

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Family Law**

##### **Assembly Bill 581**

Relating to: advertising related to adoption or other permanent physical placements of a child, delegation of parental power regarding the care and custody of a child for more than one year, unauthorized interstate placements of children, requesting a study of adoption disruption and dissolution, and providing penalties.

By Representatives Kleefisch, Johnson, Tittl, Goyke, Sanfelippo, Kessler, Spiros, Hesselbein, Zepnick, Thiesfeldt, Milroy, Kulp, T. Larson, A. Ott, Berceau, Ohnstad, Ringhand, Vruwink, Sinicki, Bies, Richards, Pridemore, LeMahieu, Kaufert and Wright; cosponsored by Senators Leibham, Harris, Lassa, Miller, Lehman and Carpenter.

December 20, 2013 Referred to Committee on Family Law

January 15, 2014 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (7) Representative T. Larson; Representatives Williams, Tittl, Craig, Tranel, C. Taylor and Pasch.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (2) Representatives Kestell and Hebl.

##### Appearances For

- Joel Kleefisch - Rep. - 38th Assembly District - Author
- LaTonya Johnson - Rep. - 17th Assembly District
- Frederick Kessler - Rep. - 12th Assembly District
- Ashlee Moore - Rep. Joel Kleefisch

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- Colleen Ellingson - Coalition for Children, Youth, and Families
- Joe Leibham - Sen. - 9th Senate District
- Kathy Markeland - WI Ass'n of Family and Children's Agencies

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

January 28, 2014

**Executive Session Held**

Present: (8) Representative T. Larson; Representatives Kestell, Tittl, Craig, Tranel, C. Taylor, Pasch and Hebl.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Representative Williams.

Moved by Representative Hebl, seconded by Representative Kestell that **Assembly Amendment 3** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (8) Representative T. Larson; Representatives Kestell, Tittl, Craig, Tranel, C. Taylor, Pasch and Hebl.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Williams.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 3 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,  
Ayes 8, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Hebl, seconded by Representative Taylor that **Assembly Amendment 1 to Assembly Amendment 4** be recommended for introduction and adoption.

Ayes: (8) Representative T. Larson; Representatives Kestell, Tittl, Craig, Tranel, C. Taylor, Pasch and Hebl.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Williams.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1 TO ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT  
4 INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes  
8, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Hebl, seconded by Representative Taylor that **Assembly Amendment 4** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (8) Representative T. Larson; Representatives Kestell, Tittl, Craig, Tranel, C. Taylor, Pasch and Hebl.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Williams.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 4 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,  
Ayes 8, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Tittl, seconded by Representative Taylor that **Assembly Bill 581** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (8) Representative T. Larson; Representatives Kestell, Tittl, Craig, Tranel, C. Taylor, Pasch and Hebl.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Williams.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 0

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Matt Pulda  
Committee Clerk