

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Labor and Government Reform

Senate Bill 536

Relating to: various changes to the worker's compensation law, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

By Senator Nass; cosponsored by Representative Spiros., by request of Department of Workforce Development

January 08, 2016 Referred to Committee on Labor and Government Reform

January 14, 2016 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (5) Senator Nass; Senators Wanggaard, Marklein, Wirch and C. Larson.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Jeff Beiriger - Association Management Services
- Mark Reihl - WI State Council of Carpenters
- Brian Dake - WI Independent Businesses
- Bill Smith - NFIB
- Rep. Christine Sinicki
- Stephanie Bloomingdale - WI AFL-CIO
- Chris Reader - WMC
- James Buchen - WMC
- Steve Mercaltis

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- BJ Dernbach - DWD

Registrations For

- Brian Dake - WI Independent Businesses
- David Weir - Stafford Neal & Soule SC
- Rep. Dana Wachs - 91st Assembly District
- Ronald Kent - WCAC
- Scott Redman
- Theresa Elliott - Sentry Insurance
- Matt Banaszynski - Independent Insurance Agents of WI

- Bill Smith - NFIB
- Mahlon Mitchell - Professional Fire Fighters of WI
- Andy Franken - WI Insurance Alliance
- Rep. Christine Sinicki

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 04, 2016

Executive Session Held

Present: (5) Senator Nass; Senators Wanggaard, Marklein, Wirch and C. Larson.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Nass, seconded by Senator Marklein that **Senate Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (3) Senator Nass; Senators Wanggaard and Marklein.

Noes: (2) Senators Wirch and C. Larson.

SENATE AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,
Ayes 3, Noes 2

Moved by Senator Nass, seconded by Senator Wanggaard that **Senate Bill 536** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (5) Senator Nass; Senators Wanggaard, Marklein, Wirch and C. Larson.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Mike Mikalsen
Committee Clerk