

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Environment and Forestry

Assembly Bill 701

Relating to: action required to be taken in response to a discharge of hazardous substances, exemption from liability for certain hazardous substance discharges, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority.

By Representatives Tittl, Genrich, Berceau, Czaja, Jacque, Kahl, Macco, Nygren, Ohnstad, A. Ott, Petryk, Shankland, Sinicki, Steffen, Subeck, Swearingen and Considine; cosponsored by Senators Cowles, Lassa, Hansen, Lasee, Petrowski, Tiffany and LeMahieu.

January 13, 2016 Referred to Committee on Environment and Forestry

January 20, 2016 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (12) Representative Mursau; Representatives Krug, Czaja, Kitchens, Swearingen, Edming, Allen, Mason, Milroy, Hebl, Stuck and Considine.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Representative R. Brooks.

Appearances For

- Paul Tittl - Representative - 25th Assembly District
- Chris LaRowe - Wisconsin Public Service

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Robert Cowles - Senator - 2nd Senate District
- Bill Skewes - WI Utilities Assoc.
- Lucas Vebber - WMC
- James Buchen - WI Utility Investors and WI Development Assoc.

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 02, 2016

Executive Session Held

Present: (13) Representative Mursau; Representatives Krug, Czaja, Kitchens, Swearingen, Edming, R. Brooks, Allen, Mason, Milroy, Hebl, Stuck and Considine.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Czaja, seconded by Representative Swearingen that **Assembly Bill 701** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (12) Representative Mursau; Representatives Krug, Czaja, Kitchens, Swearingen, Edming, R. Brooks, Allen, Mason, Milroy, Stuck and Considine.

Noes: (1) Representative Hebl.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 12, Noes 1

Cory Bruce
Committee Clerk