

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

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

Senate Bill 673

Relating to: nullifying certain arbitration agreements between a resident and a nursing home or similar care facility.

By Senator Taylor; cosponsored by Representative Barca.

April 07, 2010 Referred to Committee on Judiciary, Corrections, Insurance, Campaign Finance Reform, and Housing.

April 8, 2010 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Taylor, Sullivan, Erpenbach, Grothman and Hopper.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Jeffery Pitman , Milwaukee
- Lena Taylor, Madison — Senator, Wisconsin State Senate
- Jason Studenski , Stevens Point

Appearances Against

- Peter Hans — West Bend, amutual Insurance Co.
- Forbes McIntosh — Wisc. Assisted Living Assoc., Residential Services Assoc. Of Wisc.
- Brian Purtell — WI Healcare Association

Appearances for Information Only

- John Hendrick, Madison — CWAG

Registrations For

- Alex Kammer
- Lee Atterbury , Cross Plains
- Andy Andre, Milwaukee
- Peter Barca — Rep

Registrations Against

- Tom Ramsey — WI Assn of Homes and Services for Services for the Aging
- Misha Lee, Stevens Point — Sentry Insurance
- Mindy Walker, Madison — Property Casualty Insurers

- Andy Franken, Madison — WI Insurance Alliance

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

April 22, 2010

Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.

Christopher Gibbs
Committee Clerk