February 8, 2017 – Introduced by Representatives Vos and Steineke.

To repeal assembly rule 11 (3m); to amend assembly rule 5 (1) (b), assembly rule 98 (1), assembly rule 98 (3), assembly rule 98 (4) and assembly rule 98 (5) (intro.); and to repeal and recreate assembly rule 14 (2); relating to: the assembly rules.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau
This resolution makes the following changes to the assembly rules:

Committee participation via audiovisual transmission
The resolution eliminates a rule that permits members who are connected to a committee meeting by means of a two-way, audiovisual transmission to be considered present for all committee purposes.

Terminology change relating to campaign committee activity
The resolution updates provisions in the assembly rules relating to campaign committee activity.

Schedule of committee activities
The resolution conforms the rules to the assembly's current practices for publishing the committee schedule on the legislature’s website.

Resolved by the assembly, That:

Section 1. Assembly rule 5 (1) (b) is amended to read:
ASSEMBLY RULE 5 (1) (b) Supervise the preparation and keeping of the daily journal, daily calendars, bulletins of proceedings, and weekly schedule of committee activities.

SECTION 2. Assembly rule 11 (3m) is repealed.

SECTION 3. Assembly rule 14 (2) is repealed and recreated to read:

ASSEMBLY RULE 14 (2) The chief clerk shall publish, on a daily basis on the legislature’s website, a committee schedule containing the name of each committee, its chairperson, the room number or place, and the time and date of each meeting scheduled; and, if applicable, shall designate each proposal, appointment, or administrative rule to be heard by number or name, author, and topic.

SECTION 4. Assembly rule 98 (1) is amended to read:

ASSEMBLY RULE 98 (1) A member may not schedule, hold, attend, or contribute money for or at a fund-raising social event in Dane County during a floor period of the legislature or during a special or extraordinary session if the event is for a member; is sponsored by the member’s personal campaign candidate committee, as defined in section 11.01 11.0101 of the statutes; or is sponsored by a legislative campaign committee, as defined in section 11.01 11.0101 of the statutes.

SECTION 5. Assembly rule 98 (3) is amended to read:

ASSEMBLY RULE 98 (3) Subsection (1) does not apply to a fund-raising social event of a current member of the assembly or his or her personal campaign candidate committee held during the period between the first day authorized for filing nomination papers for any office for which the current member of the assembly is a candidate and the date of the election for that office, if the event is held within the boundaries of the jurisdiction or district served by the office for which the current member of the assembly is a candidate.
SECTION 6. Assembly rule 98 (4) is amended to read:

ASSEMBLY RULE 98 (4) Subsection (1) does not apply to a fund-raising social event of a current member of the assembly or his or her personal campaign candidate committee held during the period between the first day authorized for filing nomination papers for any office, other than representative to the assembly, for which the current member of the assembly is a candidate and the date of the election for that other office.

SECTION 7. Assembly rule 98 (5) (intro.) is amended to read:

ASSEMBLY RULE 98 (5) (intro.) Subsection (1) does not apply to a fund-raising social event of a current member of the assembly who represents a district that contains part of Dane County, or his or her personal campaign candidate committee, if:

(END)