

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Commerce, Utilities, Energy, and Rail

Clearinghouse Rule 06-067

Relating to the provision of universal telecommunications service, administration of the universal service fund, and related changes.

Submitted by Public Service Commission.

December 11, 2009 Referred to Committee on Commerce, Utilities, Energy, and Rail

February 9, 2010 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (6) Senators Plale, Wirsch, Erpenbach, Cowles,
Harsdorf and Kedzie.

Absent: (1) Senator Kreitlow.

Appearances For

- Gary Evenson — Public Service Commission

Appearances Against

- Bill Esbeck, Madison — Wisconsin State Telecommunications Association
- Jean Pauk, Madison — TDS Telecommunications Corp. and WSTA
- Stephanie Cassioppi — U.S. Cellular

Appearances for Information Only

- Mike Mc Dermott, Schaumburg — Verizon Wireless
- Paul Fuglie, Lansing — Verizon Communications
- Lorenzo Cruz, Madison — Century Link

Registrations For

- None.

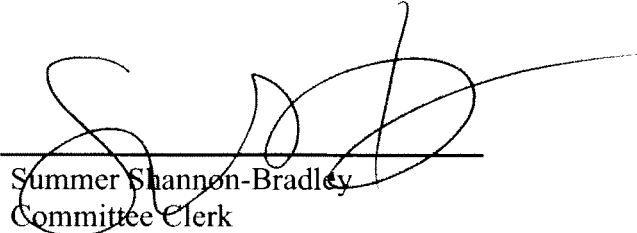
Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- Michael Theis, Madison — Theis Communications Consulting

February 9, 2010 No action taken



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November 11, 2010 Modifications received from PSC.

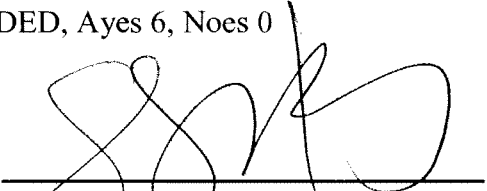
November 15, 2010 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (6) Senators Plale, Wirch, Erpenbach, Cowles,
Harsdorf and Kedzie.
Absent: (1) Senator Kreitlow.
Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Plale, seconded by Senator Wirch that
Clearinghouse Rule 06-067 be recommended for objection.

Ayes: (6) Senators Plale, Wirch, Erpenbach, Cowles,
Harsdorf and Kedzie.
Noes: (0) None.
Absent: (1) Senator Kreitlow.

OBJECTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 0



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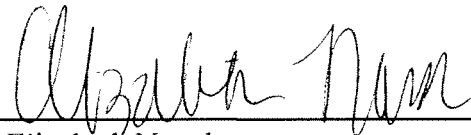
Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources

Clearinghouse Rule 06-108

Relating to regulation of fishing tournaments in inland, outlying, and boundary waters of Wisconsin.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

- January 08, 2009 Referred to Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources.
- January 28, 2009 Modifications refused by agency.
- February 13, 2009 No action taken.



Elizabeth Novak
Committee Clerk

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Committee on Environment

Clearinghouse Rule 07-082

Relating to ambient air quality standards and affecting small business.
Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

January 08, 2009

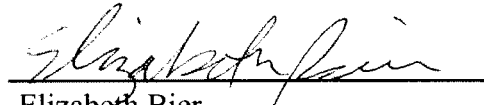
Referred to Committee on Environment.

June 11, 2009

Modifications refused by agency.

June 25, 2009

No action taken.


Elizabeth Bier
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Committee on Commerce, Utilities, Energy, and Rail

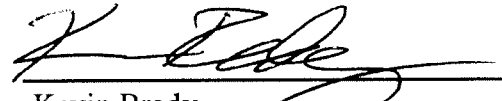
Clearinghouse Rule 08-067

Relating to customer access to subscription video services and discriminatory practices by video service providers.

Submitted by Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection.

January 08, 2009 Referred to Committee on Commerce, Utilities, Energy, and Rail.

February 8, 2009 No action taken.


Kevin Brady
Committee Clerk

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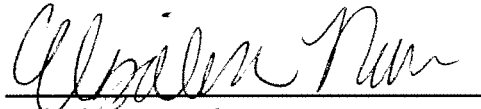
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Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources

Clearinghouse Rule 08-023

Relating to administration of the forest crop law and managed forest law.
Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

January 08, 2009	Referred to Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources.
October 23, 2009	Modifications Received
November 6, 2009	No action taken.



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**Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs, Biotechnology,
and Financial Institutions**

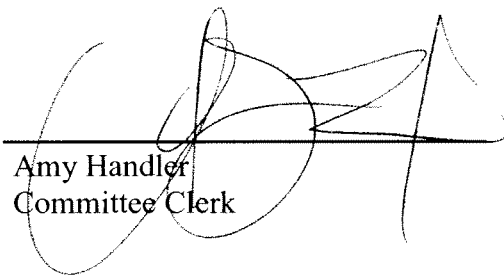
Clearinghouse Rule 08-095

Relating to making it a dishonest or unethical practice for securities licensees to make use of misleading designations or certifications purporting to demonstrate special expertise in the financial or retirement needs of seniors.

Submitted by Department of Financial Institutions.

January 08, 2009 Referred to Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs,
Biotechnology, and Financial Institutions.

February 8, 2009 No action taken.


Amy Handler
Committee Clerk

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Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources

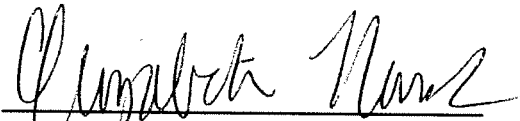
Clearinghouse Rule 08-101

Relating to allowing the operation of certain 2-vehicle combinations on certain highways without a permit.

Submitted by Department of Transportation.

January 08, 2009 Referred to Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources.

February 8, 2009 No action taken.



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Committee on Agriculture and Higher Education

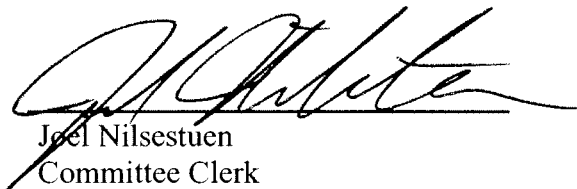
Clearinghouse Rule 08-090

Relating to pesticide product restrictions.

Submitted by Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection.

January 08, 2009 Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Higher Education.

February 8, 2009 No action taken.



Joel Nilsestuen
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Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources

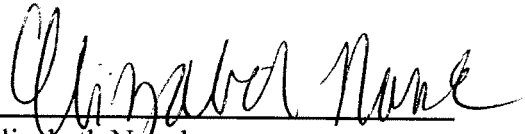
Clearinghouse Rule 08-080

Relating to neighborhood electric vehicles.

Submitted by Department of Transportation.

January 08, 2009 Referred to Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources.

February 8, 2009 No action taken.



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**Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property
Tax Relief, and Revenue**

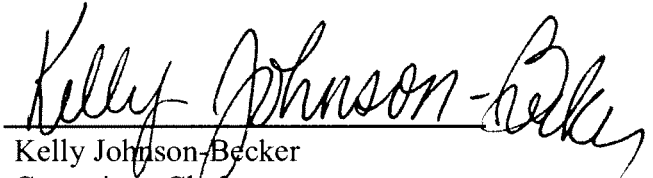
Clearinghouse Rule 08-079

Relating to continued group health insurance coverage of an insured dependent after the death of the insured employee or annuitant.

Submitted by Department of Employee Trust Funds.

January 08, 2009 Referred to Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy,
Property Tax Relief, and Revenue.

February 8, 2009 No action taken.



Kelly Johnson-Becker
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Committee on Agriculture and Higher Education

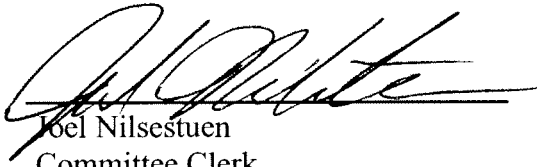
Clearinghouse Rule 08-075

Relating to minor and technical rule changes.

Submitted by Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection.

January 13, 2009 Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Higher Education.

February 13, 2009 No action taken.



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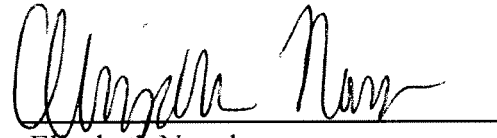
Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources

Clearinghouse Rule 08-063

Relating to aquatic invasive species prevention and control grants.
Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

January 15, 2009 Referred to Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and
Natural Resources.

February 15, 2009 No action taken.



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Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources

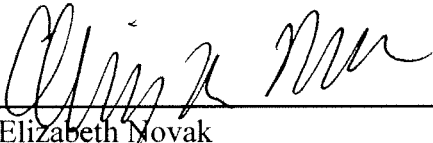
Clearinghouse Rule 08-060

Relating to wholesale fish dealing and commercial fishing in outlying waters and affecting small business.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

January 21, 2009 Referred to Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources.

February 21, 2009 No action taken.



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**Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs, Biotechnology,
and Financial Institutions**

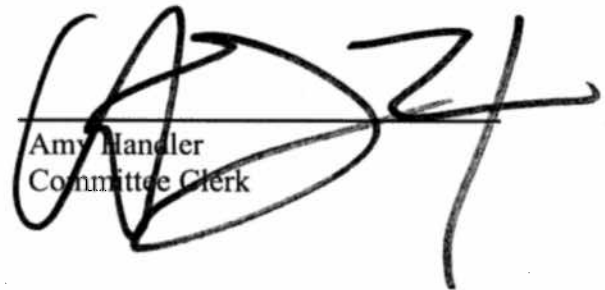
Clearinghouse Rule 08-106

Relating to fees.

Submitted by Department of Military Affairs.

January 21, 2009 Referred to Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs,
Biotechnology, and Financial Institutions.

February 20, 2009 No action taken.



Amy Mandler
Committee Clerk

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Committee on Commerce, Utilities, Energy, and Rail

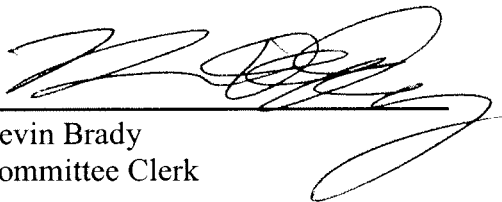
Clearinghouse Rule 08-096

Relating to emergency assistance grants in the community development block grant program, and affecting small business.

Submitted by Department of Commerce.

January 21, 2009 Referred to Committee on Commerce, Utilities, Energy, and Rail.

February 21, 2009 No action taken.



Kevin Brady
Committee Clerk

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Committee on Environment

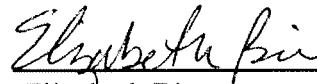
Clearinghouse Rule 08-076

Relating to analytical methods used for Wisconsin pollutant discharge monitoring system (WPDES) compliance monitoring.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

January 26, 2009 Referred to Committee on Environment.

February 26, 2009 No action taken.



Elizabeth Bier
Committee Clerk

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Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources

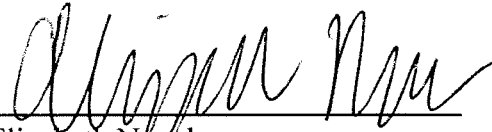
Clearinghouse Rule 08-062

Relating to the administration of the urban forestry catastrophic storm grant program.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

January 27, 2009 Referred to Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources.

February 27, 2009 No action taken.



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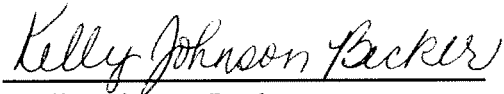
**Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property
Tax Relief, and Revenue**

Clearinghouse Rule 08-089

Relating to practice hours and internship for social workers.
Submitted by Department of Regulation and Licensing.

January 30, 2009 Referred to Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy,
Property Tax Relief, and Revenue.

February 28, 2009 No action taken.



Kelly Johnson-Becker
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**Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property
Tax Relief, and Revenue**

Clearinghouse Rule 08-088

Relating to supervised practice, training licenses and academic programs for professional counselors.

Submitted by Department of Regulation and Licensing.

February 05, 2009 Referred to Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy,
Property Tax Relief, and Revenue.

March 5, 2009 No action taken.



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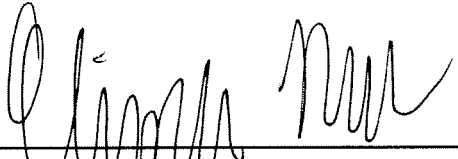
Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources

Clearinghouse Rule 08-113

Relating to a municipal or county vehicle registration fee.
Submitted by Department of Transportation.

February 05, 2009 Referred to Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources.

March 5, 2009 No action taken.



Elizabeth Novak
Committee Clerk

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**Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property
Tax Relief, and Revenue**

Clearinghouse Rule 08-082

Relating to training in the use of automated external defibrillators for emergency medical technicians, first responders, and individuals who provide instruction to emergency medical technicians and first responders, and affecting small businesses.

Submitted by Department of Health Services.

February 09, 2009 Referred to Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy,
Property Tax Relief, and Revenue.

March 9, 2009 No action taken.



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Committee Clerk

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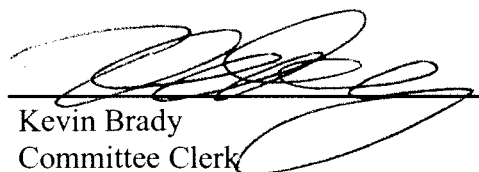
Committee on Commerce, Utilities, Energy, and Rail

Clearinghouse Rule 08-092

Relating to the liquefied gas suppliers, and affecting small businesses.
Submitted by Department of Commerce.

February 13, 2009 Referred to Committee on Commerce, Utilities, Energy, and Rail.

March 13, 2009 No action taken.


Kevin Brady
Committee Clerk

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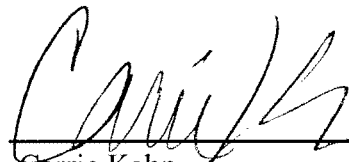
**Committee on Children and Families and Workforce
Development**

Clearinghouse Rule 09-001

Relating to the adjustment of thresholds for application of prevailing wage rates.
Submitted by Department of Workforce Development.

February 18, 2009 Referred to Committee on Children and Families and Workforce
Development.

March 18, 2009 No action taken.



Carrie Kahn
Committee Clerk

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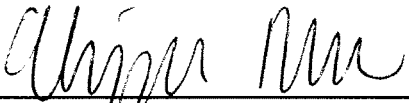
Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and Natural Resources

Clearinghouse Rule 08-083

Relating to the Wisconsin lists of endangered and threatened species.
Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

February 25, 2009 Referred to Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry, and
Natural Resources.

March 25, 2009 No action taken.



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Committee Clerk

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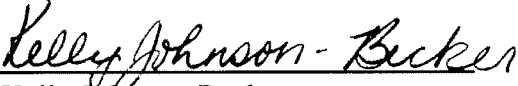
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**Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property
Tax Relief, and Revenue**

Clearinghouse Rule 08-108

Relating to benefits covered by the Wisconsin medical assistance program.
Submitted by Department of Health Services.

March 11, 2009	Referred to Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief, and Revenue.
April 11, 2009	No action taken.



Kelly Johnson-Becker
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**Committee on Children and Families and Workforce
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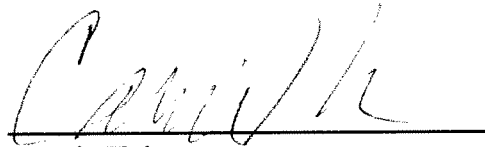
Clearinghouse Rule 08-109

Relating to confidentiality requirements of the Family Care program that prohibit benefit specialists from disclosing personally identifying information about a client without the client's informed consent, unless required by law.

Submitted by Department of Health and Family Services.

March 13, 2009 Referred to Committee on Children and Families and Workforce
Development.

April 13, 2009 No action taken.



Carrie Kahn
Committee Clerk

Senate

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Committee on Ethics Reform and Government Operations

Clearinghouse Rule 08-084

Relating to technical standards for electronic recording of documents in the County Register of Deeds Offices in Wisconsin.

Submitted by Department of Administration.

March 17, 2009	Referred to Committee on Ethics Reform and Government Operations.
April 23, 2009	Germane amendment received.
May 17, 2009	No action taken.



Terry Tuschen
Committee Clerk

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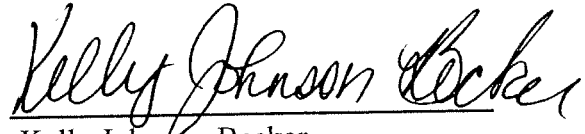
**Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property
Tax Relief, and Revenue**

Clearinghouse Rule 08-112

Relating to medicare supplement insurance and affecting small business.
Submitted by Insurance Commissioner.

March 31, 2009 Referred to Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy,
Property Tax Relief, and Revenue.

April 30, 2009 No action taken.



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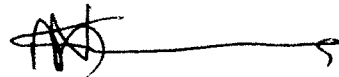
**Committee on Judiciary, Corrections, Insurance, Campaign
Finance Reform, and Housing**

Clearinghouse Rule 08-107

Relating to replacement of life insurance or annuity contracts and to disclosure requirements.

Submitted by Insurance Commissioner.

March 31, 2009	Referred to Committee on Judiciary, Corrections, Insurance, Campaign Finance Reform, and Housing.
April 30, 2009	No action taken.



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**Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property
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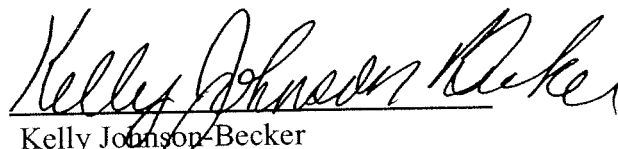
Clearinghouse Rule 08-093

Relating to continuing education and requirements for proficiency in the use of automated external defibrillators.

Submitted by Department of Regulation and Licensing.

April 08, 2009 Referred to Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy,
Property Tax Relief, and Revenue.

May 8, 2009 No action taken.


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**Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property
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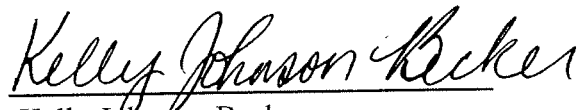
Clearinghouse Rule 09-004

Relating to to annual patients compensation fund fees and medical mediation panel fees for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2009, and affecting small businesses.

Submitted by Insurance Commissioner.

April 08, 2009 Referred to Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy,
Property Tax Relief, and Revenue.

May 8, 2009 No action taken.



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Committee on Commerce, Utilities, Energy, and Rail

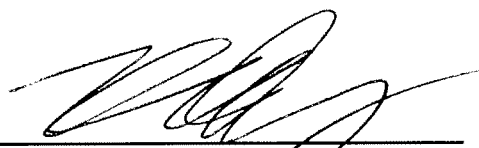
Clearinghouse Rule 09-012

Relating to a wear and fatigue monitoring system and a device that protects against suspension loss for electric traction elevators that use smaller sized wire ropes.

Submitted by Department of Commerce.

April 09, 2009 Referred to Committee on Commerce, Utilities, Energy, and Rail.

May 9, 2009 No action taken.



Kevin Brady
Committee Clerk

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Committee on Commerce, Utilities, Energy, and Rail

Clearinghouse Rule 09-017

Relating to flammable, combustible, and hazardous liquids, and affecting small businesses.

Submitted by Department of Commerce.

April 24, 2009 Referred to Committee on Commerce, Utilities, Energy, and Rail.

May 24, 2009 No action taken.



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Committee Clerk

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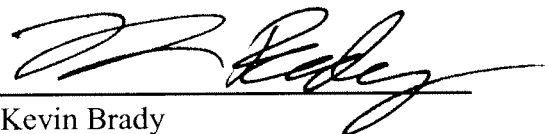
Clearinghouse Rule 08-103

Relating to modification of existing rules for control of nitrogen oxide (NOx) emitted by stationary sources in the ozone nonattainment area in southeastern Wisconsin and to issues for SIP approvability and miscellaneous implementation issues.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

May 04, 2009 Referred to Committee on Commerce, Utilities, Energy, and Rail.

June 4, 2009 No action taken.



Kevin Brady
Committee Clerk

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**Committee on Judiciary, Corrections, Insurance, Campaign
Finance Reform, and Housing**

Clearinghouse Rule 09-022

Relating to licensing, prelicensing and continuing education for insurance agents
and affecting small business.

Submitted by Insurance Commissioner.

May 04, 2009

Referred to Committee on Judiciary, Corrections, Insurance,
Campaign Finance Reform, and Housing.

June 4, 2009

No action taken.



Eric Peterson
Committee Clerk

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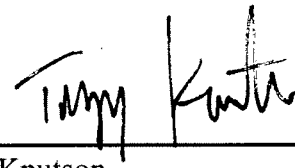
**Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property
Tax Relief, and Revenue**

Clearinghouse Rule 08-065

Relating to wine collectors and small winery cooperative wholesalers.
Submitted by Department of Revenue.

May 14, 2009 Referred to Committee on Health, Health Insurance, Privacy,
Property Tax Relief, and Revenue.

June 14, 2009 No action taken.



Tryg Knutson
Committee Clerk