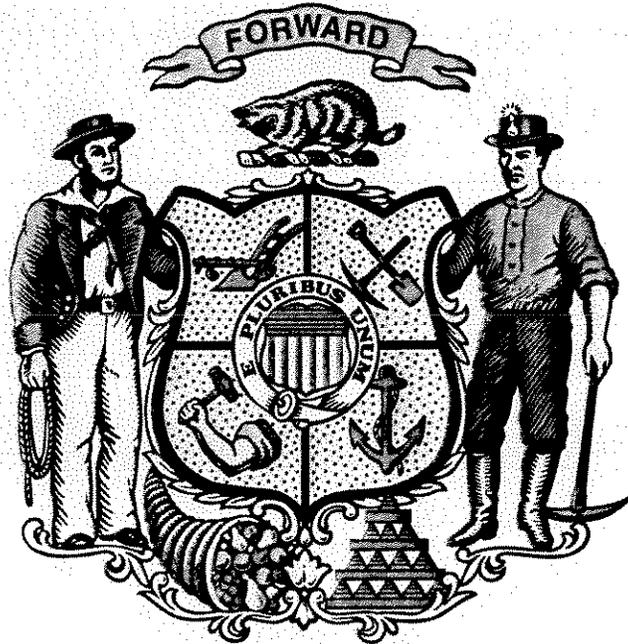
Senator Mark Miller

Aye No Absent Not Voting

Totals: 7 0 _____

Motion Carried

Motion Failed





JIM DOYLE
GOVERNOR
STATE OF WISCONSIN

February 20, 2006

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint Dianne Greenley to be a Consumer Advocate on the Health Insurance Risk-Sharing Plan Authority to serve a term expiring May 1, 2008.

Ms. Greenley will be available to the Senate for hearings and my staff will assist in any way they can.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Jim Doyle'.

Jim Doyle
Governor



JIM DOYLE
GOVERNOR
STATE OF WISCONSIN

February 20, 2006

Ms. Dianne Greenley
Disability Rights Wisconsin
16 N. Carroll Street, Suite 400
Madison, WI 53703

Dear Ms. Greenley:

I am pleased to appoint you to the Health Insurance Risk-Sharing Plan Authority, effective February 20, 2006. Your experience, knowledge, and dedication will be a true asset to my administration and a great benefit to the people of Wisconsin.

I look forward to working with you to find creative ways of delivering services and implementing positive change for the citizens of our state.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jim Doyle".

Jim Doyle
Governor



JIM DOYLE
GOVERNOR
STATE OF WISCONSIN

GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENT

NAME: Dianne Greenley

MAILING ADDRESS: Disability Rights Wisconsin
16 N. Carroll Street, Suite 400
Madison, WI 53703

E-MAIL ADDRESS: dianneg@drwi.org

RESIDES IN: McFarland, WI

TELEPHONE: 608-267-0214 (w)

OCCUPATION: Supervising Attorney, Disability Rights
Wisconsin

APPOINTED TO: Health Insurance Risk-Sharing Plan Authority
Consumer Advocate

TERM: A term to expire May 1, 2008

SUCCEEDS: (Newly Created Authority)

SENATE CONFIRMATION: Yes

DATE OF APPOINTMENT: February 20, 2006

DATE OF NOMINATION: February 20, 2006

Mary Dianne Greenley

2689 Maple Drive, McFarland, WI 53558

Office: (608) 267-0214

Home: (608) 838-3875

Bar Membership:

State Bar of Wisconsin
United States District Court of the Western District of Wisconsin
Admitted June 1974

Professional License:

State of Wisconsin, Licensed Independent Clinical Social Worker
1993 - Present

Education:

School: University of Wisconsin Law School
Madison, Wisconsin
September 1971 - May 1974

Degree: J.D.

Honors: Order of the Coif
Graduated Cum Laude

Activities: Clinical Externship, Spring Semester 1974, Center for Law and
Social Policy (Mental Health Law Project), Washington, D.C.
Clinical Placement, Fall Semester 1973, Law Clerk for Judge John
Reynolds, United States District Court for the Eastern District of
Wisconsin

School: Smith College School for Social Work
Northampton, Massachusetts
June 1966 - August 1968

Degree: Masters in Social Work

School: Stanford University
Stanford, California
September 1962 - June 1966

Major: Psychology

Degree: B.A.

Honors: Graduated "With Distinction"
Member Cap and Gown, Women's Honor Society

Employment:

- January 1999 - 2001 Co-Principal Investigator, Women & Mental Health Study Site, School of Social Work, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI
- September 1984 - Present Supervising Attorney, Mental Health Advocacy, ~~Wisconsin Coalition for Advocacy, Inc.~~ Disability Rights Wisconsin
16 N. Carroll St., Suite 400
Madison, Wisconsin 53703
- July 1975 - June 1984 Co-Director for Human Services Advocacy Center for Public Presentation
Madison, Wisconsin
- December 1974 - June 1975 Attorney
Chancellor's Office
University of Wisconsin
Madison, Wisconsin
- May - August 1973 Legal Intern, Mendota State Hospital
Legal Assistance to Inmates Program
University of Wisconsin Law School
Madison, Wisconsin
- January - July 1971 Social Worker
University of Wisconsin Hospitals
Madison, Wisconsin
- September 1968 - June 1970 Consultant
Connecticut Department of Corrections
New Haven Division of Parole
New Haven, Connecticut
- October 1968 - July 1970 Psychiatric Social Worker
Connecticut Mental Health Center
New Haven, Connecticut

Other:

- Lecturer, University of Wisconsin Law School
Seminar on Law & People with Disabilities
1979 - Present
Seminar on Legislative & Administrative Drafting & Lobbying
Fall Semester, 1981, 1982, Summer 1983

Lecturer, University of Wisconsin - Madison School of Social Work
Seminar on Community Treatment for Persons with Serious Mental Illness
Spring Semesters 2000-2001
Course on Social Work Law and Advocacy
Fall Semester 2001

Field Practicum Supervisor
University of Wisconsin - Madison School of Social Work,
1992 - Present
University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee Helen Bader School of Social Welfare
2003 - Present

Member, Board of Governors
Wisconsin Health Insurance Risk Sharing Plan
1980 - Present

Member, Legislative Council, Special Committee on Recodification of Ch. 55,
Placement and Services for Persons with Disabilities
2002 - 2003

Member, Blue Ribbon Commission Implementation and Mental Health/Substance
Abuse Managed Care Advisory Committees
1998 - 2003

Co-chair, Recovery Task Force
Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services
1998 - Present

Member, Public Interest Law Section Board of Directors,
State Bar of Wisconsin
1998 - 2000

Member, Governor's Blue Ribbon Commission on Mental Health
1996 - 1997

Member, Legal Committee
National Association of Protection and Advocacy Systems
1994 - 2000

Member, Legislative Council, Special Committee on Oversight of Community
Mental Health Services
1992 - 1993

Member, Legislative Council Special Committee on Homelessness
1990 - 1991

Chairperson, Dane County Task Force on the Homeless
1989

Member, Legislative Council Special Committee on Community Aids
1988 - 1989

Member, Council, Individual Rights and Responsibilities Section
State Bar of Wisconsin
1989 - 1991

Chairperson, Wisconsin Mental Health Council
State of Wisconsin, Department of Health & Social Services
1984 - 1988

Member, Legislative Council Special Committee on Mental Health Issues
Fall 1986

Member, Family Support Program Advisory Committee
State of Wisconsin, Department of Health & Social Services
1984 - 1986

Member, Child and Adolescent Service System Program Advisory Committee
State of Wisconsin, Department of Health & Social Services
1984 - 1989

Member, Hospital Rate Setting Advisory Council
1984 - 1987

Member, National Alliance for the Mentally Ill Insurance Task Force
1986

Member, Community Support Program Advisory Committee
State of Wisconsin, Department of Health & Social Services
1983 - 1989

Member, Community Options Program Advisory Committee
State of Wisconsin, Department of Health & Social Services
1982 - 1990

Member, Social Services Block Grant Advisory Committee
State of Wisconsin, Department of Health & Social Services
1981 - 1983

Member, Advisory Committee to the National Association of Insurance Commissioners
Task Force on Unfair Discrimination Against the Handicapped
1979

Member, Wisconsin Legislative Council Special Committee on Care of the Mentally III
1978 - 1979

Member, Human & Civil Rights Committee
Central Wisconsin Center for the Developmentally Disabled
Madison, Wisconsin

Chairperson, Advisory Committee on Implementation of the Revisions to the Mental
Health Act
State of Wisconsin, Department of Health & Social Services
1977 - 1978

Co-Chairperson, Committee on Rights and Responsibilities of the Mentally III, Retarded,
and Handicapped
State Bar of Wisconsin
January 1975 - June 1977

Publications:

"What is Recovery? A Conceptual Model and Explication" (with Nora Jacobson), 52
Psychiatric Services 482, April 2001.

Promoting Partnerships with Consumers: An Experiential Report and "How To" Guide
(with Jessica Barton, Barbara Hennings, Lola Barrientos Marquez, and Peg Michaelis),
The Women and Mental Health Study Site of Dane County, University of Wisconsin -
Madison School of Social Work, March 2001.

"Abuse Histories, Severe Mental Illness, and the Cost of Care" (with Joy P. Newmann,
J.K. Sweeney, and Gillian Van Dien), in Bruce Levin, Andrea Blanch and Ann Jennings,
Women's Mental Health Services: A Public Health Perspective, 1998.

Moving Forward: What Mental Health Consumers Want From Treatment and Services,
Wisconsin Coalition for Advocacy, 1998.

Informed Consent for Electroconvulsive Therapy: a Report on Violations of Patient's
Rights by St. Marys Hospital, Madison, WI. (with Wisconsin Coalition for Advocacy
staff), Wisconsin Coalition for Advocacy, 1995.

Report on Patient Treatment Concerns and Use of Restraint and Seclusion in Violation
of Sec. 51.61, Wis. Stats., at the STEP Unit, Winnebago Mental Health Institute (with
Wisconsin Coalition for Advocacy staff), Wisconsin Coalition for Advocacy, 1994.

Report on the Use of Seclusion in Violation of Sec. 51.61, Wis. Stats., at the Adult
Assessment & Treatment Unit, Mendota Mental Health Institute (with Wisconsin
Coalition for Advocacy staff), Wisconsin Coalition for Advocacy, 1992.

Behind Closed Doors: The Plight of Persons with Mental Illness in Wisconsin Nursing Homes (with Wisconsin Coalition for Advocacy staff), Wisconsin Coalition for Advocacy, 1989.

Kids in Crisis: A Plan for Action. A Report on Children's Mental Health Services (with J. Ungrodt), Wisconsin Coalition for Advocacy, 1987.

Through the Maze: A Legal Rights Handbook for People Living in Residential Facilities in Wisconsin (with G. Marquardt and J. Marker), Wisconsin Coalition for Advocacy, 1987.

Rights and Reality: An Action Guide to the Rights of People with Disabilities in Wisconsin (with L. Breedlove, J. Franz, R. Froemming, and J. Marker), Wisconsin Coalition for Advocacy, 1987; 2nd Edition, 2001.

The Guardian Ad Litem Handbook (with J. Alschuler, T. Glowacki, J. Newton, S. Bach, and R. Froemming), ATS-CLE, State Bar of Wisconsin (1987, 1989, 1990, 1993, 1995, 1998, 2000, 2002, 2004).

"New Legal Protection for Persons with Mental Handicaps" (with Thomas Zander), 59 Wisconsin Bar Bulletin 9 (April 1986).

Insurance and Other Third-Party Coverage for Persons who are Mentally Ill: Issues and Possibilities, National Alliance for the Mentally Ill, 1986.

Chapter 51: The Wisconsin Mental Health Law, Wisconsin Department of Health & Social Services (1985, 1990, 1993, 1999).

"Impact of a Model Program on State Mental Health Policy Development" in Stein & Test, The Training in Community Living Model: A Decade of Experience, New Directions for Mental Health Services, No. 26, Jossey-Bass, 1985.

Strategies for Community Services Financing: Shifting from Institutions to Community-Based Alternatives. Report submitted to National Institute of Mental Health, 1984.

"Towards a Model of Legal Services Delivery for Elderly and Handicapped Persons" (with Debora Kennedy, Steve Porter and Louise Trubeck) in Proceedings of the Conference on Research on Legal Services for the Poor and Disadvantaged: Lessons from the Past and Issues for the Future, ed. by Bryant Garth, University of Wisconsin Law School, 1983.

"Health Insurance: Legislative Protections for Mentally Retarded Persons" (paper presented at American Association on Mental Deficiency Annual Meeting, June 1982).

Children Don't Wait: Wisconsin Children's Audit Manual (with Patricia Mapp and Carol Huber), Center for Public Representation (1982, Second Edition 1985, Third Edition 1988)

"Health Insurance Availability and Employment of Disabled People" (paper presented to National Council on the Handicapped, May 1981).

Mental illness, Discrimination and Statutory Disabilities: A Legal and Social Analysis (with Kathleen Mulligan), Center for Public Representation, 1979.

"Many Go Without Health Insurance," The Wisconsin Democrat 8 (1978)

Fair or Unfair Discrimination? A Study of Availability of Health and Life Insurance for Persons with a History of Mental Illness, Alcoholism, Drug Abuse or Criminal Record (with Sharon Abel and Kay Small), Center for Public Representation, 1978.

Laws Relating to Women and Alcohol and Drug Abuse (with Dianne Post), Center for Public Representation, 1978.

Advocacy for Reintegration (with Caroline Fribance and Neil Gebhart), Center for Public Representation, 1977.

A Citizen's Guide to Personal Records (with Joe Boucher), Center for Public Representation, 1977. Second Edition, 1981.

Regulation and Zoning of Community Living Arrangements (with Michael Pritchard, Matthew Dew, and Frank Thompson), Center for Public Representation, 1977.

Affirmative Action for Handicapped Persons in Wisconsin (with Stu Spielman), Center for Public Representation, 1977.

Workers with a Handicapping Condition and the Law: A Guide to Fair Employment Laws for Handicapped People (with Caroline Fribance, Lila Hambleton, John Markson, and Dianne Post), Center for Public Representation, 1977.

Awards:

Distinguished Social Worker Award
National Association of Social Workers - WI Chapter, 2002

Professional Service Award
NAMI Wisconsin, 2001

Margo Melli Achievement Award
Legal Association for Women, 1998

Award of Excellence
P.R.E.V.A.I.L. - 1995

Legal Services Staff Advocate Award
Legal Action of Wisconsin, 1994

Advocacy Award
Family Service & F.A.S.T. Parent State Advisory Council, 1992

Long Term Support Award
Wisconsin Department of Health and Social Services

Distinguished Service Award
Dane County Alliance for the Mentally Ill, 1982

Sunshine Award
Dane County Mental Health Association, 1979

Volunteer Activities:

Member, Board of Directors
New Partnerships for Women, Inc., 2003 - Present

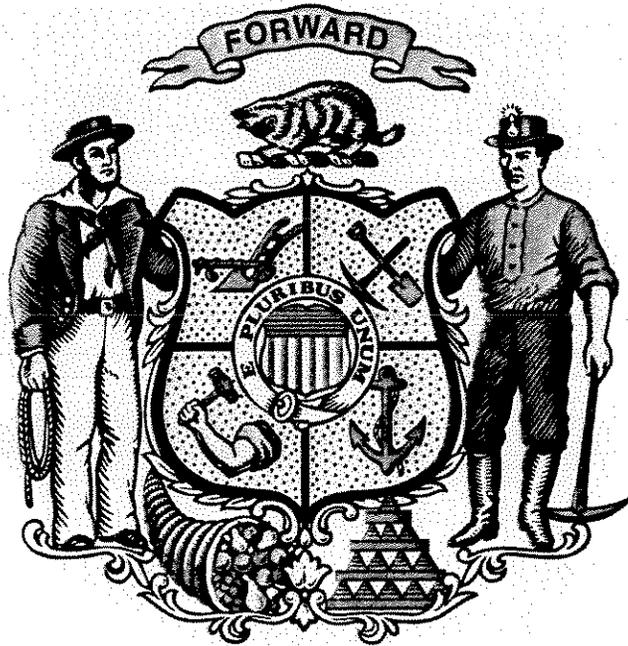
Member, Board of Directors
FAST International, Inc., 2000 - Present

Member, Board of Directors
National Association of Rights, Protection and Advocacy, 1995 - 1998

Member, Board of Directors
Friends Community Housing, Inc., 1990 - 2000

Member, Board of Directors
Madison Children's Museum, 1983 - 1985

Member, Board of Directors
American Civil Liberties Union of Wisconsin, 1983 - Present





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Roth Judd
Director

Senate Committee Members:

The attached Statement of Economic Interests is provided with regard to the individual's nomination to a State Public Office by Governor Jim Doyle.

Sincerely,
STATE OF WISCONSIN ETHICS BOARD

Nominee: Dianne Greenley
Date: February 23, 2006

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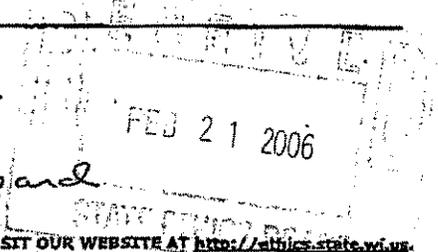
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Statement of Economic Interests

Filed in 2006 for calendar year 2005

Name: Greenley, Mary D.
(last name, first name & initial)

State position: H I R S P Authority Board
(held or sought) (include agency, division, branch or district, if applicable)



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Part A Information current as of January 2006

1. INVESTMENTS. List stocks, bonds, limited partnerships, Wisconsin governmental securities, and mutual and money market funds you or your family held (minimum \$5,000).

Name of security	Type of security - "✓" one					Amount - "✓" one	
	stock/option/futures	bond	limited partnership	Wisconsin governmental security	mutual or money mkt fund	\$50,000 or less	More than \$50,000
<u>See Attached</u>							

2. BUSINESS ACTIVITIES. List businesses, farms, rental, commercial, and income-producing real estate; and business activities in which you or your family had at least a 10% or greater interest.

a) Enterprise(s) operating under a business or trade name, list here.

Name of business	Municipality or Town	County	State	Describe nature of business
<u>Greenley Apartments, LLC</u>	<u>Madison</u>	<u>Dane</u>	<u>WI</u>	<u>Rental properties</u>
<u>Greenley Development Corp.</u>	<u>Independence</u>	<u>Bushong</u>	<u>IA</u>	<u>Rental properties</u>

b) Enterprise(s) NOT operating under a business or trade name, list here.

Street address or fire number	Municipality or Town	County	State	Describe nature of business

3. COMMERCIAL CUSTOMERS, CLIENTS, AND TENANTS. For each unincorporated business, subchapter S corporation, service corporation (SC), limited liability company (LLC), partnership, or income-producing real estate reported in Item 2, list businesses, organizations, and lobbyists that paid the enterprise \$1,000 or more in calendar year 2005.

Businesses, organizations, lobbyists that were customers, clients, or tenants	City	State
<u>NONE</u>		

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4. BUSINESS PARTNERS. For each enterprise reported under Item 2, list its co-owners, partners, officers, and directors (other than yourself), unless the information is already registered with the Wisconsin Department of Financial Institutions.

Business	Partners, or officers and directors	City	State
Greenley Development Corp	LeRoy Greenley	Independence	IA

5. NON-COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE. List the specific location of WISCONSIN REAL ESTATE in which you or your family had an interest (except your principal residence and real estate whose location you listed in item 2).

LOCATION OF PROPERTY			NATURE OF INTEREST (own, lease, option, easement, land contract)
Street address or fire number	Municipality Or Town	County	
County Rd. VV	Osasville	Grant	own

6. OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS. List organizations of which you or a family member was an officer or director.

Business or organization	City	State	Position
NONE			

7. AGENT, REPRESENTATIVE OR SPOKESPERSON. List organizations that authorized you or a family member to represent them in their dealings with others as an attorney-at-law, agent, spokesperson, or representative (unless listed in item 6 or 9).

Business or organization	City	State
NONE		

8. CREDITORS. List creditors to which you or your family owed \$5,000 or more.

Creditor	City	State	Amount	
			\$50,000 or less	More than \$50,000
NONE				

Part B

For calendar year 2005

9. EMPLOYERS. List your and your family's EMPLOYERS (\$1,000 or more of income) in 2005.

Name of employer (If State of Wisconsin, identify agency or institution)	City	State	Nature of employer's business
WI Coalition for Advocacy	MADISON	WI	Advocacy for people with disabilities

10. ADDITIONAL SOURCES OF INCOME. List other sources from which you or your family received income of \$1,000 or more in 2005.

Source of income	City	State
TIAA - CREF	Chicago	Ill.
State of WI annuity	MADISON	WI
Karsten Real Estate	Independence	IA

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11. ENTERTAINMENT AND GIFTS. List individuals and organizations that provided you with entertainment or gifts (more than \$50) in 2005.

Name of provider	City	State
NONE		

12. HONORARIA AND EXPENSES. List, for 2005, sources of honoraria and payment of expenses related to your state government duties (more than \$50) not previously reported to the Ethics Board.

Payer	Approximate value of expenses	Amount of honorarium	Circumstances of receipt
NONE			

I certify that the information contained in this Statement of Economic Interests is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief. In the event this Statement of Economic Interests is filed prior to my nomination or appointment, I certify that I will amend it within ten days of my nomination or appointment date if amendment is necessary to bring it into conformity with the true statement of my economic interests as of the date of my nomination or appointment. If any part has been left blank, I have done so intentionally because there is nothing to report.

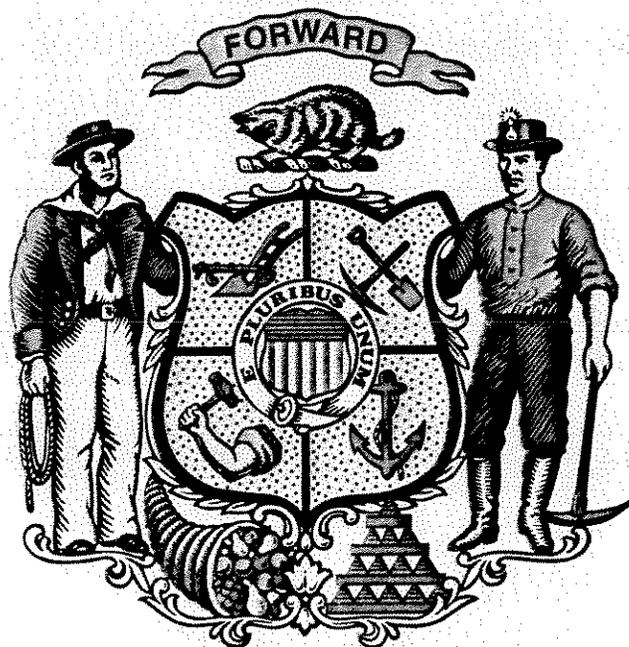

2/16/06
Daytime phone # 608-267-0214
 Signature of person filing Date E-mail address dianne.greenley@charters.net

The information sought in this form is required by §§19.43 and 19.44, Wisconsin Statutes. Failure to file a completed form may result in a forfeiture of up to \$500. Statements of Economic Interests are open for public inspection. The Ethics Board will notify you of the identity of any person who examines your Statement. In accordance with §15.04(1)(m), Wisconsin Statutes, the Ethics Board states that no personally identifiable information is likely to be used for purposes other than those for which it is collected.

Part A. 1. Investments

<u>Stocks</u>	\$50,000 or less	More than \$50,000
Abbott Laboratories		Yes
Bristol Myers Squibb		Yes
Chevron Corp		Yes
Cinergy Corp	Yes	
Exxon Mobil		Yes
General Motors	Yes	
Hospira		Yes
Schering Plough	Yes	
Zimmer Holdings	Yes	
<u>Mutual Funds</u>		
American Amcap	Yes	
American Europacific Growth		Yes
American New World		Yes
American Smallcap World		Yes
Ariel Fund		Yes
Calvert Social Invst Balanced		Yes
Calvert World Values Internatl	Yes	
Citizens Emerging Growth Standard	Yes	
First Eagle Fund of America		Yes
First Eagle Overseas		Yes
Franklin Flex Cap Growth		Yes
Franklin Income		Yes
Franklin Rising Dividends		Yes
Franklin Small-Mid Cap	Yes	
John Hancock Fund II Lifestyle Portfolio	Yes	
Franklin Templeton International	Yes	
Neuberger Berman Socially Respons Inv	Yes	
Pax World Balanced	Yes	
Templeton Foreign		Yes
<u>Money Market Fund</u>		
Prime Fund Daily Money Market	Yes	
<u>Bonds</u>		
Donaldson Lufkin & Jenrette NW	Yes	
AT&T	Yes	

Daimler Chrysler North Am	Yes
General Motors Accep Corp	Yes
Lehman Bros Holdings	Yes
Missouri St Dev Fin Brd	Yes
Lousiana Hsg Fin Agy Rev Hsg	Yes
West Allis Wis Ref G.O. Bds Ser	Yes
Alaska St Hsg Fin Corp	Yes
San Bernardino Cnty CA Fing Auth	Yes
Kane Kendall Etc Cntys IL Cmnty College Dist	Yes
Fullerton CA Pub Fing Auth	Yes
DePere WI Uni Sch Dist	Yes
Merrillville Ind Multi Sch Bldg Corp	Yes
Trinity Riv Auth Tex Water & Wastewater	Yes
Plano Tex Indep Sch Dist	Yes
Western Dubuque Cnty IA Cmnty Sch Dist	Yes
Douglas Cnty Neb Sch Dist	Yes
Evansville-Vanderbur Gh Cnty Ind Bldg Auth	Yes
Calif St Dept Wtr Res Cent	Yes



Wisconsin Association of Health Plans

Senator Dan Kapanke
P.O. Box 7882
Madison, WI 53707-7882

Dear Senator ~~Kapanke~~ *Dan*:

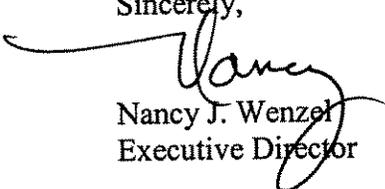
Thank you for taking the time to hold a public hearing on Governor Doyle's 13 appointments to the newly created Health Insurance Risk Sharing Plan (HIRSP) Authority Board. Each appointee will bring a great deal of expertise to the HIRSP Authority Board and will help ensure that all HIRSP stakeholders are well-represented when the new HIRSP Authority begins operation on July 1, 2006.

On behalf of the Wisconsin Association of Health Plans, I encourage you to vote to confirm all 13 of the Governor's HIRSP Authority Board appointments. I have had the good fortune of working with the majority of the appointees on a wide range of state issues and know they will each commit the time and energy necessary to make HIRSP more effective in responding to changes in health care delivery and health insurance.

Jay Fulkerson, CEO of UnitedHealthcare of Wisconsin, Inc., **Larry Zanoni**, Executive Director of Group Health Cooperative of South Central Wisconsin, **Pat Jerominski**, President/CEO of Independent Care, Inc., and **Michele Bachhuber**, M.D, Marshfield Clinic, **all have a great deal of experience in disease management programs for persons with chronic diseases** and will help the HIRSP Authority develop strategies to ensure appropriate access to evidence-based treatment for HIRSP participants.

Thank you again for holding a public hearing and quickly scheduling executive action. I encourage you to vote to confirm all 13 of the Governor's appointments to the HIRSP Authority Board and to recommend that the State Senate confirm the appointees en masse. Please feel free to contact me regarding any of the appointees. All good wishes.

Sincerely,


Nancy J. Wenzel
Executive Director