

ASSEMBLY BILL 57 (LRB -1412)

An Act to create 253.16 of the statutes; relating to: permitting a mother to breast-feed in any public or private location where she is otherwise authorized to be.

2009

- 02-17. A. Introduced by Representatives **Pasch, Roys, Parisi, Sinicki, Benedict, Black, Berceau, Ballweg, Cullen, Hintz, Hebl, Hilgenberg, Mason, Molepske Jr., Pocan, Pope-Roberts, Toles, Townsend, Vruwink and Zepnick**; cosponsored by Senators **Risser, Erpenbach, Wirch, Darling, Schultz, Cowles, Sullivan and Lehman.**
- 02-17. A. Read first time and referred to committee on Public Health 61
- 05-05. A. Public hearing held.
- 06-11. A. Assembly amendment 1 offered by Representative Strachota (**LRB a0508**) 219
- 06-11. A. Assembly amendment 2 offered by Representative Pasch (**LRB a0523**) 219
- 06-11. A. Assembly amendment 3 offered by Representative Strachota (**LRB a0524**) 219
- 06-30. A. Executive action taken.
- 07-08. A. Report Assembly Amendment 2 adoption recommended by committee on Public Health, Ayes 4, Noes 2 .. 334
- 07-08. A. Report passage as amended recommended by committee on Public Health, Ayes 4, Noes 2 334
- 07-08. A. Referred to committee on Rules 334
- 09-17. A. Placed on calendar 9-22-2009 by committee on Rules.
- 09-22. A. Read a second time 398
- 09-22. A. Assembly amendment 1 to Assembly amendment 2 offered by Representative Strachota (**LRB a0744**) 398
- 09-22. A. Assembly amendment 1 to Assembly amendment 2 laid on table, Ayes 50, Noes 45 398
- 09-22. A. Assembly amendment 2 to Assembly amendment 2 offered by Representative Pasch (**LRB a0774**) 399
- 09-22. A. Assembly amendment 2 to Assembly amendment 2 **adopted** 399
- 09-22. A. Assembly amendment 2 **adopted** 399
- 09-22. A. Ordered to a third reading 399
- 09-22. A. Rules suspended 399
- 09-22. A. Read a third time and **passed** 399
- 09-22. A. Ordered immediately messaged 399
- 09-23. S. Received from Assembly 333
- 09-24. S. Read first time and referred to committee on Public Health, Senior Issues, Long-Term Care, and Job Creation 337

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- 01-27. S. Public hearing held.
- 01-28. S. Executive action taken.
- 02-02. S. Report concurrence recommended by committee on Public Health, Senior Issues, Long-Term Care, and Job Creation, Ayes 5, Noes 0 534
- 02-02. S. Available for scheduling.
- 02-10. S. Placed on calendar 2-16-2010 pursuant to Senate Rule 18(1) 553
- 02-16. S. Read a second time.
- 02-16. S. Ordered to a third reading.
- 02-16. S. Rules suspended.
- 02-16. S. Read a third time and **concurred in.**
- 02-16. S. Ordered immediately messaged.
- 02-16. A. Received from Senate concurred in.

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ADOPTED DOCUMENTS:

Orig Engr SubAmdt

09-1412/1 ✓

Amendments to above (if none, write "NONE"):

AA2 - a0523/1 ✓

AA2 to AA2 - a0774/1 ✓

Corrections - show date (if none, write "NONE"):

None

Topic

Rel as amended

2-16-2010

Date

JR Miller

Enrolling Drafter



2009 ASSEMBLY BILL 57

February 17, 2009 - Introduced by Representatives PASCH, ROYS, PARISI, SINICKI, BENEDICT, BLACK, BERCEAU, BALLWEG, CULLEN, HINTZ, HEBL, HILGENBERG, MASON, MOLEPSKE JR., POCAN, POPE-ROBERTS, TOLES, TOWNSEND, VRUWINK and ZEPNICK, cosponsored by Senators RISSER, ERPENBACH, WIRCH, DARLING, SCHULTZ, COWLES, SULLIVAN and LEHMAN. Referred to Committee on Public Health.

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1 AN ACT *to create* 253.16 of the statutes; **relating to:** permitting a mother to
2 breast-feed in any public or private location where she ~~is~~ otherwise authorized
3 to be.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, there are various prohibitions against lewd behavior or sexual gratification in public. Those prohibitions, however, do not apply to a mother's breast-feeding of her child. This bill permits a mother to breast-feed her child in any public or private location where she is otherwise authorized to be and prohibits any person from interfering with the right of a mother to breast-feed her child as provided in the bill. Because no penalty is expressed in the bill for interfering with that right, a person who interferes with that right is subject to a forfeiture not to exceed \$200 under the general penalty provision under current law.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

4 SECTION 1. 253.16 of the statutes is created to read:
5 **253.16 Right to breast-feed.** A mother may breast-feed her child in any
6 public or private location where the mother is otherwise authorized to be. No person



ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 2,
TO 2009 ASSEMBLY BILL 57

June 11, 2009 - Offered by Representative PASCH.

AA2-1 ✓

AA2-2 ✓

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 1. Page 1, line 2: delete "is" and substitute "and her child are".

3 2. Page 1, line 6: delete the material beginning with "is" and ending with
4 "breast-feed" on page 2, line 1, and substitute "and child are otherwise authorized to

5 be. In such a location, no person may prohibit a mother from breast-feeding her
6 child, ~~request or~~ direct a mother to move to a different location to breast-feed her
7 child, ~~request or~~ direct a mother to cover her child or breast while breast-feeding, or
8 otherwise restrict a mother from breast-feeding".

9 (END)

per AA2 to AA-2



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ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 2,
TO ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 2,
TO 2009 ASSEMBLY BILL 57

September 22, 2009 – Offered by Representative PASCH.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the amendment as follows:

2 **1.** Page 1, line 6: delete “request or”.

3 **2.** Page 1, line 7: delete “request or”.

4 (END)