

STATE OF WISCONSIN

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FRIDAY, February 27, 2015

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

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read and referred:

Senate Joint Resolution 13

Relating to: congratulating Bruce Larson on being named the 2015 Don Shula NFL National High School Coach of the Year.

By Senator Harsdorf; cosponsored by Representatives Jarchow, Knudson and Murtha.

To committee on **Senate Organization**.

Read first time and referred:

Senate Bill 47

Relating to: responding to a request for an absentee ballot.

By Senators Harsdorf, LeMahieu, Petrowski, Lassa, Marklein, Nass, Cowles, Vinehout, Moulton and Wanggaard; cosponsored by Representatives Horlacher, Allen, Ballweg, Berceau, E. Brooks, R. Brooks, Gannon, Heaton, Jacque, Jarchow, Kapenga, Katsma, Kremer, Murphy, Mursau, Murtha, Quinn, Steffen, Thiesfeldt, Tittl and Weatherston.

To committee on **Elections and Local Government**.

Senate Bill 48

Relating to: the appointment and term of service of the secretary of natural resources and vacancies on the Natural Resources Board.

By Senators Wirch, Bewley, Carpenter, Erpenbach, Hansen, Harris Dodd, C. Larson, Lassa, Miller and Vinehout; cosponsored by Representatives Hesselbein, Berceau, Billings, Bowen, Brostoff, Considine, Danou, Hebl, Jorgensen, Kolste, Mason, Meyers, Milroy, Ohnstad, Pope, Sargent, Shankland, Spreitzer, Subeck and Wachs.

To committee on **Natural Resources and Energy**.

Senate Bill 49

Relating to: elimination of the requirement that laborers, workers, mechanics, and truck drivers employed on the site of a project of public works be paid the prevailing wage.

By Senators Vukmir, Nass, Wanggaard, Lasee, LeMahieu and Moulton; cosponsored by Representatives Hutton, Sanfelippo, Jacque, Knodl, Kapenga, Craig, Kooyenga, Allen, August, Ballweg, Bernier, Born, Brandtjen, E. Brooks, R. Brooks, Czaja, Gannon, Jagler, Jarchow, Katsma, Kleefisch, Knudson, Kremer, Kuglitsch, Kulp, T. Larson,

Neylon, J. Ott, Petersen, Schraa, Skowronski, Swearingen, Thiesfeldt, Tittl and Weatherston.

To committee on **Labor and Government Reform**.

Senate Bill 50

Relating to: industrial zoning requirements in tax incremental districts, planning commission notice for tax incremental district amendments, obsolete references relating to tax incremental districts, allocation of tax increments, joint review board review, and calculation of levy limits following dissolution of a tax incremental district.

By **Joint Legislative Council**

To committee on **Economic Development and Commerce**.

Senate Bill 51

Relating to: standing joint review boards, annual joint review board meetings, annual reports on tax incremental districts, and granting rule-making authority.

By **Joint Legislative Council**

To committee on **Economic Development and Commerce**.

Senate Bill 52

Relating to: modifying the requirements for sharing tax increments by tax incremental districts, limiting the participation of certain special purpose districts in tax incremental district financing, and authorizing any tax incremental district to use allocated tax increments donated from another tax incremental district.

By **Joint Legislative Council**

To committee on **Economic Development and Commerce**.

Senate Bill 53

Relating to: tax incremental financing project plan amendments and extending the life of a tax incremental district if the district is adversely impacted by statutory changes to the method of calculating equalized valuation.

By **Joint Legislative Council**

To committee on **Economic Development and Commerce**.

Senate Bill 54

Relating to: inclusion of vacant land within the boundaries of a tax incremental district and exclusion of tax-exempt city-owned property from the initial tax incremental base of a tax incremental district.

By **Joint Legislative Council**

To committee on **Economic Development and Commerce**.

Senate Bill 55

Relating to: limits on TID creation as measured by total TID value.

By **Joint Legislative Council**

To committee on **Economic Development and Commerce**.

Senate Bill 56

Relating to: designation of tax incremental districts as distressed or severely distressed districts.

By **Joint Legislative Council**

To committee on **Economic Development and Commerce**.

Senate Bill 57

Relating to: redetermination of base value for tax incremental districts.

By **Joint Legislative Council**

To committee on **Economic Development and Commerce**.

Senate Bill 58

Relating to: legislative and congressional redistricting.

By Senators Hansen, Harris Dodd, Bewley, Carpenter, C. Larson, Miller, Ringhand, Risser, L. Taylor, Vinehout and Wirsch; cosponsored by Representatives Spreitzer, Considine, Bowen, Brostoff, Meyers, Subeck, Stuck, Barca, Barnes, Berceau, Billings, Danou, Doyle, Genrich, Goyke, Hebl, Hesselbein, Hintz, Johnson, Jorgensen, Kahl, Kolste, Mason, Milroy, Novak, Ohnstad, Pope, Riemer, Sargent, Shankland, Sinicki, C. Taylor, Wachs, Zamarripa and Zepnick.

To committee on **Education Reform and Government Operations**.

Senate Bill 59

Relating to: University of Wisconsin System reports regarding remedial courses in English and mathematics.

By Senators Roth, Gudex, Nass and Marklein; cosponsored by Representatives Jagler, Vorpapel, Steffen, Knudson, Sanfelippo, Petersen, R. Brooks, E. Brooks, T. Larson, Kooyenga, Weatherston, Quinn, Krug, Kerkman, Tranel, Ripp, Tittl, Born, A. Ott, Novak, Knodl and Jarchow.

To committee on **Education Reform and Government Operations**.

Senate Bill 60

Relating to: taste samples of fermented apple cider provided by a winery.

By Senators Miller, Gudex, Ringhand, Erpenbach, L. Taylor and Lazich; cosponsored by Representatives Kooyenga, Danou, Berceau, Subeck, Thiesfeldt, Brostoff and Ohnstad.

To committee on **Agriculture, Small Business, and Tourism**.

Senate Bill 61

Relating to: contract and lease language that limits a party's access to procedural or substantive rights.

By Senator Miller; cosponsored by Representatives Hebl, Hintz, Subeck, Pope, Berceau, Sinicki and Wachs.

To committee on **Judiciary and Public Safety**.

Senate Bill 62

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

By Senators Hansen, Bewley and Ringhand; cosponsored by Representatives Berceau, Bowen, Brostoff, Jacque, Ohnstad, Quinn and Sinicki.

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

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU CORRECTIONS

CORRECTIONS IN:

2015 SENATE BILL 43

Prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau
(February 27, 2015)

1. Page 3, line 15: after that line insert:

“**SECTION 2h.** 968.20 (1) (a) and (b) of the statutes are renumbered 968.20 (1g) (a) and (b).”.

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

February 27, 2015

The Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 46 (2)(c), I am writing to inform you that I have directed the following appointment 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.

HUEBSCH, MICHAEL, of West Salem, as Commissioner of the Public Service Commission, to serve for the term ending March 1, 2021., withdrawn from Committee on **Workforce Development, Public Works, and Military Affairs** and rereferred to Committee on **Natural Resources and Energy**.

Sincerely,
MARY LAZICH
Senate President

**State of Wisconsin
Joint Legislative Council**

February 25, 2015

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to transmit to you the following reports to the 2015-16 Legislature on legislation introduced by the Joint Legislative Council as well as activities of this committee:

- JLCR 2015-01 Study Committee on the Student Achievement Guarantee in Education (SAGE) Program (2015 Senate Bills 31 and 32).

- JLCR 2015-03 Study Committee on Problem-Solving Courts, Alternatives, and Diversions (2015 Assembly Bills 50, 51, and 52).
- JLCR 2015-05 Study Committee on Adoption Disruption and Dissolution (2015 Assembly Bills 39, 40, 41, and 42).

I would appreciate your including this letter in the Journal for the information of the membership. Additional copies of this report are available to the Legislative Council offices, One East Main, Suite 401, or from our web page at <http://www.legis.state.wi.us/lc/>

Sincerely,
TERRY C. ANDERSON
Director

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

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 14-056

Relating to water treatment devices.

Submitted by Department of Safety and Professional Services.

Report received from Agency, February 23, 2015.

Referred to committee on **Natural Resources and Energy**, February 27, 2015.