



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

One-Hundred and First Regular Session

10:50 A.M.

THURSDAY, February 28, 2013

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by Senator Fitzgerald.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (6), the Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date.

CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries dated **Monday, February 25, 2013.**

REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF COMMITTEE REPORTS CONCERNING PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 11-043

Relating to mandatory minimum liability limits for insurance policies under safety responsibility, damage judgment, and mandatory insurance laws.

Referred to joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules**, pursuant to s. 227.19 (5)(a), Wisconsin Statutes, February 25, 2013.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 12-017

Relating to determination of eligibility for assignment of publicly appointed counsel.

Referred to joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules**, pursuant to s. 227.19 (5)(a), Wisconsin Statutes, February 25, 2013.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 12-018

Relating to determination of ability to pay.

Referred to joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules**, pursuant to s. 227.19 (5)(a), Wisconsin Statutes, February 25, 2013.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 12-020

Relating to elections to Employee Trust Fund Board and Teachers Retirement Board.

Referred to joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules**, pursuant to s. 227.19 (5)(a), Wisconsin Statutes, February 25, 2013.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

Senate Bill 39

Relating to: the notice and degree requirements for the examination to practice as a certified public accountant.

By Senators Taylor and Grothman; cosponsored by Representatives Kooyenga, Spiros, Knudson, Marklein, Kapenga, Steineke, Smith, Bernier, Sanfelippo and Stone.

To committee on **Government Operations, Public Works, and Telecommunications.**

Senate Bill 40

Relating to: searches by a law enforcement officer of a person on probation, parole, or extended supervision.

By Senators Leibham and Petrowski; cosponsored by Representatives Endsley, Jacque, Knodl, Stone, Born, Stroebel, LeMahieu, A. Ott, Brooks, Tittl, Marklein and Spiros.

To committee on **Transportation, Public Safety, and Veterans and Military Affairs.**

Senate Bill 41

Relating to: designating and marking a specified highway route in the counties of Rock, Dane, Jefferson, Dodge, and Fond du Lac as the Rock River Trail Scenic and Historic Route.

By Senators T. Cullen, Olsen, S. Fitzgerald, Kedzie, Miller, Schultz, Risser, Carpenter, Lehman, Gudex and Jauch; cosponsored by Representatives Jagler, Ripp, Kolste, Jorgensen, Ringhand, Loudonbeck, Born, Schraa, Spiros, Berceau, Mason, Ohnstad, Kahl, Bies, Kleefisch, Nass, Ballweg, Bernier, Thiesfeldt and Milroy.

To committee on **Transportation, Public Safety, and Veterans and Military Affairs.**

Senate Bill 42

Relating to: creating a preference in state procurement for Wisconsin-based businesses.

By Senators Lassa, Erpenbach, Harris, Hansen, Miller, C. Larson, Lehman, Shilling and Carpenter; cosponsored by Representatives Pope, Krug, Ohnstad, Hebl, C. Taylor, Berceau, Bernard Schaber, Mason, Jorgensen and Hesselbein.

To committee on **Government Operations, Public Works, and Telecommunications.**

Senate Bill 43

Relating to: an income and franchise tax credit for investments in a community development financial institution.

By Senators Lassa, Shilling, Erpenbach, C. Larson, Miller, Hansen and Harris; cosponsored by Representatives Vruwink, Bewley, Barca, Kahl, Billings, Berceau, Pope,

Ohnstad, Bernard Schaber, Barnes, Jorgensen, Sinicki, Hesselbein and Shankland.

To committee on **Economic Development and Local Government**.

Senate Bill 44

Relating to: workforce growth grants to technical college districts and making an appropriation.

By Senators Lassa, Shilling, Lehman, C. Larson, Miller, Jauch and Vinehout; cosponsored by Representatives Doyle, Barca, Danou, Krug, Jorgensen, Hulsey, Hebl, Bernard Schaber, Berceau, Kahl, Milroy, Richards, Kolste, Ringhand, Ohnstad and Johnson.

To committee on **Universities and Technical Colleges**.

Senate Bill 45

Relating to: indication of veteran status on an operator's license or identification card and granting rule-making authority.

By Senators Leibham, Petrowski, Carpenter, Hansen, Grothman, Lazich, Olsen and Lasee; cosponsored by Representatives Petryk, Kerkman, Tittl, Weatherston, Spiros, Tranel, Murphy, T. Larson, Ohnstad, A. Ott, Kahl, Bies, Marklein, Brooks, Pridemore, J. Ott, Ringhand, Kaufert, Ripp, Sinicki, Endsley, Krug, Bernier, Schraa and Petersen.

To committee on **Transportation, Public Safety, and Veterans and Military Affairs**.

Senate Bill 46

Relating to: alcohol beverages violations involving underage persons on licensed premises.

By Senators Gudex, Kedzie and Moulton; cosponsored by Representatives Jacque, Kleefisch, Bies, August, Born, Endsley, Kuglitsch, Kaufert, Knodl, LeMahieu, Petersen, Ripp, Schraa, Spiros, Swearingen and Tittl.

To committee on **Judiciary and Labor**.

Senate Bill 47

Relating to: renewable energy requirements for retail electric utilities and cooperatives.

By Senator Grothman; cosponsored by Representatives LeMahieu, Kestell, Nass, Schraa, Brooks and T. Larson.

To committee on **Energy, Consumer Protection, and Government Reform**.

Senate Bill 48

Relating to: funding postretirement health care benefits of local government employees.

By Senators Vukmir, Grothman and Petrowski; cosponsored by Representatives Thiesfeldt, Nass, LeMahieu, Kapenga, Kooyenga, T. Larson, Stroebel, Craig, Bernier, Strachota, Stone, Kleefisch and Sanfelippo.

To committee on **Economic Development and Local Government**.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Judiciary and Labor** reports and recommends:

Senate Bill 36

Relating to: the effective date for licensing and registration requirements for electricians and electrical contractors.

Senate Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Grothman, Vukmir, Farrow, Risser and Harris.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Grothman, Vukmir and Farrow.

Noes: 2 - Senators Risser and Harris.

GLENN GROTHMAN

Chairperson

Committee on Judiciary and Labor

MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY

By Patrick E. Fuller, chief clerk.

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the Assembly has adopted and asks concurrence in:

Assembly Joint Resolution 5

Assembly Joint Resolution 10

Passed and asks concurrence in:

Assembly Bill 14

Assembly Bill 35

Assembly Bill 37

Assembly Bill 38

Concurred in:

Senate Bill 10

Senate Joint Resolution 11

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Fitzgerald, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate stand adjourned until 11:00 A.M. on Tuesday, March 5, 2013.

Adjourned.

10:51 A.M.