



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

Ninety–Eighth Regular Session

10:50 A.M.

THURSDAY, August 2, 2007

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by Chief Clerk Marchant, pursuant to Senate Rule 5 (4)(b).

The Chair, with unanimous consent, asked that the proper entries be made in the journal.

CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES

SENATE ENROLLED PROPOSALS

The Chief Clerk records:

Senate Bill 122

Senate Joint Resolution 52

Report correctly enrolled on 7–31–2007.

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Senate amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 248** offered by Senator Darling.

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

Read and referred:

Senate Joint Resolution 55

Relating to: recognizing Kikkoman and its contribution to the cultural and economic vitality of Wisconsin.

By Senator Kedzie; cosponsored by Representative Lothian.

To committee on **Senate Organization**.

Senate Joint Resolution 56

Relating to: honoring members of the University of Michigan Health System Hospital survival flight team.

By Senators Cowles, Erpenbach, Roessler, Kreitlow, Olsen, Miller, Lehman, A. Lasee and Darling; cosponsored by Representatives Jeskewitz, Kerkman, Sheridan, Steinbrink, Gunderson, Sinicki, Gronemus, Berceau, Hahn, M. Williams, Fields, Ballweg, Pope–Roberts, Mursau and Townsend.

To committee on **Senate Organization**.

Senate Joint Resolution 57

Relating to: providing for an advisory referendum on the question of continuing the program of prescription drug assistance for elderly persons (Senior Care) past December 30, 2009, as a permanent federal–state program.

By Senators Carpenter, Hansen, Wirsch, Lehman, Sullivan, Erpenbach, Plale, Kreitlow, Schultz, Leibham and Coggs; cosponsored by Representatives Nelson, Black, Zepnick, Soletski, Fields, Pocan, Hebl, Turner, Boyle, Seidel, Pope–Roberts, Jorgensen, Berceau, Sheridan, Molepske, Young, Grigsby, Hixson and Hintz.

To committee on **Public Health, Senior Issues, Long Term Care and Privacy**.

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

June 26, 2007

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint JEFFREYS, CELESTINE, of Green Bay, as a member of the Fox River Navigational System Authority, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

JIM DOYLE

Governor

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Veterans and Military Affairs, Biotechnology and Financial Institutions** reports and recommends:

FARMER, DOUGLAS, of La Crosse, as a member of the Banking Review Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2012.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Sullivan, Coggs, Carpenter, Leibham and Kanavas.

Noes, 0 – None.

JIM SULLIVAN

Chairperson

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin Office of the Senate President

August 2, 2007

The Honorable, the Senate:

This letter is to inform you of a temporary replacement on the Committee of Conference on Senate Bill 40 on the part of the Senate. As the appointing authority pursuant to Assembly Joint Resolution 59, I hereby appoint Senator Jon Erpenbach to replace Senator Bob Jauch.

This appointment will be effective for the meeting on August 2, 2007. Subsequent to that meeting, Senator Jauch will resume his appointment to the conference committee.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Most sincerely,
FRED A. RISSER
Senate President

**State of Wisconsin
Revisor of Statutes Bureau**

August 1, 2007

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

The following rules have been published in the July 31, 2007 Wisconsin Administrative [Register No. 619](#):

<u>Clearinghouse Rules</u>	<u>Effective Date(s)</u>
06-032	8-1-2007
06-103	8-1-2007
06-104	8-1-2007
06-110	8-1-2007
06-119	8-1-2007
06-125	8-1-2007
06-126	8-1-2007
06-131	8-1-2007
06-136	8-1-2007
06-139	8-1-2007
07-016	8-1-2007
07-022	8-1-2007
07-028	8-1-2007

Sincerely,
GARY L. POULSON
Assistant Revisor of Statutes

Pursuant to Senate Rule [17 \(5\)](#), Representative Steinbrink added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 178**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule [17 \(5\)](#), Senator A. Lasee added as a coauthor of **Senate Joint Resolution 57**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule [17 \(5\)](#), Representative Hilgenberg added as a cosponsor of **Senate Joint Resolution 57**.

**REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF COMMITTEE
REPORTS CONCERNING PROPOSED
ADMINISTRATIVE RULES**

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 07-030

Relating to child care rates and affecting small businesses. Submitted by Department of Workforce Development. Report received from Agency, July 31, 2007. Referred to committee on **Small Business, Emergency Preparedness, Workforce Development, Technical Colleges and Consumer Protection**, August 2, 2007.

The committee on **Transportation, Tourism and Insurance** reports and recommends:

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 07-053

Relating to the health insurance risk-sharing plan. No action taken.

ROGER BRESKE
Chairperson

ADJOURNMENT

Chief Clerk Marchant, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn until Tuesday, August 7, 2007.

Adjourned.

10:51 A.M.