

# Assembly Journal

## Ninety-Ninth Regular Session

MONDAY, December 28, 2009

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

## **AMENDMENTS OFFERED**

Assembly amendment 2 to **Assembly Bill 534** offered by Representative Pope–Roberts.

Assembly amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 591** offered by committee on **Health and Healthcare Reform**.

## INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

### **Assembly Bill 641**

Relating to: a postsecondary education tax credit for businesses; increasing annual limits on angel investment tax credits; awarding grants to the WiSys Technology Foundation, Inc.; business plan competitions and an emerging technology center in the University of Wisconsin System; rural outsourcing grants; requiring the Department of Commerce to award grants to a high—technology business development corporation and grants for converting manufacturing facilities; increasing funding for certain economic development programs; a pilot program providing microloans for the creation of new businesses; increasing funding for certain technical college training program grants; providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures; granting rule—making authority; and making appropriations.

By Representatives Molepske Jr., Cullen, Zigmunt, Smith, Turner, Berceau, Zepnick, Vruwink, Dexter and Schneider; cosponsored by Senators Lassa, Kreitlow, Sullivan, Lehman, Vinehout, Jauch, Hansen, Holperin, Miller, Robson, Erpenbach, Risser, Plale, Decker, Taylor, Wirch, Carpenter and Coggs.

To committee on **Jobs, the Economy and Small Business**.

## COMMUNICATIONS

December 28, 2009

Patrick Fuller Assembly Chief Clerk 17 West Main Street, Suite 401 Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Fuller:

Please add my name as a co-author of Assembly Bill 155, relating to providing alcohol beverages to an underage person who suffers great bodily harm or death from their consumption and providing a penalty.

Sincerely, ANDY JORGENSEN State Representative 37th Assembly District

December 28, 2009

Patrick Fuller Assembly Chief Clerk 17 West Main Street, Suite 401 Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Fuller:

Please add my name as a co-author of Assembly Bill 453, relating to the statute of limitations for sexual contact with a child.

Sincerely, KELDA ROYS State Representative 81st Assembly District

### REFERRAL OF AGENCY REPORTS

State of Wisconsin Department of Revenue Madison

December 22, 2009

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

Section 565.45, Wisconsin Statutes, requires the Department of Revenue to submit a biennial report to the legislature

regarding the "effects on the operation of the lottery of the 10% expense limitation under s. 25.75 (3)(b)."

If you have any questions regarding this report please feel free to contact my office at 608-266-6466.

Sincerely, *ROGER M. ERVIN*Secretary of Revenue

Referred to committee on **State Affairs and Homeland Security**.

State of Wisconsin
Department of Health Services
Madison

December 28, 2009

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

Enclosed is the Department of Health Services' (DHS) 2008 Annual Report on Substance Abuse Programs. This report was prepared in accordance with s. 51.45 (4)(p), Wis. Stats., which requires the Department to submit to you an annual report on the treatment of substance abuse.

The report describes substance abuse prevention, intervention, and treatment programs administered by the Department's Division of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services. Substance abuse is a significant challenge for individuals, families, and communities across Wisconsin and the Department is making great strides in addressing substance abuse problems. Following are a few highlights of the successes in 2008:

•Wisconsin Epidemiological Profile on Alcohol and Other Drug Use

- •DHS Health Integration Initiative Joint Statement
- •The Department's continued receipt of federal grants to enhance the state's service capacity and improved the quality of services.

We are proud of our achievements, but more work is needed. We will continue to explore ways to build partnerships and support effective substance abuse programs to reach our goal of Wisconsin becoming the nation's healthiest state, and a place where our citizens can grow up safe, healthy, and successful.

Sincerely, KAREN E. TIMBERLAKE Secretary

Referred to committee on **Health and Healthcare Reform**.

State of Wisconsin
Department of Health Services
Madison

December 28, 2009

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

I am pleased to submit to the Legislature the enclosed report as required by Chapter 256.08 (1), Wisconsin Statutes. The report describes "priorities for changes in the state emergency medical services system." This report was produced in cooperation with the emergency medical services board and many Emergency Medical Services (EMS) stakeholders.

Sincerely, KAREN E. TIMBERLAKE Secretary

Referred to committee on **Public Health**.