# Assembly

## Record of Committee Proceedings

## Committee on Urban and Local Affairs

**Assembly Bill 263**

Relating to: payment of litigation expenses of emergency medical services personnel, fire fighters, first responders, and law enforcement or correctional officers.

By Representatives Davis, Friske, Vos, Jensen, Rhoades, Montgomery, Gronemus, Hines, Van Roy, Jeskewitz, Hahn, Ainsworth, Bies, Gunderson, Gundrum, Townsend, Ott and Musser; cosponsored by Senators Kanavas, Kedzie, Stepp, Roessler, Brown and Coggs.

March 28, 2005 Referred to Committee on Urban and Local Affairs.

May 17, 2005 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (8) Representatives LeMahieu, Pridemore, Gunderson, Lothian, Gottlieb, Berceau, Fields and Parisi.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Brett Davis — Rep., Wisconsin State Assembly
- Jeremy Shepherd — Senator Ted Kanavas Office
- Jim Palmer — Wisconsin Professional Police Association
- Robert Johannik — Waukesha County Sheriff's Dept.
- Frank McElderry — Waukesha County Sheriff Dept.
- Paul Renkas — Waukesha County Sheriff Department
- Steven Krause — Wisconsin State Firefighters Assoc.

Appearances Against

- Curt Witynski — League of Wisconsin Municipalities

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Katie Harris — Waukesha Police Dept
- David Mahoney — Wisconsin Professional Police Assoc
- John Grabel — AFSCME
- Mark Ratzlaff — Janesville Police Dept
- Karri Ratzlaff, Janesville

Registrations Against

- David Krahn — Waukesha County
- Mark Wadium — Outagamie County
- Ed Huck — Wisconsin Alliance of Cities
- Matt Stohr — Wisconsin Counties Association

September 6, 2005 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (8) Representatives LeMahieu, Pridemore, Gunderson, Lothian, Gottlieb, Berceau, Fields and Parisi.
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Gunderson, seconded by Representative Lothian that **s0178** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (8) Representatives LeMahieu, Pridemore, Gunderson, Lothian, Gottlieb, Berceau, Fields and Parisi.
Noes: (0) None.

S0178 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Gunderson, seconded by Representative Lothian that **Assembly Bill 263** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (8) Representatives LeMahieu, Pridemore, Gunderson, Lothian, Gottlieb, Berceau, Fields and Parisi.
Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 0

Jeffrey Grothman
Committee Clerk