# STATE OF WISCONSIN Senate Journal

## **One-Hundred and Second Regular Session**

## MONDAY, April 20, 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 30**

Relating to: designating May as Building Safety Month in Wisconsin.

By Senators Erpenbach and Ringhand; cosponsored by Representatives Hesselbein, Kahl, Milroy, Sargent, Ohnstad, Kolste, Johnson, Berceau, Goyke, Spreitzer, Subeck and Considine.

To committee on Senate Organization.

## **Senate Joint Resolution 31**

Relating to: honoring the life and contributions of former Secretary of Administration and Chairman of the BMO Harris Bradley Center, Marc Marotta.

By Senators L. Taylor, Shilling, Hansen, C. Larson, Wirch, Cowles, Nass, Miller, Risser, Bewley, Ringhand, S. Fitzgerald, Vinehout, Lassa, Erpenbach, Olsen, Harris Dodd and Lazich; cosponsored by Representatives Barca, Zepnick, Kessler, Shankland, Murphy, Mason, Sargent, A. Ott, Sinicki, Kahl, Subeck, Bowen, Vorpagel, Jagler, Genrich, Pope, Milroy, C. Taylor, Danou, Thiesfeldt, Goyke, Riemer, Kerkman, Johnson, Ballweg, Ohnstad, Jorgensen, Spreitzer, Kitchens, Zamarripa, Spiros and Berceau.

To committee on Senate Organization.

Read first time and referred:

## Senate Bill 124

Relating to: grants to certain small businesses that receive federal grants.

By Senators Lassa, Ringhand and Vinehout; cosponsored by Representatives Kahl, Kolste, C. Taylor, Mason, Genrich, Doyle, Barca, Spreitzer, Subeck, Sinicki, Brostoff, Goyke, Considine, Ohnstad, Berceau and Zamarripa.

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

#### Senate Bill 125

Relating to: access to investigational drugs, devices, and biological products and limitations on liability related to their use.

By Senators Risser, Ringhand, Miller, L. Taylor, Harris Dodd and Lassa; cosponsored by Representatives Kleefisch,

Hesselbein, Kahl, Berceau, Ohnstad, Sargent, Subeck, Pope, Sinicki, C. Taylor, Quinn, Johnson, Vorpagel, Steffen, Milroy, Horlacher, Edming, Bowen, Novak, Craig, Kitchens, Kooyenga, Kremer, Kulp and R. Brooks.

To committee on Health and Human Services.

#### Senate Bill 126

Relating to: immunity from civil liability for certain equine activities.

By Senators Wanggaard, Nass, Vinehout, Cowles, Petrowski, Moulton and Farrow; cosponsored by Representatives Kapenga, Kerkman, Jacque, Weatherston, Czaja, Edming, Quinn, Horlacher, Knodl, Petryk, Kulp, Gannon, Thiesfeldt and Tauchen.

To committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

#### Senate Bill 127

Relating to: variable rate loans.

By Senators LeMahieu and Wanggaard; cosponsored by Representatives Katsma, Doyle, R. Brooks, Macco, Thiesfeldt, Sanfelippo, A. Ott, Nygren, Tittl, Kremer, Brandtjen, Kapenga, Craig, Skowronski, Weatherston, Knodl, Vorpagel, Allen, Horlacher, Jarchow and Steffen.

To committee on **Revenue**, **Financial Institutions**, and **Rural Issues**.

### Senate Bill 128

Relating to: repealing rules promulgated by the Department of Natural Resources.

By Senators Petrowski, Gudex and Tiffany; cosponsored by Representatives Edming, Ballweg, R. Brooks, Czaja, Horlacher, Kleefisch, Kulp, Murphy, Murtha, Quinn and Skowronski.

To committee on Natural Resources and Energy.

#### Senate Bill 129

Relating to: school district accountability reports.

By Senator Harsdorf; cosponsored by Representative Jarchow.

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

#### Senate Bill 130

Relating to: adopting federal law as it relates to an income tax deduction for certain educators.

By Senators Marklein, Lassa, Moulton, Vinehout, Wanggaard and LeMahieu; cosponsored by Representatives Novak, Jacque, T. Larson, E. Brooks, Ripp, A. Ott, Petersen, Thiesfeldt, Knudson, Macco, Knodl, Kremer, Bernier, Quinn, Subeck, Murphy, Tranel, Kleefisch, Born, Petryk, Vorpagel, Horlacher, Kitchens and Rodriguez. To committee on **Revenue**, **Financial Institutions**, and **Rural Issues**.

## Senate Bill 131

Relating to: immunity of private campgrounds.

By Senators LeMahieu, Lasee, Nass, Olsen and Tiffany; cosponsored by Representatives Kitchens, Jacque, Allen, Ballweg, E. Brooks, Czaja, Edming, Horlacher, Kleefisch, Knodl, Krug, Murphy, A. Ott, Quinn and Ripp.

To committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

## Senate Bill 132

Relating to: regulating the use of vapor products.

By Senators Nass and Lasee; cosponsored by Representatives Kleefisch, Bernier, Brandtjen, Craig, Gannon, Horlacher, Jarchow, Knodl, Kremer, Murphy, Mursau, R. Brooks, Steffen, Swearingen and Weatherston.

To committee on Health and Human Services.

## Senate Bill 133

Relating to: penalty for hiding or burying a corpse illegally and providing a penalty.

By Senators Harsdorf and Nass; cosponsored by Representatives Murtha, Kleefisch, Berceau, E. Brooks, Knodl, T. Larson, Murphy and Kitchens.

To committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

## **REPORT OF COMMITTEES**

The committee on Senate Organization reports:

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

Assembly Bill 28 Assembly Bill 56 Assembly Bill 83 Assembly Bill 113 Assembly Bill 122 Assembly Bill 125 Assembly Bill 126 Assembly Bill 143

Ayes: 5 - Senators S. Fitzgerald, Lazich, Farrow, Shilling and Hansen.

Noes: 0 - None.

Placed the following appointments and proposals on the Senate Calendar of Tuesday, April 21, 2015:

Deputy Secretary Ray Allen Kathryn Curren Jeffery Feldt Michael Huebsch Dave M. Maxwell William L Quackenbush Kevin L. Shafer Senate Joint Resolution 9 Senate Joint Resolution 11 Senate Joint Resolution 19 Senate Joint Resolution 22 Senate Joint Resolution 23 Senate Joint Resolution 24 **Senate Joint Resolution 29** Senate Bill 35 Senate Bill 47 Senate Bill 73 Senate Bill 74 **Assembly Joint Resolution 9 Assembly Joint Resolution 21 Assembly Joint Resolution 22 Assembly Joint Resolution 24 Assembly Bill 28 Assembly Bill 56 Assembly Bill 83** Assembly Bill 113 **Assembly Bill 122 Assembly Bill 125 Assembly Bill 126 Assembly Bill 143** 

Ayes: 5 - Senators S. Fitzgerald, Lazich, Farrow, Shilling and Hansen.

Noes: 0 - None.

SCOTT FITZGERALD Chairperson Committee on Senate Organization

## 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 82

Ayes: 5 - Senators S. Fitzgerald, Lazich, Farrow, Shilling and Hansen.

Noes: 0 - None.

Amended the Senate Calendar of Tuesday, April 21, 2015 by removing **Senate Bill 73** and adding **Senate Joint Resolution 30**, designating May as Building Safety Month and **Assembly Bill 82**, relating to: instruments filed or recorded with, and fees charged by, the register of deeds.

Ayes: 5 - Senators S. Fitzgerald, Lazich, Farrow, Shilling and Hansen.

Noes: 0 - None.

SCOTT FITZGERALD Chairperson Committee on Senate Organization

## **PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS**

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Riemer added as a co-sponsor of **Senate Bill 122**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Subeck added as a co-sponsor of **Senate Bill 121**.

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

## Senate Clearinghouse Rule 13-071

Relating to deer management.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

Report received from Agency, April 15, 2015.

Referred to committee on Sporting Heritage, Mining, and Forestry, April 20, 2015.

## Senate Clearinghouse Rule 14-064

Relating to entrance examinations.

Submitted by Department of Safety and Professional Services.

Report received from Agency, April 17, 2015.

Referred to committee on Agriculture, Small Business, and Tourism, April 20, 2015.

## Senate Clearinghouse Rule 14-066

Relating to medical assistance (MA) coverage for outpatient mental health services.

Submitted by Department of Health Services.

Report received from Agency, April 7, 2015.

Referred to committee on **Health and Human Services**, April 20, 2015.

## Senate Clearinghouse Rule 14-071

Relating to holding company reporting requirements for insurers and affecting small business.

Submitted by Office of the Commissioner of Insurance.

Report received from Agency, April 16, 2015.

Referred to committee on **Insurance**, Housing, and **Trade**, April 20, 2015.

## Senate Clearinghouse Rule 15-012

Relating to changes as a result of 2013 Wisconsin Act 115.

Submitted by Department of Public Instruction.

Report received from Agency, April 13, 2015.

Referred to committee on Education, April 20, 2015.

The committee on **Agriculture**, **Small Business**, and **Tourism** reports and recommends:

## Senate Clearinghouse Rule 14-007

Relating to the clean sweep program.

No action taken on April 17, 2015.

Referred to joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules**, April 20, 2015.

TERRY MOULTON Chairperson

## **ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE**

## State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 20, 2015

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint GEORGE JACOBS JR., of Madison, as a Public Member on the Wisconsin Historical Society Board of Curators, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2016.

Respectfully Submitted, SCOTT WALKER Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Agriculture**, **Small Business**, and **Tourism**.

## State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 20, 2015

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint LARRY KUTSCHMA, of Lake Geneva, as a member from Congressional District 1 on the Board of Veterans Affairs, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2019.

Respectfully Submitted, SCOTT WALKER Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Transportation and Veterans Affairs**.

> State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

## April 20, 2015

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint LEIGH NEVILLE-NEIL, of Green Bay, as a member from Congressional District 8 on the Board of Veterans Affairs, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2017.

Respectfully Submitted, SCOTT WALKER Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Transportation and Veterans Affairs**.

## State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 20, 2015

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint PAUL PALMBY, of Janesville, as an Agriculture Representative on the Board of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2021.

Respectfully Submitted, SCOTT WALKER Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Agriculture, Small Business, and Tourism**.

## State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 20, 2015

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint DOUGLAS WOLF, of Lancaster, as an Agricultural Representative 3 on the Board of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2021.

Respectfully Submitted, SCOTT WALKER Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Agriculture, Small Business, and Tourism**.

## MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY CONSIDERED

## **Assembly Joint Resolution 23**

Relating to: remembrance of April 24, 2015, as the 100th Anniversary of the Armenian Genocide.

By Representatives Weatherston, Barca, Bernier, Brandtjen, Goyke, Jacque, Kerkman, Kitchens, Mason, Murtha, Ohnstad, Petryk, Riemer, Ripp, Rodriguez, Schraa, Shankland, Skowronski, Spreitzer, C. Taylor, Tittl and Zepnick; cosponsored by Senators Wanggaard, Hansen, Harris Dodd, C. Larson, Lazich, Marklein, L. Taylor and Wirch.

Read and referred to committee on Senate Organization

## **Assembly Bill 114**

Relating to: falsely claiming military service or honors, and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Steffen, Petryk, Jacque, Brandtjen, Kitchens, Tittl, Knodl, Kulp, Rohrkaste, A. Ott, Spiros, Jagler, E. Brooks, T. Larson, Mursau, Hesselbein, Bernier, R. Brooks, Quinn, Murphy, Weatherston, Horlacher, Edming, Allen, Sinicki, Born, Kleefisch, Genrich and Hintz; cosponsored by Senators Roth, Nass, Petrowski, Moulton, Farrow, Gudex, Cowles, Olsen and L. Taylor.

Read first time and referred to committee on Judiciary and Public Safety