



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

One-Hundred and Fourth Regular Session

2:16 P.M.

THURSDAY, March 26, 2020

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by Senate President Roth.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (6), the Chief Clerk made the following entries under the above date.

CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 450** offered by Senator Larson.

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 914** offered by Senator Jacque.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read and referred:

Senate Resolution 7

Relating to: acknowledging that the Communist Party of China deliberately and intentionally misled the world on the Wuhan Coronavirus and standing in solidarity with the Chinese people to condemn the actions of the Communist Party of China.

By Senator Roth.

To the committee on **Senate Organization**.

Read first time and referred:

Senate Bill 904

Relating to: sponsors of nutritional counseling education programs and repealing and modifying administrative rules related to sponsors of nutritional counseling education programs.

By the joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules**.

To the committee on **Public Benefits, Licensing and State-Federal Relations**.

Senate Bill 905

Relating to: the membership of the Higher Educational Aids Board.

By Senators Bewley and L. Taylor; cosponsored by Representatives B. Meyers, Zamarripa, Cabrera, Hebl, Sargent, Billings, Mursau, Spreitzer, Considine, Subeck and Ohnstad.

To the committee on **Universities, Technical Colleges, Children and Families**.

Senate Bill 906

Relating to: suspension of the waiting period for collection of unemployment insurance benefits.

By Senators Jacque, Wanggaard, Carpenter, Risser, L. Taylor and Kooyenga; cosponsored by Representatives Pronschinske, Nygren, Brostoff, Cabrera, Edming, Milroy, Schraa, Vorpapel and Tittl.

To the committee on **Labor and Regulatory Reform**.

Senate Bill 907

Relating to: application of prescription drug payments for health coverage.

By Senator Jacque; cosponsored by Representatives Schraa and Wichgers.

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

Senate Bill 908

Relating to: information on Down syndrome.

By Senator Kooyenga.

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

Senate Bill 909

Relating to: violence prevention grants and making an appropriation.

By Senators L. Taylor and Larson; cosponsored by Representatives Bowen, Crowley, Haywood, Anderson, Brostoff, Cabrera, Goyke, Hebl, Neubauer, Sargent, Spreitzer, Stubbs, Subeck, C. Taylor and Vining.

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

Senate Bill 910

Relating to: financial assistance for double-fencing farm-raised deer, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

By Senator Erpenbach; cosponsored by Representative Pope.

To the committee on **Sporting Heritage, Mining and Forestry**.

Senate Bill 911

Relating to: allowing certain rehired annuitants to elect to not become new participants in the Wisconsin Retirement System for a defined period.

By Senators Jacque and Kooyenga; cosponsored by Representatives Brandtjen, Mursau, Schraa and Wichgers, by request of Badger Sheriff's Association.

To the committee on **Government Operations, Technology and Consumer Protection.**

Senate Bill 912

Relating to: postponing the annual town meeting and the meeting of the boards of review.

By Senator Jacque; cosponsored by Representative Wichgers, by request of Wisconsin Towns Association.

To the committee on **Local Government, Small Business, Tourism and Workforce Development.**

Senate Bill 913

Relating to: coverage of telehealth services.

By Senator Jacque; cosponsored by Representative Wichgers.

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

Senate Bill 914

Relating to: meetings of governing bodies of local governmental units during a state of emergency.

By Senator Jacque; cosponsored by Representative Wichgers, by request of Wisconsin Towns Association, Wisconsin Counties Association, League of Wisconsin Municipalities and the Wisconsin Association of School Boards.

To the committee on **Local Government, Small Business, Tourism and Workforce Development.**

Senate Bill 915

Relating to: reciprocal credentials and granting rule-making authority.

By Senators Jacque and Wanggaard; cosponsored by Representatives Murphy and Wichgers.

To the committee on **Public Benefits, Licensing and State-Federal Relations.**

Senate Bill 916

Relating to: sending absentee ballots to registered voters during a state of emergency.

By Senators Larson, Smith and Carpenter; cosponsored by Representative Brostoff.

To the committee on **Elections, Ethics and Rural Issues.**

Senate Bill 917

Relating to: canvassing absentee ballots during a state of emergency on the Sunday before an election and providing a penalty.

By Senators Larson, Smith and Carpenter; cosponsored by Representative Brostoff.

To the committee on **Elections, Ethics and Rural Issues.**

Senate Bill 918

Relating to: the deadline for electronic voter registration during a state of emergency.

By Senators Larson, Smith and Carpenter; cosponsored by Representative Brostoff.

To the committee on **Elections, Ethics and Rural Issues.**

Senate Bill 919

Relating to: the deadline for returning absentee ballots by mail during a state of emergency.

By Senators Larson, Smith and Carpenter; cosponsored by Representative Brostoff.

To the committee on **Elections, Ethics and Rural Issues.**

Senate Bill 920

Relating to: suspending the requirement to provide identification to vote at an election during a state of emergency.

By Senators Larson, Smith and Carpenter; cosponsored by Representative Brostoff.

To the committee on **Elections, Ethics and Rural Issues.**

Senate Bill 921

Relating to: registering to vote and obtaining a ballot by an agent during a state of emergency.

By Senators Larson, Smith and Carpenter; cosponsored by Representative Brostoff.

To the committee on **Elections, Ethics and Rural Issues.**

Senate Bill 922

Relating to: extending the deadline for applying for an absentee ballot in-person.

By Senators Larson, Smith and Carpenter; cosponsored by Representative Brostoff.

To the committee on **Elections, Ethics and Rural Issues.**

Senate Bill 923

Relating to: the length of time for a declared state of emergency; reporting of arrests for a violation of an order relating to the control of an outbreak or epidemic; requiring legislative approval of any statewide order mandating individuals to stay at home for reasons related to an epidemic, pandemic, or communicable disease; requiring a written report to the legislature detailing the justification for any ban of gatherings of 50 or fewer individuals.

By Senators Craig and Kapenga; cosponsored by Representatives Sortwell, Ramthun, Brandtjen and Wichgers.

To the committee on **Insurance, Financial Services, Government Oversight and Courts.**

Senate Bill 924

Relating to: conducting juvenile proceedings by telephone or audiovisual means; appearance at any criminal proceeding by telephone or audiovisual means.

By Senator Jacque, by request of Wisconsin District Attorneys Association.

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

Senate Bill 925

Relating to: authorized activities and operations of credit unions, automated teller machines of financial institutions, and repealing rules promulgated by the Department of Financial Institutions.

By Senator Kooyenga; cosponsored by Representative Stafholt.

To the committee on **Agriculture, Revenue and Financial Institutions.**

Senate Bill 926

Relating to: allowing municipalities to enact an ordinance authorizing multiple property tax installments during a public health emergency.

By Senators Kooyenga, Feyen, Jacque, Tiffany and Craig; cosponsored by Representatives Hutton, Dittrich, Gundrum, Magnafici, Novak, Vining, Wichgers, L. Myers and Rodriguez.

To the committee on **Agriculture, Revenue and Financial Institutions**.

Senate Bill 927

Relating to: regulating the sale of certain drugs and medical supplies below cost.

By Senators Kooyenga, Carpenter, Craig, Stroebel and Jacque; cosponsored by Representatives Ott, Ramthun, Allen, Brandtjen, Brooks, Dittrich, Murphy, Rohrkaste, Schraa, Wichgers and Gundrum.

To the committee on **Economic Development, Commerce and Trade**.

Senate Bill 928

Relating to: the scope of practice of health care providers and health care providers from other states.

By Senators Kooyenga and Tiffany; cosponsored by Representatives Kurtz, Sanfelippo, Brooks, Gundrum, Magnafici, Murphy, Rohrkaste, Skowronski, Wichgers, Dittrich and Tusler.

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

Senate Bill 929

Relating to: filing individual tax returns for the 2019 taxable year.

By Senators Kooyenga, Carpenter, Feyen, Jacque and Tiffany; cosponsored by Representatives Macco, Dittrich, Gundrum, Hutton, Horlacher, Katsma, Kerkman, Krug, Kurtz, Magnafici, Pronschinske, Ramthun, Rohrkaste, Wichgers and Wittke.

To the committee on **Agriculture, Revenue and Financial Institutions**.

Senate Bill 930

Relating to: extending the deadline for contributions to a college savings account.

By Senator Kooyenga; cosponsored by Representative Ramthun.

To the committee on **Agriculture, Revenue and Financial Institutions**.

Senate Bill 931

Relating to: alcohol beverages delivery and the face-to-face requirement for retail sales of alcohol beverages during a declared public health emergency.

By Senator Larson.

To the committee on **Economic Development, Commerce and Trade**.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin
Office of the Senate President

March 26, 2020

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

chairsperson and the chairperson of the committee on Senate Organization.

Assembly Bill 849, relating to: expanding the part-time open enrollment program., withdrawn from the committee on **Education** and rereferred to the committee on **Senate Organization**.

Assembly Bill 816, relating to: incorporating the Holocaust and other genocides into the state model social studies standards and requiring instruction on the Holocaust and other genocides., withdrawn from the committee on **Education** and rereferred to the committee on **Senate Organization**.

Assembly Bill 529, relating to: grants to the Wisconsin Safe and Healthy Schools Center and making an appropriation., withdrawn from the committee on **Education** and rereferred to the committee on **Senate Organization**.

Assembly Bill 810, relating to: creating a computerized uniform school budget and accounting system., withdrawn from the committee on **Education** and rereferred to the committee on **Senate Organization**.

Sincerely,
ROGER ROTH
Senate President

ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE

State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor

March 26, 2020

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint KATHRYN A. CURREN, of Suamico, as a Brown County Representative on the Fox River Navigational System Authority, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2022.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Natural Resources and Energy**.

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March 26, 2020

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint RONALD VANDEHEY, of Kaukauna, as an Outagamie County Representative on the Fox River Navigational System Authority, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2021.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Natural Resources and Energy**.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Roth, with unanimous consent, asked that the 2019 Regular Session of the Senate stand adjourned pursuant to **Senate Joint Resolution 1**.

Adjourned.

2:17 P.M.