

STATE OF WISCONSIN
Senate Journal

One-Hundred and Fifth Regular Session

MONDAY, May 24, 2021

The Chief Clerk made the following entries under the above date.

CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 214** offered by Senator Stafsholt.

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 259** offered by Senator Jacque.

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 335** offered by Senator Feyen.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Steffen added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 268**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Plumer added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 314**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Behnke added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 336**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Behnke added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 337**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Behnke added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 342**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Brooks added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 354**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

May 24, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

The following bill(s), originating in the Senate, have been approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Act Number</u>	<u>Date Approved</u>
Senate Bill 51	32	May 21, 2021
Senate Bill 52	33	May 21, 2021
Senate Bill 102	34	May 21, 2021

Senate Bill 105	35	May 21, 2021
Senate Bill 107	36	May 21, 2021
Senate Bill 112	37	May 21, 2021
Senate Bill 168	44	May 21, 2021
Senate Bill 171	45	May 21, 2021
Senate Bill 208	38	May 21, 2021
Senate Bill 266	39	May 21, 2021

Sincerely,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Pursuant to s. 35.095 (1)(b), Wisconsin Statutes, the following 2021 Act(s) have been published:

<u>Act Number</u>	<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Publication Date</u>
Wisconsin Act 32	51	May 22, 2021
Wisconsin Act 33	52	May 22, 2021
Wisconsin Act 34	102	May 22, 2021
Wisconsin Act 35	105	May 22, 2021
Wisconsin Act 36	107	May 22, 2021
Wisconsin Act 37	112	May 22, 2021
Wisconsin Act 38	208	May 22, 2021
Wisconsin Act 39	266	May 22, 2021
Wisconsin Act 44	168	May 22, 2021
Wisconsin Act 45	171	May 22, 2021

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May 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am vetoing 2021 **Senate Bill 170** in its entirety.

This bill would allow an organization with a Class B raffle license to conduct a raffle by using a paddlewheel.

I object to this bill and am once gain vetoing it because paddlewheel gambling is not permitted by the Wisconsin Constitution. Under Article IV, Section 24, raffles may be licensed only under limited circumstances. Even though Senate Bill 170 uses the term "raffle," paddlewheel gambling is not a raffle as contemplated by the constitutional text. Instead, it is more similar to roulette, which is a distinct form of gambling under our Constitution. While a roulette wheel typically lies horizontally and is spun with a ball to determine the winner based on chance, and a paddlewheel as described in this bill hangs vertically and is spun to determine the winner using a pointer or marker based on chance, this is a

distinction without a difference. I cannot knowingly sign a bill that I believe is prohibited by our Constitution.

Furthermore, as I stated when I vetoed this bill last year, the expansion proposed by this bill creates an unnecessary risk of gaming revenue for the State. Tribal Nations have exclusive rights to conduct Class III gaming in Wisconsin, as guaranteed under the tribal gaming compacts. The compacts signed by the State of Wisconsin and the Tribes enable revenue-sharing payments from the Tribes to the State in exchange for an agreement by the State to not substantively alter the charitable games authorized by the State or allow the operation of any additional Class III games. By expanding the definition of raffle to include this device, or by adding a newly approved form of Class III game, this bill could be considered a violation of the compacts.

Respectfully submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

**REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF
COMMITTEE REPORTS CONCERNING
PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES**

The joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules** reported and recommended:

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 20-032

Relating to degrees from programs accredited by the Commission for Accreditation of Counseling (CACREP).

No action taken on May 21, 2021.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 20-074

Relating to speech and language impairment criteria.

No action taken on May 21, 2021.

STEPHEN NASS
Senate Chairperson

The committee on **Education** reported and recommended:

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 21-008

Relating to expanding virtual summer and interim session courses.

No action taken on May 24, 2021.

Referred to the joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules**, May 24, 2021.

ALBERTA DARLING
Chairperson

The committee on **Health** reported and recommended:

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 20-047

Relating to community substance abuse services.

No action taken on May 24, 2021.

Referred to the joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules**, May 24, 2021.

PATRICK TESTIN
Chairperson