

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Health

Assembly Bill 408

Relating to: eliminating ambulatory surgical center assessment.

By Representatives Stone, Ziegelbauer, Spanbauer, Kapenga, Meyer, Endsley, Krug, Litjens and Kaufert; cosponsored by Senators Galloway, Moulton, Vukmir, Leibham, Lazich and Grothman.

December 07, 2011 Referred to Committee on Health.

February 8, 2012 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (10) Representatives Stone, Kaufert, Van Roy, Strachota, Petersen, Litjens, Richards, Pasch, Seidel, C. Taylor.
Absent: (0) None.
Excused: (1) Representative Severson.

Appearances For

- Rep. Jeff Stone, Greendale — Author; 82nd Assembly District
- Ronald Bullen, Waukesha — Pro Health Care Moreland Surgery Center
- Bob Kwech, Kimberly — President/ WI Surgery Center Assn
- Jill Reimer, Oshkosh — Ambulatory Surgical Ctr LLC
- Mark Smith, Waukesha — Orthopedic Associates of Wisconsin
- Bob Welch, (City Not Listed) — The Orthopaedic Surgery Center

Appearances Against

- Carol Kitzrow, Union Grove — Wisconsin Surgery Center
- Vishal Lal, Greenfield — APM Wisconsin MSO, LLC

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Sen. Pam Galloway, Wausau — Author; 29th Senate District
- Robert Flannery, Middleton — UW Medical Foundation
- Lisa Maroney, Madison — UW Health
- Mark Grapentine, Madison — WI Medical Society

- Michael Heifetz, Madison — Dean Clinic & SSM Health Care of WI

Registrations Against

- Kimberly Eccleston, Brown Deer — PMTC Surgery Center
- John Robison, Madison — Advanced Pain Management

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

Marsha Dake
Committee Clerk