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Details: Alan Bitter

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WISCONSIN STATE LEGISLATURE ... PUBLIC HEARING - COMMITTEE RECORDS

2009-10

(session year)

Senate

(Assembly, Senate or Joint)

Committee on ... Education (SC-Ed)

COMMITTEE NOTICES ...

- Committee Reports ... **CR**
- Executive Sessions ... **ES**
- Public Hearings ... **PH**

INFORMATION COLLECTED BY COMMITTEE FOR AND AGAINST PROPOSAL

- Appointments ... **Appt** (w/Record of Comm. Proceedings)
- Clearinghouse Rules ... **CRule** (w/Record of Comm. Proceedings)
- Hearing Records ... bills and resolutions (w/Record of Comm. Proceedings)
 - (**ab** = Assembly Bill) (**ar** = Assembly Resolution) (**ajr** = Assembly Joint Resolution)
 - (**sb** = Senate Bill) (**sr** = Senate Resolution) (**sjr** = Senate Joint Resolution)
- Miscellaneous ... **Misc**

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State of Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction

Elizabeth Burmaster, State Superintendent

June 30, 2008

Alan Bitter
7613 English Lake Road
Manitowoc, WI 54220

Dear Mr. Bitter:

It is my pleasure to appoint you to the Professional Standards Council (PSC) as a representative of the Wisconsin Council of Religious and Independent Schools. Appointments are subject to confirmation by the Wisconsin Senate; however, your term is effective immediately. All appointments are for staggered terms; your appointment will begin on July 1, 2008, and continue through June 30, 2011.

The council is broadly based and representative of teacher education and certification. The duties and responsibilities of the council are defined in Wisconsin Statutes and described in the attached document. In brief, the council serves in an advisory capacity to me as State Superintendent in matters related to teacher preparation and licensing.

The meeting dates for 2008-2009 have been scheduled as follows:

- October 13, 2008
- January 12, 2009
- April 20, 2009

Meetings are held at the Crowne Plaza Hotel, 4802 E. Washington Avenue, Madison. Expenses incurred for attendance at meetings of the council or its committees will be reimbursed by the department in compliance with state-established guidelines.

An agenda for the October 2008 meeting and minutes from the April 2008 meeting will be mailed to you in September 2008. The council works directly with Judy Peppard, Director, Teacher Education, Professional Development and Licensing. Feel free to contact Judy at (608) 266-0986, if you have any questions prior to your first meeting or any time throughout your service on the council.

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Your willingness to accept this appointment is appreciated. Your commitment is essential as the council is a working body that deals with matters critical to the educational welfare of children and youth in the schools of our state.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Elizabeth Burmaster". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Elizabeth Burmaster
State Superintendent

EB/ps
Attachment

c: Deborah Mahaffey, Assistant State Superintendent, Division for Academic Excellence
Judy Peppard, Director, Teacher Education, Professional Development and Licensing
Matt Kussow, Wisconsin Council of Religious and Independent Schools
Jeff Renk, Chief Clerk, Wisconsin State Senate

2. BUSINESS ACTIVITIES. List businesses, farms, rental, commercial, and income-producing real estate, and business activities in which you or your family had at least a 10% or greater interest.

a) Enterprise(s) operating under a business or trade name, list here.

Name of business	Municipality or Town	County	State	Describe nature of business

b) Enterprise(s) NOT operating under a business or trade name, list here.

Street address or fire number	Municipality or Town	County	State	Describe nature of business

3. COMMERCIAL CUSTOMERS, CLIENTS, AND TENANTS. For each unincorporated business, subchapter S corporation, service corporation (SC), limited liability company (LLC), partnership, or income-producing real estate reported in Item 2, list businesses, organizations, and lobbyists that paid the enterprise \$1,000 or more in calendar year 2008.

Check if the organization authorized you to represent it in its dealings with others as an attorney-at-law, agent, apokesperson, or representative.

Businesses, organizations, lobbyists that were customers, clients, or tenants	City	State	*✓

4. BUSINESS PARTNERS. For each enterprise reported under Item 2, list its co-owners, partners, officers, and directors (other than yourself), unless the information is already registered with the Wisconsin Department of Financial Institutions.

Business	Partners, or officers and directors	City	State

5. NON-COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE. List the specific location of WISCONSIN REAL ESTATE in which you or your family had an interest (except your principal residence and real estate whose location you already listed in item 2).

Street address or fire number	LOCATION OF PROPERTY		NATURE OF INTEREST (own, lease, option, easement, land contract)
	Municipality Or Town	County	

6. OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS. List organizations of which you or a family member was an officer or director (unless already listed in Item #2.)

Business or organization	City	State	Position

7. AGENT, REPRESENTATIVE OR SPOKESPERSON. List each organization that authorized you or a family member to represent it in its dealings with others as an attorney-at-law, agent, spokesperson, or representative (unless already listed in item 2, 3, or 6.)

Business or organization	City	State

8. CREDITORS. List creditors to which you or your family owed \$5,000 or more.

Creditor	City	State	*"/" one	
			\$50,000 or less	More than \$50,000

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9. EMPLOYERS. List your and your family's EMPLOYERS (\$1,000 or more of income) in 2008.

Name of employer (If State of Wisconsin, identify agency or institution)	City	State	Nature of employer's business
St. John's School	Monitowoc	WI	Lutheran Elementary School
Flower Gallery	Monitowoc	WI	Retail store

10. ADDITIONAL SOURCES OF INCOME. List other sources from which you or your family received income of \$1,000 or more in 2008.

Source of income	City	State
Concordia University	Mequon	WI

11. ENTERTAINMENT AND GIFTS. List individuals and organizations that provided you with entertainment or gifts (more than \$50) in 2008.

Name of provider	City	State

12. HONORARIA AND EXPENSES. List, for 2008, sources of honoraria and payment of expenses related to your state government duties (more than \$50) not previously reported to the Government Accountability Board.

Payer	Approximate value of expenses	Amount of honorarium	Circumstances of receipt

I have read the accompanying instructions and certify that the information contained in this Statement of Economic Interests is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief. If any part has been left blank, I have done so intentionally because there is nothing to report.

Alan Bitter
Signature of person filing

4/24/09
Date

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Email Address

The information sought in this form is required by §§19.43 and 19.44, Wisconsin Statutes. Failure to file a completed form by the statutory deadline may result in a forfeiture of up to \$500. Statements of Economic Interests are open for public inspection. The Government Accountability Board will notify you of the identity of any person who examines your Statement. In accordance with §15.04(1)(m), Wisconsin Statutes, the Government Accountability Board states that no personally identifiable information is likely to be used for purposes other than those for which it is collected.