

# STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Senate Journal

## One-Hundred and Second Regular Session

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TUESDAY, February 2, 2016

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

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### CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES

#### AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 42** offered by Senator Moulton.

Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Substitute Amendment 3 to **Senate Bill 131** offered by Senator LeMahieu.

Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 295** offered by Senator LeMahieu.

Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 456** offered by Senator Stroebel.

Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 503** offered by Senator Marklein.

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 550** offered by Senator LeMahieu.

Senate Amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 566** offered by Senator Petrowski.

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 604** offered by Senator Marklein.

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 690** offered by Senator Gudex.

Senate Substitute Amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 41** offered by Senator LeMahieu.

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

Read first time and referred:

#### **Senate Bill 697**

Relating to: motor vehicle event data recorders, prohibited insurance practices related to accessing or using information collected by event data recorders, and providing a penalty.

By Senators Stroebel, Lasee, Nass, Tiffany, LeMahieu, Moulton, Carpenter and C. Larson; cosponsored by Representatives Kremer, Quinn, Horlacher, A. Ott, Thiesfeldt, Duchow, Tauchen and Tittl.

To committee on **Government Operations and Consumer Protection**.

#### **Senate Bill 698**

Relating to: duties and powers of the Department of Safety and Professional Services concerning certain credentialing and occupational licensing functions; mandatory meeting requirements for various boards and councils; membership and rules procedures of certain boards; discipline and examination and other licensure requirements for certain professionals; plumbing and fire protection systems and swimming pool plan review; requiring the exercise of rule-making authority; making appropriations; and providing penalties.

By Senator Stroebel; cosponsored by Representative Vorpagel.

To committee on **Government Operations and Consumer Protection**.

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### REPORT OF COMMITTEES

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

#### **Senate Bill 615**

Relating to: special needs scholarship program.

Passage.

Ayes: 4 - Senators Olsen, Darling, Vukmir and Nass.

Noes: 3 - Senators C. Larson, Risser and Bewley.

#### **Senate Bill 640**

Relating to: independent financial audits of private schools participating in a parental choice program, a civics exam as a condition for obtaining a high school diploma, and factors for determining school and school district performance on the school and school district accountability report.

Passage.

Ayes: 7 - Senators Olsen, Darling, Vukmir, Nass, C. Larson, Risser and Bewley.

Noes: 0.

*LUTHER OLSEN*

Chairperson

Committee on Education

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The committee on **Insurance, Housing, and Trade** reports and recommends:

**HOZE, COREY**, of Milwaukee, as a Public Member on the Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority, to serve for the term ending January 1, 2019.

Confirmation.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Lasee, Olsen, Roth, Bewley and Harris Dodd.

Noes: 0.

**SHORE, SUSAN**, of Wausau, as a Public Member on the Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority, to serve for the term ending January 1, 2020.

Confirmation.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Lasee, Olsen, Roth, Bewley and Harris Dodd.

Noes: 0.

**WEDDLE, MCARTHUR**, of Milwaukee, as a Public Member on the Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority, to serve for the term ending January 1, 2020.

Confirmation.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Lasee, Olsen, Roth, Bewley and Harris Dodd.

Noes: 0.

**Senate Bill 375**

Relating to: various changes regarding the laws governing real estate practice, employment relationships between real estate licensees and real estate brokerage firms, a statute of limitations for actions against persons engaged in real estate practice, extending the time limit for emergency rule procedures, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority.

Senate Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Lasee, Olsen, Roth, Bewley and Harris Dodd.

Noes: 0.

Senate Amendment 2 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Lasee, Olsen, Roth, Bewley and Harris Dodd.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Lasee, Olsen, Roth, Bewley and Harris Dodd.

Noes: 0.

**Senate Bill 403**

Relating to: replacement of certain nonconforming structures that are destroyed by vandalism or certain natural forces and manufactured home communities that are nonconforming uses.

Passage.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Lasee, Olsen, Roth, Bewley and Harris Dodd.

Noes: 0.

**Senate Bill 437**

Relating to: rate regulations, assessment levies, and dividends for the local government property insurance fund.

Passage.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Lasee, Olsen, Roth, Bewley and Harris Dodd.

Noes: 0.

**Senate Bill 464**

Relating to: government actions affecting rights to real property; the regulation of shoreland zoning; the substitution of hearing examiners in contested cases; and the property tax treatment of unoccupied property.

Senate Substitute Amendment 2 adoption.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Lasee, Olsen and Roth.

Noes: 2 - Senators Bewley and Harris Dodd.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Lasee, Olsen and Roth.

Noes: 2 - Senators Bewley and Harris Dodd.

**Senate Bill 479**

Relating to: authorizing towns located in populous counties to withdraw from county zoning; requiring certain towns to enact a zoning ordinance and a comprehensive plan; removing plat and certified survey map approval authority from a county if the town in which the subdivision or land is located has withdrawn from county zoning; farmland preservation ordinances of towns that withdraw from county zoning and eligibility in those towns for the farmland preservation tax credit; and prohibiting restrictions on land that is not shoreland or that is not within a floodplain.

Senate Amendment 2 adoption.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Lasee, Olsen and Roth.

Noes: 2 - Senators Bewley and Harris Dodd.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 3 - Senators Lasee, Olsen and Roth.

Noes: 2 - Senators Bewley and Harris Dodd.

**Senate Bill 537**

Relating to: rights under certain agreements or qualified financial contracts.

Passage.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Lasee, Olsen, Roth, Bewley and Harris Dodd.

Noes: 0.

**Senate Bill 547**

Relating to: requirements imposed on retailers of liquefied petroleum gas for proving financial responsibility.

Passage.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Lasee, Olsen, Roth, Bewley and Harris Dodd.

Noes: 0.

*FRANK LASEE*

Chairperson

Committee on Insurance, Housing, and Trade

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The committee on **Sporting Heritage, Mining, and Forestry** reports and recommends:

**Senate Bill 298**

Relating to: trolling permits issued to persons whose sight is impaired.

Passage.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Tiffany, Roth, Moulton, Wirch and Vinehout.

Noes: 0.

**Senate Bill 444**

Relating to: authorizing a person to shoot to kill an animal wounded by certain hunters.

Senate Substitute Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Tiffany, Roth, Moulton, Wirch and Vinehout.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Tiffany, Roth, Moulton, Wirch and Vinehout.

Noes: 0.

*THOMAS TIFFANY*

Chairperson

Committee on Sporting Heritage, Mining, and Forestry

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**PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS**

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Hutton added as a co-sponsor of **Senate Bill 697**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Riemer added as a co-sponsor of **Senate Joint Resolution 83**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Sinicki added as a co-sponsor of **Senate Bill 693**.

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

February 2, 2016

The Honorable, the Senate:

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

**Senate Bill 300**, relating to: the sales and use tax imposed on a jukebox., withdrawn from Committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to Joint Committee on **Finance**.

**Senate Bill 404**, relating to: allowing taxpayers to claim early stage seed investment credits for investments in the fund of funds., withdrawn from Committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to Joint Committee on **Finance**.

**Senate Bill 421**, relating to: the sales tax exemption for occasional sales by nonprofit organizations., withdrawn from

Committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to Joint Committee on **Finance**.

**Senate Bill 434**, relating to: taxes on managed forest lands, eligibility for the managed forest land program, management plans for managed forest land, sale or transfer of managed forest land, productivity of managed forest land, closed managed forest land, forest production areas, natural heritage inventory, wildlife action plans, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority., withdrawn from Committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to Joint Committee on **Finance**.

**Senate Bill 474**, relating to: grants to support donation of farm and food products to food banks and making an appropriation., withdrawn from Committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to Joint Committee on **Finance**.

**Senate Bill 476**, relating to: eligibility for the Technical Excellence Higher Education Scholarship Program., withdrawn from Committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to Joint Committee on **Finance**.

**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., withdrawn from Committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to Joint Committee on **Finance**.

**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., withdrawn from Committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to Joint Committee on **Finance**.

**Senate Bill 515**, relating to: a regional revolving loan fund grant program administered by the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation and making an appropriation., withdrawn from Committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to Joint Committee on **Finance**.

**Senate Bill 523**, relating to: technical education equipment grants for school districts, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation., withdrawn from Committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to Joint Committee on **Finance**.

**Senate Bill 525**, relating to: an industry cluster research and development tax credit., withdrawn from Committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to Joint Committee on **Finance**.

**Senate Bill 526**, relating to: industry cluster partnerships and making an appropriation., withdrawn from Committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to Joint Committee on **Finance**.

**Senate Bill 540**, relating to: Wisconsin grants for technical college students and making appropriations., withdrawn from Committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to Joint Committee on **Finance**.

**Senate Bill 546**, relating to: administrative subpoena for investigating Internet crimes against children, creating an Internet crimes against children surcharge, and making an appropriation., withdrawn from Committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to Joint Committee on **Finance**.

Sincerely,  
*MARY LAZICH*  
Senate President

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**State of Wisconsin  
Government Accountability Board**

February 2, 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.

Colburn, Bruce.....SEIU Wisconsin State Council

Holihan, Sean.....PROTECT

Marchant, Robert.....AQUA

Panzer, Mary.....Wisconsin Shoreland Initiative

Thompson, Brett.....Wisconsin Credit Union League

Sincerely,  
*KEVIN KENNEDY*  
Director and General Counsel