

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Family Law

Assembly Bill 562

Relating to: the rights of a foster parent or other physical custodian of a child on removal of the child from the person's home.

By Representatives Plumer, Dittrich, Felzkowski, James, Kulp, Magnafici, Milroy, Murphy, Ramthun, Tusler, Thiesfeldt, Tranel and Tittl; cosponsored by Senators Darling and Olsen.

October 23, 2019 Referred to Committee on Family Law

October 29, 2019 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (9) Representative Rodriguez; Representatives James, Duchow, Tauchen, Plumer, Pronschinske, Doyle, Brostoff and Emerson.
Absent: (0) None.
Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Oriana Care - Coalition for Children Youth Families
- Steve Hayes

Appearances Against

- Jeff Pertl - Department of Children and Families
- Fredi Bove - Department of Children and Families
- Danielle Karnopp - Department of Children and Families
- Loa Porter
- Adam Plotkin - State Public Defender
- Diane Rondini - State Public Defender
- Attorney Michelle Gordon - Oneida Nation
- Eve Dorman - Dane County Corporation Counsel
- Nicole Homer - Ho-Chunk Nation
- Rep Hinu Smith - Ho-Chunk Nation
- Samantha Skenandore

Appearances for Information Only

- Nancy Rottier - Director of State Courts
- Bridget Bauman - Children's Court Improvement Program
- Shelley Gaylord - Judicial Committee with CCIP
- Kristen Wetzel - Children Court Improvement Program

- Kathy Markeland - WAFCA

Registrations For

- Rep Dave Murphy
- Sen Alberta Darling - 8th Senate District
- Julaine Appling - WI Family Action
- Myra Miller
- Otis Miller
- Kyle Mahan

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- Christine Tenuta
- Phyllis Greenberger - Disability Rights WI

December 17, 2019 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (9) Representative Rodriguez; Representatives James, Duchow, Tauchen, Plumer, Pronschinske, Doyle, Brostoff and Emerson.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Plumer, seconded by Representative Tauchen that **Assembly Amendment 1 to Assembly Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (9) Representative Rodriguez; Representatives James, Duchow, Tauchen, Plumer, Pronschinske, Doyle, Brostoff and Emerson.

Noes: (0) None.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1 TO ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Tauchen, seconded by Representative Duchow that **Assembly Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (7) Representative Rodriguez; Representatives James, Duchow, Tauchen, Plumer, Pronschinske and Doyle.

Noes: (2) Representatives Brostoff and Emerson.

ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION
RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 2

Moved by Representative Plumer, seconded by Representative
Duchow that **Assembly Bill 562** be recommended for passage as
amended.

Ayes: (6) Representative Rodriguez; Representatives
James, Duchow, Tauchen, Plumer and
Pronschinske.

Noes: (3) Representatives Doyle, Brostoff and
Emerson.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 3

Nick Bentz
Committee Clerk