

STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

One-Hundred and First Regular Session

FRIDAY, March 7, 2014

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date.

MARY LAZICH
Chairperson
Elections and Urban Affairs

CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 355** offered by Senator Cowles.

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 629** offered by Senator Farrow.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Elections and Urban Affairs** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 202

Relating to: certification of election observers.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Lazich, Leibham and Lasee.

Noes: 2 - Senators L. Taylor and Miller.

Senate Bill 324

Relating to: limiting the times for voting by absentee ballots in person.

Senate Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 4 - Senators Lazich, Leibham, Lasee and Miller.

Noes: 1 - Senator L. Taylor.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Lazich, Leibham and Lasee.

Noes: 2 - Senators L. Taylor and Miller.

Senate Bill 655

Relating to: various changes in the campaign finance and lobbying laws.

Senate Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Lazich, Leibham, Lasee, L. Taylor and Miller.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Lazich, Leibham and Lasee.

Noes: 2 - Senators L. Taylor and Miller.

The committee on **Financial Institutions and Rural Issues** reports and recommends:

STEIN, DAVID, of Madison, as a Investment Experience 4 on the State of Wisconsin Investment Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2017.

Confirmation.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Schultz, Lasee, Petrowski, Lassa and Jauch.

Noes: 0.

DALE SCHULTZ

Chairperson

Committee on Financial Institutions and Rural Issues

The committee on **Health and Human Services** reports and recommends:

ALLISON, KRISTIN, of Monroe, as a Cosmetologist/Aesthetician on the Cosmetology Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2016.

Confirmation.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Vukmir, Moulton, Lazich, Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Noes: 0.

BRADEN, DR. MARK, of Lake Geneva, as a Dentist 1 on the Dentistry Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 8, 2018.

Confirmation.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Vukmir, Moulton, Lazich, Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Noes: 0.

DONOHOO, EILEEN, of Milwaukee, as a Dental Hygienist 2 on the Dentistry Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2018.

Confirmation.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Vukmir, Moulton, Lazich, Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Noes: 0.

GORDON, ALLISON, of Waukesha, as a Professional Counselor 2 on the Marriage and Family Therapy Professional Counseling and Social Work Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2018.

Confirmation.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Vukmir, Moulton, Lazich, Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Noes: 0.

WELTER, DR. BETH, of Prairie du Chien, as a Dentist 4 on the Dentistry Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2018.

Confirmation.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Vukmir, Moulton, Lazich, Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Noes: 0.

WILLIS, PATRICIA, of Waukesha, as a Speech/Language Pathologist 1 on the Hearing and Speech Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2018.

Confirmation.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Vukmir, Moulton, Lazich, Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Noes: 0.

ZONDAG, ROBERT, of Milwaukee, as a public member 1 on the Medical Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2018.

Confirmation.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Vukmir, Moulton, Lazich, Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Noes: 0.

Assembly Bill 120

Relating to: inadmissibility of a statement of apology or condolence by a health care provider.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Vukmir, Moulton and Lazich.

Noes: 2 - Senators Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Senate Bill 565

Relating to: Milwaukee County mental health functions, programs, and services, creation of the Milwaukee County Mental Health Board, and making an appropriation.

Senate Substitute Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Vukmir, Moulton, Lazich, Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Vukmir, Moulton and Lazich.

Noes: 2 - Senators Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Senate Bill 609

Relating to: authorizing out-of-state risk retention groups to provide health care liability insurance.

Passage.

Ayes: 4 - Senators Vukmir, Moulton, Lazich and Carpenter.

Noes: 1 - Senator Erpenbach.

LEAH VUKMIR

Chairperson

Committee on Health and Human Services

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

Assembly Bill 634

Relating to: statute of limitations for arson crimes and the definition of a Molotov cocktail.

Senate Amendment 1 introduction and adoption.

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

Noes: 0.

Concurrence as amended.

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

Noes: 0.

Assembly Bill 750

Relating to: preemption of local ordinances that require employees of a local governmental unit, employees of a contractor of a local governmental unit, or employees who perform work funded by a local governmental unit to be paid at a minimum wage rate specified in the ordinance and preemption of residency requirements for laborers, workers, mechanics, and truck drivers employed on local projects of public works to which the prevailing wage law applies.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Grothman, Vukmir and Farrow.

Noes: 2 - Senators Risser and Harris.

Senate Bill 626

Relating to: preemption of city, village, town, or county living wage ordinances with respect to employees who perform work that is funded, in whole or in part, with state funds and preemption of residency requirements for laborers, workers, mechanics, and truck drivers employed on local projects of public works to which the prevailing wage law applies who perform work that is funded with state funds.

Passage.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Grothman, Vukmir and Farrow.

Noes: 2 - Senators Risser and Harris.

GLENN GROTHMAN

Chairperson

Committee on Judiciary and Labor

The committee on **Senate Organization** reports:

Referred to, and withdrawn from, the Joint Committee on Finance, pursuant to Senate Rule 41 (1)(e):

Assembly Bill 695

Senate Bill 299

Senate Bill 342

Senate Bill 565

Senate Bill 577

Senate Bill 584

Ayes: 5 - Senators S. Fitzgerald, Ellis, Grothman, C. Larson and Hansen.

Noes: 0 - None.

Public hearing requirement waived, pursuant to Senate Rule 18 (1m):

Assembly Bill 24

Assembly Bill 89

Assembly Bill 606

Assembly Bill 655

Assembly Bill 768

Assembly Bill 770

Ayes: 5 - Senators S. Fitzgerald, Ellis, Grothman, C. Larson and Hansen.

Noes: 0 - None.

Placed the following appointments and proposals on the Senate Calendar of Tuesday, March 11, 2014:

Kristin Allison

Christine Anderson

Bruce Bowden

Dr. Mark Braden

Kristine Cotharn

Mayor Dan Devine

Eileen Donohoo

Matthew Fernholz

Allison Gordon

Jeffrey A. Joerres

Brian Mcgrath

Dr. Beth Welter

Patricia Willis

David Wilmoth

Robert Zondag

Assembly Joint Resolution 100

Senate Bill 73

Senate Bill 252

Senate Bill 265

Senate Bill 267

Senate Bill 338

Senate Bill 20

Senate Bill 226

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Assembly Bill 89

Assembly Bill 202

Assembly Bill 396

Assembly Bill 419

Assembly Bill 420

Assembly Bill 598

Assembly Bill 606

Assembly Bill 655

Assembly Bill 695

Assembly Bill 704

Assembly Bill 768

Assembly Bill 770

Ayes: 3 - Senators S. Fitzgerald, Ellis and Grothman.

Noes: 2 - C. Larson and Hansen.

SCOTT FITZGERALD

Chairperson

Committee on Senate Organization

The committee on **Transportation, Public Safety, and Veterans and Military Affairs** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 206

Relating to: special registration plates displaying the words Choose Life and making an appropriation.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham and Cowles.

Noes: 2 - Senators Carpenter and Hansen.

Assembly Bill 208

Relating to: special registration plates expressing support for the family members of law enforcement officers who have died in the line of duty and making an appropriation.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

Assembly Bill 244

Relating to: special distinguishing registration plates displaying the words In God We Trust and making an appropriation.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

Assembly Bill 409

Relating to: investigation of deaths involving a law enforcement officer.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

Assembly Bill 441

Relating to: information on a person who is required to register as a sex offender and notification of law enforcement when certain sex offenders change residential addresses.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

Assembly Bill 734

Relating to: powers and duties of the board of veterans affairs; reimbursement of veterans' tuition at tribal colleges; documentation for eligibility to veterans homes; operation of veterans homes; eligibility and procedural requirements for veterans home loans, veterans personal loans, county veterans service grants, and American Indian veterans grants; and funeral honors, burial, and disinterment of veterans.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

Assembly Bill 743

Relating to: the operation of all-terrain vehicles and utility terrain vehicles on highway bridges.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

Senate Bill 305

Relating to: special registration plates honoring this state's support of the United States Olympic Committee and making an appropriation.

Senate Amendment 1 introduction and adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

Senate Bill 509

Relating to: operation of agricultural vehicles on highways and providing a penalty.

Senate Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

Senate Bill 588

Relating to: pedestrians crossing railroad tracks and penalties for violations relating to railroad crossings and providing a penalty.

Senate Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

Senate Bill 613

Relating to: nonprofit organization grant program administered by the Department of Veterans Affairs; grant reduction, suspension, or termination and record-keeping and audit requirements for various grant programs administered by the Department of Veterans Affairs; providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures; and making an appropriation.

Senate Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

Senate Amendment 2 introduction and adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 4 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 1 - Senator Cowles.

Senate Bill 630

Relating to: the display of historical registration plates on collector vehicles.

Passage.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Petrowski, Leibham, Cowles, Carpenter and Hansen.

Noes: 0.

JERRY PETROWSKI

Chairperson

Committee on Transportation, Public Safety, and
Veterans and Military Affairs

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Lassa added as a
co-author of **Senate Bill 573**.