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WISCONSIN STATE LEGISLATURE ... PUBLIC HEARING - COMMITTEE RECORDS

2005-06

(session year)

Senate

(Assembly, Senate or Joint)

Committee on Natural Resources and Transportation...

COMMITTEE NOTICES ...

- Committee Reports ... **CR**
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INFORMATION COLLECTED BY COMMITTEE FOR AND AGAINST PROPOSAL

- Appointments ... **Appt** (w/Record of Comm. Proceedings)
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- Hearing Records ... bills and resolutions (w/Record of Comm. Proceedings)
(**ab** = Assembly Bill) (**ar** = Assembly Resolution) (**ajr** = Assembly Joint Resolution)
(**sb** = Senate Bill) (**sr** = Senate Resolution) (**sjr** = Senate Joint Resolution)
- Miscellaneous ... **Misc**

* Contents organized for archiving by: Stefanie Rose (LRB) (June 2012)

Ayes: (5) Senators Kedzie, Stepp, Kapanke, Wirch and
Breske.

Noes: (0) None.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Matt Phillips
Committee Clerk

Vote Record

Committee on Natural Resources and Transportation

Date: 2-1-06

Bill Number: AB 235

Moved by: Wirch

Seconded by: Kapanke

Motion: Concurrence

Committee Member

Senator Neal Kedzie, Chair

Senator Cathy Stepp

Senator Dan Kapanke

Senator Roger Breske

Senator Robert Wirch

<u>Aye</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Absent</u>	<u>Not Voting</u>
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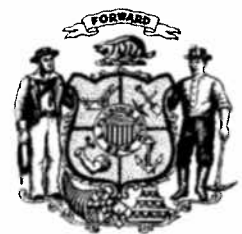
Totals: _____

Motion Carried

Motion Failed



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Chairman's Notes: Senate Committee on Natural Resources and Transportation Public Hearing – February 1, 2006

- Welcome to today's hearing of the Senate Committee on Natural Resources and Transportation.
- Committee Clerk will take Attendance. The roll will be left open for members who have yet to arrive.
- I would like to remind individuals wishing to testify to fill out a hearing slip and give it to the member of the Sergeant's Staff.
- It is my intent to take up the items in the order listed on the hearing notice, and will take up Companion bills at the same time.

Senate Bill 84 (Assembly Bill 120) – Authored by Sen. Olsen and Rep. Petrowski

Relating to: restrictions on the operation of motor vehicles by persons holding instruction permits or probationary licenses and providing a penalty.

Summary: This bill creates an additional restriction that a probationary licensee who is under 18 years of age may not, during the first nine months following issuance of the probationary license, operate a "Class D" vehicle while using a cellular telephone, except to report an emergency. The same exceptions that apply to existing restrictions on the licensee also apply to this new restriction. The bill also stipulates that a person operating a motor vehicle under an instruction permit may not operate the motor vehicle while using a cellular telephone.

Assembly Action – AB 120:

- Passed Assembly Committee on Highway Safety on a 7-1 vote.
- Passed the Joint Committee on Finance on a 10-5 vote.
- Passed the Assembly on an 89-6 vote.

Assembly Action:

- Passed by the Assembly Committee on Transportation on a 13-0 vote
- Passed by the Assembly on a voice vote.

Assembly Bill 235 – Authored by Representative Musser and Senator Lassa

Relating to: designating and marking STH 173 as the 173rd Airborne Brigade Highway.

Summary: This bill directs the Department of Transportation to designate and, upon receipt of sufficient contributions from interested parties, mark the entire route of STH 173 as the "173rd Airborne Brigade Highway" to honor the members of the 173rd Airborne Brigade, also known as the "Sky Soldiers," who bravely served their country and brought great credit to this state from 1963 to 1972, including deployment to Vietnam in 1965 as the first major ground combat unit of the U.S. Army to serve there, and who have continued to serve in Europe since the year 2000. No state funds, other than from contributions from interested parties, may be used for the erection or maintenance of any markers on STH 173 to identify the highway as the "173rd Airborne Brigade Highway."

Questions:

- The fiscal estimate on the bill indicates that the total initial cost to install the designating signs will be \$2,200. Is there a group/groups that are lined up at this point to fund this amount?

Assembly Action:

- Passed the Assembly Committee on Transportation on a 14-0 vote
- Passed the Assembly on a voice vote

Assembly Bill 448 – Authored by Representative Pettis and Senator Lasee

Relating to: allowing school buses to tow trailers.

Summary: Assembly Bill 448, as amended by the Assembly, allows a person to operate a school bus in Wisconsin with a trailer or semitrailer attached if the bus is equipped with side exit or side emergency exit windows suitable to provide an exit for pupils in an emergency.

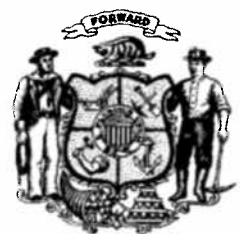
Assembly Amendment 1: Includes the requirement that the buses must have side exits or emergency exit windows.

Assembly Action:

- Passed the Assembly Committee on Tourism on a 12-0 vote
- Passed the Assembly on a 66-29 vote



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**Chairman's Notes: Senate Committee on
Natural Resources and Transportation
Executive Session – January 31, 2006**

Senate Bill 162 (Joint Legislative Council)

Relating to: creating a Council on Transportation Infrastructure in the Department of Transportation.

- **MOTION FOR INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION OF LRB 2072/1 AS SA 1**
- **SECOND**
- **DISCUSSION**
- **ROLL CALL**

- **MOTION FOR PASSAGE OF SB 162 AS AMENDED**
- **SECOND**
- **DISCUSSION**
- **ROLL CALL**

ASSEMBLY BILL 20 (AINSWORTH/ZIEN)

Relating to: displaying attractions on highway specific information signs.

- **MOTION FOR CONCURRENCE OF AB 20**
- **SECOND**
- **DISCUSSION**
- **ROLL CALL**

Assembly Bill 509 (Rep. Albers and Senator Breske)

Relating to: liability of cities, villages, towns, and counties for damages caused by an insufficiency or want of repair of a highway. (FE)

- **MOTION FOR CONCURRENCE OF AB 509**
- **SECOND**
- **DISCUSSION**
- **ROLL CALL**

Senate Bill 499 – Authored by Senator Grothman and Rep. Hahn

Relating to: recording and filing transportation project plats.

- MOTION FOR PASSAGE OF SB 499
- SECOND
- DISCUSSION
- ROLL CALL

No Fiscal Estimate

Assembly Bill 219 – Authored by Rep. Ainsworth and Senator Olsen

Relating to: lightweight utility vehicles, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.

- MOTION FOR CONCURRENCE OF AB 219
- SECOND
- DISCUSSION
- ROLL CALL

Questions from ATV Assoc.

Assembly Bill 235 – Authored by Rep. Musser and Senator Lassa

Relating to: designating and marking STH 173 as the 173rd Airborne Brigade Highway.

- MOTION FOR CONCURRENCE OF AB 235
- SECOND
- DISCUSSION
- ROLL CALL

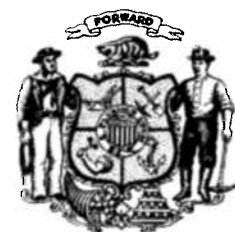
Assembly Bill 823 – Authored by Rep. Lamb and Senator Kapanke

Relating to: motor vehicle dealers.

- MOTION FOR CONCURRENCE OF AB 823
- SECOND
- DISCUSSION
- ROLL CALL



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Phillips, Matt

From: Johnson, Dan (Legislature)
Sent: Thursday, June 30, 2005 10:42 AM
To: Phillips, Matt
Subject: FW: AB 235 in Committee

Get 'er done!

From: Musser, Terry
Sent: Thursday, June 30, 2005 10:37 AM
To: Sen.Kedzie
Subject: AB 235 in Committee

Senator Kedzie,

My AB 235, relating to designating STH 173 as "183rd Airborne Brigade Highway" has been referred to your Committee on Natural Resources and Transportation.

I request that you hold a public hearing on AB 235 as soon as possible.

Thanks,

Terry Musser
WI State Representative
92nd Assembly District

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