



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

Ninety–Eighth Regular Session

3:40 P.M.

THURSDAY, September 13, 2007

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by Assistant Chief Clerk Renk, pursuant to Senate Rule 5 (3) and (4)(b).

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

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

Read first time and referred:

Senate Bill 265

Relating to: affirmative action practices in state and local government contracting and state and local government hiring, the consideration of race or ethnicity in the University of Wisconsin System, and eligibility requirements for minority teacher loans and minority undergraduate grants awarded by the Higher Educational Aids Board.

By Joint Legislative Council.

To committee on **Judiciary and Corrections**.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin
Senate

September 12, 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 Mark Miller to replace Senator Russ Decker. This appointment will be effective for the meeting on September 13, 2007.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Most sincerely,
FRED A. RISSER
Senate President

State of Wisconsin
Senate

September 13, 2007

The Honorable, The Senate:

Pursuant to 2007 Assembly Joint Resolution 59, I am appointing Senator Glenn Grothman to serve on the committee

of conference on Senate Bill 40 for the remainder of the meeting scheduled for Thursday, September 13, 2007.

Sincerely,
SCOTT FITZGERALD
Senate Republican Leader

State of Wisconsin
Senate

September 13, 2007

The Honorable, The Senate:

Pursuant to 2007 Assembly Joint Resolution 59, I am appointing Senator Glenn Grothman to serve on the committee of conference on Senate Bill 40 for the meeting scheduled for Friday, September 14, 2007.

Sincerely,
SCOTT FITZGERALD
Senate Republican Leader

REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF COMMITTEE REPORTS CONCERNING PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

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

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 07–042

Relating to facility reporting of involuntary administration of psychotropic medication under s.55.14, stats., and affecting small businesses.

No action taken.

JON ERPENBACH
Chairperson

ADJOURNMENT

Assistant Chief Clerk Renk, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn until Tuesday, September 18, 2007.

Adjourned.

3:41 P.M.

Motions Under Senate Rule 98 and Joint Rule 7 for the Month of August 2007

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Schultz, for Jon D. Angeli, on the occasion of his retirement after years of dedicated service to the Grant County Department of Social Services.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Taylor, for Clayborn Benson, on the occasion of his retirement after 39 years of outstanding dedication to Milwaukeeans through his work on WTMJ-TV (Channel 4).

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for Max Bergner, 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 Lasee, for Cody Carriveau, 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 Breske, for Bob Egan, on the occasion of his tireless work and commitment to the citizens of Vilas County and Wisconsin.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Vinehout, for the Eau Claire Area Labor Council, on the occasion of its 50th Anniversary.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kreitlow, for the Eau Claire Rod & Gun Club, on the occasion of their celebration of their 100th Anniversary.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Erpenbach, for Jacob Faessler, 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 Harsdorf, for the Farmers Independent Telephone Company, on the occasion of its 100th Anniversary.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lazich, for Christopher John Fischer, 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 Roessler, for the members of the Fond du Lac Theatre, on the occasion of all the members past and present on their 50th season.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kanavas, for Andrew T. Fotsch, 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 Darling, for William Russell Gahn, 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 Schultz, for John Gander, on the occasion of his outstanding contributions to his students and to the field of education.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Schultz, for Lucretia Gillingham, on the occasion of the celebration of her 101st Birthday shared with family and friends.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Fitzgerald, for Gary and Mary Haag, on the occasion of being the 2007 Gemuetlichkeit King and Queen.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Jauch, for the town of Highland, on the occasion of their centennial celebration.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Colin J. Kerwin, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of condolence by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Fitzgerald, for the family and friends of Richard "Dixie" Kirchoff, on the occasion of his years of dedicated and unselfish service to the Hustisford Community, he will be sorely missed by all those that served with him.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for the Campers of Camp Lakota, on the occasion of the 2007 Wisconsin ADA Camps.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Coggs, for the Augusta M. LaVarney Branch of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Milwaukee, on the occasion of their 50th Anniversary.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for the township of Mequon, on the occasion of celebrating its 50th Anniversary.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Ben J. Midthun, 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 Anthony Patrick Miller, 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 Taylor, for the Milwaukee Community Journal, Inc., on the occasion of marking 31 meritorious years of service to Milwaukee and the State of Wisconsin.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Coggs, for the Milwaukee Health Services, Inc. (MHSI), on the occasion of the Back to School Wellness Festival.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Schultz, for the City of New Lisbon, on the occasion of their investment to enhance the appearance of major corridors leading into its community.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Vinehout, for the Northfield Township, on the occasion of celebrating its Sesquicentennial.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Jauch, for Anthony Patrick Miller, 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 Grothman, for Christopher Warren Nowacki, 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 Sullivan, for Daniel K. O'Brien, 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 Roessler, for James and Grace Otto, on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Roessler, for the Oshkosh Gun Club, on the occasion of its 50th Anniversary.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Taylor, for the family and friends of Eric Parker, on the occasion of his untimely passing and mourn with his wife Denise and family and friends on such a great loss.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Ellis, for Eric Pradel, 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 David Alexander Rodriguez, 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 Gabriel Thomas Rodriguez, 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 Ellis, for Ryan Andrew Schemm, 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 Grothman, for Michael Peter Schiel, 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 Carpenter, for Donald L. Soucie, on the occasion of the celebration of his 80th Birthday shared with family and friends.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Schultz, for the Village of Spring Green, on the occasion of its Sesquicentennial.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Jauch, for Harvey and Marilyn Stower, on the occasion of their outstanding leadership and dedication to community service.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for John R. Treffert, on the occasion of his retirement after years of an impeccable record of public service.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Breske, for the United Parcel Service of America, Inc. (UPS), on the occasion of celebrating their 100th Anniversary.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Vinehout, for Jay Vinehout, 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 Risser, for Women's Equality Day, on the occasion of recognizing August 26, 2007 as Women's Equality Day.