

# STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Senate Journal

## One-Hundred and Second Regular Session

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WEDNESDAY, January 6, 2016

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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 326** offered by Senator Cowles.

Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 332** offered by Senator Olsen.

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 333** offered by Senator Harsdorf.

Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 443** offered by Senator Marklein.

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 457** offered by Senator Wanggaard.

### INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

#### **Senate Bill 500**

Relating to: restitution owed to victims of crime.

By Senators Olsen, Wanggaard, Darling, Erpenbach, Gudex, Harsdorf, Kapenga, Lasee, LeMahieu, Moulton, Roth, Shilling and Vukmir; cosponsored by Representatives Hutton, Kleefisch, Ballweg, E. Brooks, Brostoff, Czaja, Goyke, Horlacher, Jarchow, Johnson, Kahl, Knodl, Kooyenga, Murphy, Novak, Nygren, Schraa, Shankland, Skowronski, C. Taylor, Thiesfeldt and Ohnstad.

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

#### **Senate Bill 501**

Relating to: requiring sexual abuse prevention education.

By Senators Petrowski, Carpenter, Lassa, Olsen and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Spiros, Sargent, Kulp, Johnson, Zepnick, Kahl, Billings, Skowronski, Horlacher, Rohrkaste, E. Brooks, Ohnstad, Milroy, Berceau, Allen, Knodl, Subeck, A. Ott, Sinicki, Spreitzer, Mursau, Pope and C. Taylor.

To committee on **Education**.

#### **Senate Bill 502**

Relating to: eliminating the Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions.

By Senators LeMahieu, Tiffany, Kapenga, Marklein, Nass, Stroebel and Wanggaard; cosponsored by Representatives Hesselbein, August, Swearingen, R. Brooks, Gannon, Horlacher, Katsma, Kleefisch, Kooyenga, Knodl, Knudson, Ohnstad, Rohrkaste and Skowronski.

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

#### **Senate Bill 503**

Relating to: individual and corporate income and franchise taxes; sales and use taxes; administration of tax laws; providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures; and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.

By Senators Marklein, Gudex, Olsen and Roth; cosponsored by Representatives Macco, Kooyenga, Katsma, Jarchow, Novak, Tauchen, Duchow, Knodl, E. Brooks, R. Brooks, Jacque and Murphy.

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

#### **Senate Bill 504**

Relating to: removal of vegetation obstructing certain outdoor advertising signs along highways.

By Senators Olsen, Lasee, Marklein and Nass; cosponsored by Representatives Kulp, Krug, Kleefisch, T. Larson, Hutton, Horlacher, Allen and Quinn.

To committee on **Transportation and Veterans Affairs**.

#### **Senate Bill 505**

Relating to: exempting from nonresident tuition at the University of Wisconsin System certain members of the Wisconsin National Guard or a reserve unit of the U.S. armed forces.

By Senators Petrowski, Marklein, Harris Dodd, Lassa, LeMahieu and Vukmir; cosponsored by Representatives Heaton, Ballweg, Bernier, Billings, Brandtjen, E. Brooks, R. Brooks, Edming, Gannon, Horlacher, Kleefisch, Knodl, Kremer, Loudonbeck, Milroy, Murtha, A. Ott, Petryk, Rohrkaste, Sinicki, Spiros, Thiesfeldt, Weatherston and Zepnick.

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

#### **Senate Bill 506**

Relating to: a sales and use tax exemption for federal excise tax imposed on a sale of a heavy truck or trailer.

By Senators Petrowski, Marklein, Olsen, Ringhand, Stroebel and Wanggaard; cosponsored by Representatives Bernier, August, Ballweg, E. Brooks, Gannon, Horlacher, Jarchow, Knodl, Kremer, T. Larson, Murphy, Sanfelippo and Skowronski.

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

**Senate Bill 507**

Relating to: copies of certain vital records.

By Senators Wanggaard, Kapenga, Bewley, Stroebel, Olsen, Gudex, Harsdorf, Lasee, Marklein, Ringhand and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Ballweg, Tranel, Born, E. Brooks, Edming, Gannon, Goyke, Hintz, Horlacher, Jagler, Kerkman, Knodl, Kolste, Kremer, T. Larson, Loudenbeck, Macco, Mason, A. Ott, Rohrkaste, Schraa, Spiros, Steffen, Subeck, C. Taylor, VanderMeer, Weatherston, Quinn and Ohnstad.

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

**Senate Bill 508**

Relating to: hauling restrictions for special interest motor vehicles.

By Senator Olsen; cosponsored by Representatives Murtha, Edming, Horlacher, Kulp, Mursau, Petryk, Ripp, Spiros, Weatherston and E. Brooks.

To committee on **Transportation and Veterans Affairs.**

**Senate Bill 509**

Relating to: seasonal weight limitations for certain vehicles transporting agricultural crops.

By Senators Petrowski, Moulton and Olsen; cosponsored by Representatives Spiros, E. Brooks, R. Brooks, Hutton, Ripp, Skowronski and T. Larson.

To committee on **Transportation and Veterans Affairs.**

**Senate Bill 510**

Relating to: compensating victims of crime.

By Senators Petrowski, Wanggaard, Harris Dodd, Olsen and L. Taylor; cosponsored by Representatives Hutton, Ballweg, E. Brooks, Horlacher, Jarchow, Kleefisch, Knodl, Kremer, T. Larson, Ripp, Rohrkaste, Subeck and Tittl.

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

**Senate Bill 511**

Relating to: creating a Distance Learning Authorization Board and making an appropriation.

By Senator Harsdorf; cosponsored by Representative Ballweg.

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

**Senate Bill 512**

Relating to: dairy plant and food processing plant licensing requirements and granting rule-making authority.

By Senators Moulton and Marklein; cosponsored by Representatives Nerison, E. Brooks, Ballweg, Hutton, T. Larson, Murphy, Murtha, A. Ott and Tauchen.

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

**Senate Bill 513**

Relating to: regulation of establishments where animals are slaughtered or meat is processed, and granting rule-making authority.

By Senators Moulton and Ringhand; cosponsored by Representatives Nerison, Ballweg, E. Brooks, T. Larson, Murtha, A. Ott and Tauchen.

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

**Senate Bill 514**

Relating to: penalties for violating commercial feed requirements and providing a criminal penalty.

By Senators Moulton and Stroebel; cosponsored by Representatives Nerison, Kulp, Ballweg, E. Brooks, Horlacher, T. Larson, A. Ott and Tauchen.

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

**Senate Bill 515**

Relating to: a regional revolving loan fund grant program administered by the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation and making an appropriation.

By Senators Gudex, Darling, Petrowski, Marklein and Wanggaard; cosponsored by Representatives Nygren, Krug and Petryk.

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

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## REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Natural Resources and Energy** reports and recommends:

**Assembly Bill 372**

Relating to: membership of the board of commissioners of public inland lake protection and rehabilitation districts.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Cowles, Lasee, Olsen, Miller and Wirch.

Noes: 0.

**Senate Bill 243**

Relating to: approval, reporting, and fee requirements for certain wells.

Senate Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Cowles, Lasee, Olsen, Miller and Wirch.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Cowles, Lasee and Olsen.

Noes: 2 - Senators Miller and Wirch.

**Senate Bill 331**

Relating to: membership of the board of commissioners of public inland lake protection and rehabilitation districts.

Senate Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Cowles, Lasee, Olsen, Miller and Wirch.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Cowles, Lasee, Olsen, Miller and Wirch.

Noes: 0.

**Senate Bill 340**

Relating to: recycling grants for local governments and making an appropriation.

Senate Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Cowles, Lasee, Olsen, Miller and Wirch.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Cowles, Lasee, Olsen, Miller and Wirch.

Noes: 0.

*ROBERT COWLES*

Chairperson  
Committee on Natural Resources and Energy

The committee on **Workforce Development, Public Works, and Military Affairs** reports and recommends:

**Assembly Bill 212**

Relating to: acts of concealment and misrepresentations in filing for or claiming unemployment insurance benefits.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Roth, Gudex and Stroebel.

Noes: 2 - Senators C. Larson and Lassa.

**Assembly Bill 319**

Relating to: conveying interests in local government land for construction of natural gas lines.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Roth, Gudex, Stroebel, C. Larson and Lassa.

Noes: 0.

**Senate Bill 231**

Relating to: conveying interests in local government land for construction of natural gas lines.

Passage.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Roth, Gudex, Stroebel, C. Larson and Lassa.

Noes: 0.

*ROGER ROTH*

Chairperson  
Committee on Workforce Development, Public Works, and Military Affairs

**PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS**

**State of Wisconsin  
Government Accountability Board**

January 5, 2016

The Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to Wis. Stats. §13.685 (7), we are providing the enclosed information. Please visit the Government Accountability Board's *Eye on Lobbying* web site,

<https://lobbying.wi.gov>, for more detailed information about lobbyists, lobbying principals (organizations), and state agency liaisons.

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Sincerely,  
*KEVIN KENNEDY*  
Director and General Counsel

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

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 15-055**

Relating to appeal procedures for vocational rehabilitation services.

Submitted by Department of Workforce Development.

Report received from Agency, January 5, 2016.

Referred to committee on **Workforce Development, Public Works, and Military Affairs**, January 6, 2016.

The committee on **Transportation and Veterans Affairs** reports and recommends:

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 15-063**

Relating to contractual services procurement.

No action taken on January 5, 2016.

Referred to joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules**, January 6, 2016.

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 15-071**

Relating to transportation network companies.

No action taken on January 5, 2016.

Referred to joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules**, January 6, 2016.

*JERRY PETROWSKI*  
Chairperson

**ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE**

**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor**

January 6, 2016

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint ANDREW ALBRIGHT, of Sun Prairie, as a Landscape Architect on the Examining Board of Architects, Landscape Architects, Professional Engineers, Designers and Land Surveyors, to serve for the term ending July 5, 2019.

Respectfully Submitted,  
*SCOTT WALKER*  
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Economic Development and Commerce.**

**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor**

January 6, 2016

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint LAURA O'BRIEN, of Oregon, as an Occupational Therapist on the Occupational Therapists Affiliated Credentialing Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2019.

Respectfully Submitted,  
*SCOTT WALKER*  
Governor

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

**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor**

January 6, 2016

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint SUSAN SHORE, of Wausau, as a Public Member on the Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority, to serve for the term ending January 1, 2020.

Respectfully Submitted,  
*SCOTT WALKER*  
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Insurance, Housing, and Trade.**

**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor**

January 6, 2016

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint YASH WADHWA, of Glendale, as Commissioner of Railroads of Office of the Commission of Railroads, to serve for the term ending March 1, 2017.

Respectfully Submitted,  
*SCOTT WALKER*  
Governor

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

**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor**

January 6, 2016

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint GREGORY WINKLER, of Janesville, as a Licensed Clinical Representative on the Marriage and Family Therapy Professional Counseling and Social Work Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2019.

Respectfully Submitted,  
*SCOTT WALKER*  
Governor

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