

STATE OF WISCONSIN  
**Senate Journal**  
Ninety–Eighth Regular Session

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FRIDAY, January 26, 2007

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

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**INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND  
REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS;  
REFERENCE OF APPOINTMENTS**

Read first time and referred:

**Senate Bill 16**

Relating to: requiring that personal flotation devices be worn by certain underage persons in certain boats.

By Senators Sullivan, Roessler, Miller, Cowles, Lassa, Lehman, Risser and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Gottlieb, Staskunas, Hines, Berceau, Bies, Black, Hahn, Hebl, Hintz, Molepske, Nerison, A. Ott, Owens, Stone, Townsend and Van Roy.

To committee on **Environment and Natural Resources**.

**Senate Bill 17**

Relating to: the powers of certain towns, authorizing the creation of charter towns by certain town boards, and expanding the authority of charter towns to create tax incremental financing districts.

By Senators Kedzie and Kapanke.

To committee on **Commerce, Utilities and Rail**.

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**REPORT OF COMMITTEES**

The committee on **Health and Human Services** reports and recommends:

BAGLEY, CYNTHIA, of Clinton, as a member of the Psychology Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.

Noes, 0 – None.

BALACHANDRAN, SWAMINAT, of Verona, as a member of the Optometry Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.

Noes, 0 – None.

BARBEAU, LORI, of New Berlin, as a member of the Dentistry Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.

Noes, 0 – None.

BARISAS–MATULA, MYLINDA, of Sheboygan, as a member of the Occupational Therapists Affiliated Credentialing Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.

Noes, 0 – None.

BROWN, GARY, of Kenosha, as a member of the Podiatrists Affiliated Credentialing Board to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.

Noes, 0 – None.

BUSH, JEANNIE, of La Crosse, as a member of the Barbering and Cosmetology Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.

Noes, 0 – None.

CARLI, ANN MEIER, of Green Bay, as a member of the Optometry Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.

Noes, 0 – None.

CHRISTMAN, BLANE, of Ladysmith, as a member of the Dentistry Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.

Noes, 0 – None.

COLBURN, BRUCE, of Milwaukee, as a member of the Wisconsin Health and Educational Facilities Authority, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2007.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

FRAZIER, J.C., of Milwaukee, as a member of the Funeral Directors Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

GENEREAUX, JUDE, of Sturgeon Bay, as a member of the Medical Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

GREENFIELD, ED, of Green Bay, as a member of the Cemetery Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

HAYDEN, KEVIN, of Madison, as Secretary of the Department of Health and Family Services, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

JOHNSON, DIANE, of Hazelhurst, as a member of the Dietitians Affiliated Credentialing Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

KAUFMANN, MARILYN, of Manitowoc, as a member of the Board of Nursing, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

LEHMAN, MARY, of Appleton, as a member of the Cemetery Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

LINHART, SANDRA, of La Crosse, as a member of the Dentistry Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.

Noes, 0 – None.

MCKERNAN-ACE, DEBORAH, of Stoughton, as a member of the Occupational Therapists Affiliated Credentialing Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

MERRIETT, EVELYN, of Milwaukee, as a member of the Board of Nursing, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2007.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

MISTELE, ENID, of Sparta, as a member of the Physical Therapists Affiliated Credentialing Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

NELSON, JULIA, of Boscobel, as a member of the Board of Nursing, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

NESBIT, JAMES, of Phillips, as a member of the Athletic Trainers Affiliated Credentialing Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

PAGGAO, NANCY, of Appleton, as a member of the Barbering and Cosmetology Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

PALMER, DIAN, of Brookfield, as a member of the UW Hospitals and Clinics Authority and Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2009.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

PHILLIPS, PAMELA, of Green Bay, as a member of the Pharmacy Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

ROBLEE, PATRICIA, of Oshkosh, as a member of the Dietitians Affiliated Credentialing Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

RYAN, CONNIE, of Madison, as a member of the Funeral Directors Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

THOMPSON, KEN, of Milwaukee, as a member of the Wisconsin Health and Educational Facilities Authority, to serve for the term ending June 30, 2013.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

WEBER, GREGORY, of Brown Deer, as a member of the Pharmacy Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Erpenbach, Vinehout, Carpenter, Sullivan, Roessler, Lazich and Kanavas.  
Noes, 0 – None.

JON ERPENBACH  
Chairperson

## PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

### State of Wisconsin Senate

January 26, 2007

The Honorable, the Senate:

Following is my list of appointments from the Senate Republicans to serve on the following councils, boards and commissions:

- Affirmative Action Council: Senator Glenn Grothman
- Wisconsin Artistic Endowment Foundation: Senator Alberta Darling
- Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention Board: Senator Luther Olsen
- Milwaukee Child Welfare Partnership Council: Senator Alberta Darling
- State Fair Park Board: Senator Ted Kanavas
- Utility Public Benefits Council: Senator Rob Cowles

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,  
SCOTT FITZGERALD  
Senate Republican Leader

State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor

January 26, 2007

The Honorable, the Legislature:

I respectfully request an extension of the deadline to submit the 2007 – 2009 state budget and request a joint session of the Wisconsin State Legislature for February 13, 2007 at 7:00 pm.

This joint session will be for the purpose of delivering the 2007 – 2009 biennial state budget address.

Thank you for your consideration of this request and I look forward to presenting my budget to the full Legislature as well as the citizens of Wisconsin.

Sincerely,  
JIM DOYLE  
Governor

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Travis added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 12**.

## LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU CORRECTIONS

### CORRECTIONS IN:

#### 2007 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1

Prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau  
(January 25, 2007)

In enrolling, the following correction was made:

1. Page 5, line 1: delete “(x)” and substitute “(t)”.

### Motions Under Senate Rule 98 and Joint Rule 7 for the Month of December 2006

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kanavas, for Andy Adlard, on the occasion of being named the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel player of the year.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kanavas, for the 2006–2007 Arrowhead Football Team, on the occasion of a successful season and being runner up in the Division I football championship.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Bavarian Inn and United German Societies, on the occasion of receiving the Glendale Chamber of Commerce 2006 Outstanding Retail Service & Community Enrichment Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Nancy Bemmann, on the occasion of her retirement after 21 years of exemplary service to the citizens of Door County.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Adam Michael Berndt, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kanavas, for the 2006–2007 Brookfield Central Football Team, on the occasion of a successful season and being runner up in the Division II football championship.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kanavas, for the 2006–2007 Brookfield Central Tennis Team, on the occasion of finishing the season as Division I State Champions.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Senator Ron Brown, on the occasion of his years of service and commitment to the State of Wisconsin.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Schultz, for Mark Cullen, on the occasion of his outstanding public service as President of Competitive Wisconsin.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Grothman, for Bradley Stephen DeBroux, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Erpenbach, for Sean Gibbons, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lazich, for Jonathan J. Goedde, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Ellis, for Eric Scott Hansen, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Jauch, for Susan Hansen, on the occasion of her retirement from her position as Sarona Postmaster with the United States Postal Service.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Michael Thomas Hansen, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Kenlyn Harris, on the occasion of her 26 years of dedicated service to the people of the State of Wisconsin.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Darling, for Ric Hartman, on the occasion of being selected to receive the 2006 Menomonee Falls Chamber of Commerce, President's Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Carol Kelso, on the occasion of her years of service and commitment to Brown County and the State of Wisconsin.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Calvin Keyes, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Roessler, for Jacob Klam, on the occasion of his retirement from the Legislative Audit Bureau after 33 of service to the Legislative Audit Bureau, the Wisconsin Legislature, the citizens of Wisconsin and the government auditing profession.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Jake & Mary Lasee, on the occasion of all they have done to make their parents proud.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Joseph & Lori Ann Lasee, on the occasion of all they have done to make their parents proud.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Kari Lasee, on the occasion of all she has done to make her parents proud.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Max & Elizabeth Lasee, on the occasion of all they have done to make their parents proud.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Polly Lasee, on the occasion of all she has done to make her parents proud.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Suzanna Mc Fall, on the occasion of all she has done to make her parents proud.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Darling, for Trent Thomas Meier, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kapanke, for Lieutenant William D. Richmond, on the occasion of being awarded the Bronze Star Medal.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Douglas Schneider, on the occasion of his hard work and generous spirit.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Ellis, for Brennan Seeliger, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Schultz, for Corene Sklar, on the occasion her retirement after 25 years of dedicated service to the residents of Sauk County.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Darling, for William Randall Spanton, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Rose Stellmacher, on the occasion of her retirement and many years of distinguished service to Oconto County.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Jack Voight, on the occasion of his many years of service as the Wisconsin State Treasurer.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Senator Dave Zien, on the occasion of his years of service and commitment to the State of Wisconsin.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Ryan Erickson Zimmerman, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*