

**Assembly**

**Record of Committee Proceedings**

**Committee on Aging and Long-Term Care**

**Assembly Bill 791**

Relating to: execution of a declaration to physicians, also known as a living will, by a Medical Assistance recipient.

By Representatives Wasserman, Benedict, Hundertmark, Hines, Albers, Hahn, Mursau, Vos, Cullen, Fields, Grigsby, Lehman, Molepske, Parisi, Pocan, Pope-Roberts, Seidel, Staskunas, Turner and Vruwink; cosponsored by Senators Darling, Erpenbach, Brown, Risser and Wirsch.

October 31, 2005      Referred to Committee on Aging and Long-Term Care.

May 11, 2006      Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.

November 30, 2005    **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (10)    Representatives Townsend, Hines, Pettis,  
   LeMahieu, Nischke, Strachota, Krusick,  
   Vruwink, Pope-Roberts, Parisi.

Absent:    (0)    None.

Appearances For

- Sheldon Wasserman — State Senate

Appearances Against

- Kathy Markeland, Madison — Wisconsin Catholic Conference
- William Donaldson — Board on Aging and Long Term Care

Appearances for Information Only

- Jim McGinn, Madison — Wi Health Care Association

Registrations For

- Jeremy Levin — WI Medical Society

Registrations Against

- None.

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Minette Lawrence  
Committee Clerk