



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

One-Hundred and First Regular Session

11:10 A.M.

THURSDAY, March 13, 2014

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by Senator Petrowski.

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

CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 24** offered by Senator Leibham.

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 195** offered by Senator Hansen.

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 609** offered by Senator Darling.

Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 632** offered by Senator Vinehout.

Senate Amendment 3 to **Senate Bill 632** offered by Senator Vinehout.

Senate Amendment 4 to **Senate Bill 632** offered by Senator Vinehout.

Senate Amendment 5 to **Senate Bill 632** offered by Senator Vinehout.

Senate Amendment 6 to **Senate Bill 632** offered by Senator Vinehout.

BILLS PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR

The Chief Clerk records:

Senate Bill 284

Presented to the Governor on 3-13-2014.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

Senate Joint Resolution 84

Relating to: proclaiming May 2014 as Lyme disease awareness month.

By Senator Tiffany; cosponsored by Representative Kulp.

To committee on **Senate Organization**.

Senate Joint Resolution 85

Relating to: the persecution of Christians on a worldwide scale.

By Senator Grothman; cosponsored by Representative Jacque.

To committee on **Senate Organization**.

Senate Joint Resolution 87

Relating to: Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Awareness Month.

By Senators Harris, L. Taylor, Risser, Lehman, Hansen and Vinehout; cosponsored by Representatives Johnson, Mason, Spiros, Zamarripa, Sinicki, Sargent, Murphy, Ohnstad, Goyke, Pope, Bewley, Kaufert, Berceau, Young and Ringhand.

To committee on **Senate Organization**.

Senate Joint Resolution 88

Relating to: the registration of geographic indications pertaining to dairy terms traditionally used generically in the United States and worldwide.

By Senator Petrowski; cosponsored by Representative Petryk.

To committee on **Senate Organization**.

Read first time and referred:

Senate Joint Resolution 83

Relating to: the right to vote (first consideration).

By Senators Shilling, L. Taylor, Carpenter, T. Cullen, Erpenbach, Hansen, Harris, Jauch, C. Larson, Lassa, Lehman, Miller, Risser, Vinehout and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Riemer, Pasch, Barnes, Berceau, Billings, Doyle, Genrich, Goyke, Hebl, Hesselbein, Hulsey, Johnson, Kahl, Kessler, Kolste, Mason, Ohnstad, Pope, Sargent, Shankland, C. Taylor, Vruwink, Wachs, Wright, Young, Zamarripa, Zepnick and Bernard Schaber.

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

Senate Joint Resolution 86

Relating to: the appointment of supreme court justices (first consideration).

By Senators T. Cullen, Schultz, Jauch, Risser and Lehman; cosponsored by Representatives Bernard Schaber, Pope, Hintz, Kessler, Wachs and Hulsey.

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

Senate Bill 673

Relating to: unlawful use of a global positioning device and providing a penalty.

By Senators Grothman and Carpenter; cosponsored by Representatives Neylon, August, Strachota, Craig, Sanfelippo, Murphy, Bies, A. Ott, Marklein, Knudson, Czaja, Tranel, Kleefisch, Sinicki, Hintz, Hebl, C. Taylor, Vruwink and Nass.

To committee on **Judiciary and Labor**.

Senate Bill 674

Relating to: copying, making available, and required notices on, certain vital records.

By Senators Hansen, Schultz, Lehman and Harris; cosponsored by Representatives Genrich, Wright, Berceau, Ohnstad, Bewley, Jacque and Weininger.

To committee on **Health and Human Services**.

Senate Bill 675

Relating to: reducing certain redemption periods in foreclosure actions.

By Senator Grothman; cosponsored by Representative Craig.

To committee on **Insurance and Housing**.

Senate Bill 676

Relating to: education and training under Wisconsin Works; reducing Wisconsin Works benefits; a minimum copayment, maximum child care hours, and reducing income based on marriage for eligibility under Wisconsin Shares; changes to the food stamp program relating to financial eligibility for benefits, allowing an election to reduce benefits, recouping unused benefits, and prohibiting supplier discounts; prohibiting advertising concerning means-tested public assistance on radio or television; requiring consideration of the income and assets of all individuals in a household for purposes of eligibility for any means-tested public assistance; eligibility requirements for persons or families of low and moderate income to receive certain housing, housing assistance, grants, loans, or benefits from the Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority, the Department of Administration, and local housing authorities; reducing the authority of local housing authorities; eligibility requirement for purposes of receiving low-income energy assistance; prohibiting new claims under the earned income tax credit; limiting eligibility for the homestead tax credit; elimination of certain grant programs administered by the Higher Educational Aids Board and transfer of the unencumbered balances in the appropriations for those programs to the University of Wisconsin System for the purpose of tuition reduction; consideration of the income and assets of both parents of a student under 22 years of age for purposes of awarding a grant or scholarship to such a student and the permissible uses of grant or scholarship moneys awarded; income eligibility requirements for enrollment in a private school participating in a parental choice program; the school lunch program; and granting rule-making authority.

By Senator Grothman; cosponsored by Representative Craig.

To committee on **Health and Human Services**.

Senate Bill 677

Relating to: providing free tuition and fees for resident students enrolled in technical colleges and University of Wisconsin college campuses and making an appropriation.

By Senators Vinehout and Lehman; cosponsored by Representatives Wachs, Sargent, Ohnstad and Young.

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

Senate Bill 678

Relating to: proof of physical fitness requirement for certain local transit employees.

By Senator Risser; cosponsored by Representatives T. Larson and Smith.

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

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Education** reports and recommends:

Senate Bill 478

Relating to: school district expenditures for community programs and services and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.

Senate Substitute Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 9 - Senators Olsen, Farrow, Darling, Vukmir, Gudex, Lehman, T. Cullen, Harris and Vinehout.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 9 - Senators Olsen, Farrow, Darling, Vukmir, Gudex, Lehman, T. Cullen, Harris and Vinehout.

Noes: 0.

Senate Bill 598

Relating to: utilizing an alternative process for educator effectiveness.

Passage.

Ayes: 9 - Senators Olsen, Farrow, Darling, Vukmir, Gudex, Lehman, T. Cullen, Harris and Vinehout.

Noes: 0.

LUTHER OLSEN

Chairperson

Committee on Education

The committee on **Energy, Consumer Protection, and Government Reform** reports and recommends:

Senate Bill 644

Relating to: modifying the duties of a county clerk; the counties in which a board of election commissioners is required; and staffing of a board of election commissioners in populous counties.

Passage.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Cowles, Kedzie, Harsdorf, Hansen and Miller.

Noes: 0.

ROBERT COWLES

Chairperson

Energy, Consumer Protection, and Government Reform

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

Assembly Bill 295

Relating to: special distinguishing registration plates associated with the ALS Association and making an appropriation.

Concurrence.

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

Noes: 0.

Assembly Bill 577

Relating to: traffic control at nonfunctioning or malfunctioning traffic control signals.

Concurrence.

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

Noes: 0.

Senate Bill 639

Relating to: physical qualifications for a restricted commercial driver license.

Passage.

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

Noes: 0.

Senate Bill 646

Relating to: parking violations involving spaces reserved for persons with disabilities and providing a penalty.

Passage.

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

Noes: 0.

Senate Bill 647

Relating to: enforcement of parking violations involving spaces reserved for persons with disabilities.

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 648

Relating to: allowing county and municipal prisoners to be imprisoned in a bordering county within or outside of the state.

Passage.

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

Noes: 0.

Senate Bill 650

Relating to: parking spaces reserved for persons with physical disabilities.

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 659

Relating to: fraudulent motor vehicle emission inspection reports and providing a penalty.

Passage.

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

Noes: 0.

Senate Bill 668

Relating to: notifications to law enforcement officers and dissemination to the public when registered out-of-state sex offenders enter a community.

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

The committee on **Workforce Development, Forestry, Mining, and Revenue** reports and recommends:

Senate Bill 656

Relating to: defining prepared foods for purposes of imposing sales and use taxes.

Senate Substitute Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 4 - Senators Tiffany, Darling, Grothman and Jauch.

Noes: 1 - Senator Lehman.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 4 - Senators Tiffany, Darling, Grothman and Jauch.

Noes: 1 - Senator Lehman.

THOMAS TIFFANY

Chairperson

Committee on Workforce Development, Forestry, Mining, and Revenue

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

March 13, 2014

The Honorable, the Senate:

The following bill(s), originating in the Senate, have been approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Act Number</u>	<u>Date Approved</u>
Senate Bill 73	137	March 13, 2014

Sincerely,
SCOTT WALKER
Governor

Pursuant to s. 35.095 (1)(b), Wisconsin Statutes, the following 2013 Act(s) have been published:

<u>Act Number</u>	<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Publication Date</u>
Wisconsin Act 137	73	March 14, 2014

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Senate President**

March 13, 2014

The Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 46 (2)(c), I am writing to inform you that I have directed the following proposal to be withdrawn from committee and rereferred. I have obtained the consent of the appropriate standing committee chairperson and the chairperson of the committee on Senate Organization.

Assembly Bill 668, relating to: providing grants to counties that offer substance abuse treatment and diversion from incarceration and making an appropriation., withdrawn from Committee on **Health and Human Services** and rereferred to Committee on **Senate Organization**.

Sincerely,
MICHAEL G. ELLIS
Senate President

**REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF
COMMITTEE REPORTS CONCERNING
PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES**

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 13-094

Relating to temporary social worker credentials.
Submitted by Department of Safety and Professional Services.
Report received from Agency, March 12, 2014.
Referred to committee on **Health and Human Services**, March 13, 2014.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 13-104

Relating to milk hauler regulations, and affecting small business.
Submitted by Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection.
Report received from Agency, March 12, 2014.
Referred to committee on **Agriculture, Small Business, and Tourism**, March 13, 2014.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 13-106

Relating to quarterly wage reporting, settlement of disputes and compromise of liabilities, license revocation and financial record matching, business transfers, determining eligibility of benefits, unemployment insurance appeals and affecting small business.
Submitted by Department of Workforce Development.
Report received from Agency, March 12, 2014.
Referred to committee on **Workforce Development, Forestry, Mining, and Revenue**, March 13, 2014.

ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

March 13, 2014

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint SUSAN SCHAUMBURG, of Madison, as a WTCS Student Rep on the Wisconsin Technical College System Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2015.

Respectfully Submitted,
SCOTT WALKER
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Universities and Technical Colleges**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

March 13, 2014

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint CARRIE STEMPSKI, of Green Bay, as a Dental Hygienist on the Dentistry Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2018.

Respectfully Submitted,
SCOTT WALKER
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Health and Human Services**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

March 13, 2014

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint STEPHANIE WILLIAMS, of Middleton, as a Public- Geologist Section on the Examining Board of Professional Geologists, Hydrologists and Soil Scientists, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2017.

Respectfully Submitted,
SCOTT WALKER
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Natural Resources.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

March 13, 2014

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint DANNY WOLLIN, of

Green Bay, as a Credit Union Experience 4 on the Credit Union Review Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2019.

Respectfully Submitted,
SCOTT WALKER
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Financial Institutions and Rural Issues.**

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Petrowski, with unanimous consent, asked that the 2013 Regular Session of the Senate stand adjourned until Tuesday, March 18, 2014.

Adjourned.

11:11 A.M.