

STATE OF WISCONSIN
Senate Journal

One-Hundred and Fifth Regular Session

WEDNESDAY, July 21, 2021

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

CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Senate Amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 115** offered by Senator Petrowski.

**INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND
REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS**

Read and referred:

Senate Joint Resolution 55

Relating to: commemorating Afghan interpreters and urging the federal government to fulfill its responsibility in ensuring their safety.

By Senators Jacque, L. Taylor and Darling; cosponsored by Representatives Rozar, Armstrong and Murphy.

To the committee on **Senate Organization**.

Senate Joint Resolution 56

Relating to: eliminating constitutional restrictions on marriage (first consideration).

By Senators Carpenter, Agard, Roys, Bewley, Erpenbach, Larson, Smith, L. Taylor and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Cabrera, Neubauer, Snodgrass, Spreitzer, Anderson, Andraca, Baldeh, Brostoff, Conley, Considine, Emerson, Goyke, Hebl, Hesselbein, Hong, Moore Omokunde, Ohnstad, Pope, S. Rodriguez, Shankland, Shelton, Sinicki, Subeck, Vining and Vruwink.

To the committee on **Veterans and Military Affairs and Constitution and Federalism**.

Senate Joint Resolution 57

Relating to: proclaiming November 20, 2021, as Wisconsin's Transgender Day of Remembrance.

By Senators Carpenter, Agard, Roys, Johnson, Ringhand, Smith, L. Taylor and Larson; cosponsored by Representatives Spreitzer, Neubauer, Cabrera, Snodgrass, Brostoff, Conley, Considine, Emerson, Goyke, Hebl, Hesselbein, Hong, Moore Omokunde, Ohnstad, Riemer, S. Rodriguez, Shankland, Shelton, Subeck, Vining and Pope.

To the committee on **Senate Organization**.

Read first time and referred:

Senate Bill 454

Relating to: reading readiness assessments and granting rule-making authority.

By Senators Bernier, Darling, Felzkowski, Jacque and Wanggaard; cosponsored by Representatives Kitchens, Thiesfeldt, Allen, Armstrong, Brandtjen, Cabral-Guevara, Dittrich, James, Knodl, Mursau, Rozar, Schraa, Snyder, Tusler, Wichgers and Summerfield.

To the committee on **Education**.

Senate Bill 455

Relating to: ban on the use of certain insecticides by the Department of Natural Resources.

By Senators Agard, Smith, L. Taylor, Carpenter, Larson, Roys and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Snodgrass, Considine, Anderson, Andraca, Baldeh, Behnke, Billings, Cabrera, Conley, Neubauer, Ohnstad, Pope, Shankland, Shelton, Sinicki, Stubbs and Vining.

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

Senate Bill 456

Relating to: local regulation of pesticides to protect pollinators.

By Senators Agard, Smith, L. Taylor, Carpenter, Larson, Roys and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Snodgrass, Considine, Anderson, Andraca, Baldeh, Billings, Cabrera, Conley, Hebl, Neubauer, Ohnstad, Pope, Shelton, Sinicki, Stubbs and Vining.

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

Senate Bill 457

Relating to: labeling plants as beneficial to pollinators.

By Senators Agard, Smith, Carpenter, Larson, Roys, L. Taylor and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Snodgrass, Considine, Anderson, Andraca, Baldeh, Behnke, Billings, Cabrera, Conley, Neubauer, Ohnstad, Pope, Shelton, Sinicki, Stubbs, Subeck and Vining.

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

Senate Bill 458

Relating to: extending voting rights to certain 17-year-old individuals and requiring a referendum.

By Senators Roys, Smith, Erpenbach, Agard and Larson; cosponsored by Representatives Shelton, Hintz, Baldeh, Andraca, Subeck, Spreitzer, Stubbs, Considine, Anderson, Neubauer and Snodgrass.

To the committee on **Elections, Election Process Reform and Ethics**.

Senate Bill 459

Relating to: requiring voter education instruction in the elementary and high school grades and incorporating voter education instruction into the state model social studies standards.

By Senators Roys, Smith, Agard, Larson, Ringhand and L. Taylor; cosponsored by Representatives Hintz, Snodgrass, Shelton, Anderson, Andraca, Baldeh, Brostoff, Cabrera, Conley, Drake, Emerson, Hebl, Hesselbein, B. Meyers, Neubauer, Pope, Sinicki, Spreitzer, Stubbs, Subeck and Vruwink.

To the committee on **Education**.

Senate Bill 460

Relating to: prohibiting the Investment Board from making certain investments relating to China and Iran.

By Senator Jacque; cosponsored by Representatives Thiesfeldt, Armstrong, Baldeh, Brandtjen, Gundrum, Rozar and Steffen.

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

Senate Bill 461

Relating to: prohibition against undetectable firearms, possessing a frame or receiver of a firearm without a serial number, and providing a penalty.

By Senators Erpenbach, Roys, L. Taylor, Agard, Ringhand and Larson; cosponsored by Representatives Hesselbein, Subeck, Neubauer, Snodgrass, Hebl, Shelton, Anderson, Andraca, Pope, Stubbs, Sinicki, Emerson, Ohnstad and Vining.

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

Senate Bill 462

Relating to: ownership, control, or operation of a motor vehicle dealership and performance of motor vehicle warranty service.

By Senators Kooyenga, Bernier and Roys; cosponsored by Representatives Neylon, Duchow, Andraca, Cabral-Guevara, Haywood, J. Rodriguez and Schraa.

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

Senate Bill 463

Relating to: requiring school boards to make information about learning materials and educational activities used for pupil instruction available to the public.

By Senators Stroebel, Darling, Felzkowski, Bradley, Nass, Testin, Wanggaard and Wimberger; cosponsored by Representatives Behnke, Thiesfeldt, Dittrich, Armstrong, Born, Brandtjen, Cabral-Guevara, Callahan, Gundrum, Knodl, Kuglitsch, Magnafici, Ramthun, Sortwell, Tauchen, Tittl, VanderMeer, Wichgers, Zimmerman and Schraa.

To the committee on **Education**.

Senate Bill 464

Relating to: adopting gender-neutral terminology and incorporating gender-neutral marriage and parentage rights.

By Senators Carpenter, Agard, Erpenbach, Larson, Ringhand, Roys, Smith and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Spreitzer, Cabrera, Neubauer, Snodgrass, Anderson, Andraca, Brostoff, Conley, Considine, Emerson,

Goyke, Hebl, Hesselbein, Moore Omokunde, Pope, S. Rodriguez, Shankland, Shelton, Sinicki, Subeck and Vining.

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

Senate Bill 465

Relating to: increasing the earned income tax credit for families with fewer than three children.

By Senators Roys, Johnson, Agard, Carpenter, L. Taylor, Larson and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Riemer, Hebl, Brostoff, S. Rodriguez, Doyle, Cabrera, Neubauer, Billings, Spreitzer, Snodgrass, Conley, Ohnstad, Baldeh, Sinicki, Shankland, Anderson, Considine, Hong, Stubbs, Goyke, Vining, Hesselbein, McGuire, Subeck and Hintz.

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

Senate Bill 466

Relating to: inspection requirements for chemical recovery boilers.

By Senators Testin, Felzkowski, Roth, Cowles, Bewley and Nass; cosponsored by Representatives VanderMeer, Krug, Rozar, Dittrich, Edming, Knodl, Kuglitsch, Magnafici, Mursau, Murphy, Ohnstad, Oldenburg, Shankland, Snodgrass, Snyder, Spiros, Steffen, Tauchen, Tittl and Wichgers.

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

Senate Bill 467

Relating to: registry for children with blindness or visual impairment.

By Senators Feyen, Carpenter and Nass; cosponsored by Representatives Thiesfeldt, Steffen, Baldeh, Brandtjen, Brostoff, Gundrum, Knodl, Plumer, Rozar, Skowronski and Spiros.

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

Senate Bill 468

Relating to: changing the phase-out of utility aid payments for decommissioned power plants.

By Senators Ballweg, Cowles, Petrowski, Pfaff and Wanggaard; cosponsored by Representatives Oldenburg, Plumer, Cabral-Guevara, Considine, Gundrum, Krug, Rozar, Snyder, Spiros, Tauchen, Tittl and VanderMeer.

To the committee on **Utilities, Technology and Telecommunications**.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative L. Myers added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 431**.

ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE

**State of Wisconsin
Department of Public Instruction**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to s. 15.377(8), Wis. Stats., enclosed please find a list of nominees to the Professional Standards Council for Teachers. These individuals were selected based upon organizational recommendations as prescribed in statute. Your confirmation of the appointees is requested.

Sincerely,
JILL UNDERLY
State Superintendent

JENNIFER COLLINS, of Superior, as a Member on the Professional Standards Council, to serve for the term ending June 30, 2021.

Read and referred to the committee on **Education**.

JAKE KRUEGER, of Whitewater, as a Member on the Professional Standards Council, to serve for the term ending June 30, 2023.

Read and referred to the committee on **Education**.

MICHAEL WILSON, of St. Croix Falls, as a Member on the Professional Standards Council, to serve for the term ending June 30, 2023.

Read and referred to the committee on **Education**.

BRENT ZINKEL, of Wausau, as a Member on the Professional Standards Council, to serve for the term ending June 30, 2023.

Read and referred to the committee on **Education**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint DR. KRIS FERGUSON, of Wausau, as a Doctor of Medicine Representative on the Medical Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Health**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint DR. LINDA SCOTT, of Middleton, as a Registered Nurse Representative on the Board of Nursing, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2023.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Health**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint CHRIS CORNELIUS, of Seymour, as a Congressional District 8 Representative on the Board of Veterans Affairs, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Veterans and Military Affairs and Constitution and Federalism**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint PAUL HINKFUSS, of Milwaukee, as a Public Member on the Board of Nursing, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Health**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint CHRISTA WILSON, of Sheboygan, as a Pharmacist Representative on the Pharmacy Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Health**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint DR. JOAN FOX, of Wautoma, as a Dentist Representative on the Dentistry Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Insurance, Licensing and Forestry.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint KIMBERLY SHAUL, of Madison, as a Public Member on the College Savings Program Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS

Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Universities and Technical Colleges.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint SENATOR ALBERTA DARLING, of River Hills, as a Public Member on the College Savings Program Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS

Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Universities and Technical Colleges.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint DR. GREGORY SCHMELING, of Brookfield, as a Doctor of Medicine Representative on the Medical Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS

Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Health.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint SARA J. ROGERS, of Milwaukee,

as a Public Member on the Wisconsin Technical College System Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2027.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS

Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Universities and Technical Colleges.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint SUSAN KLEPPIN, of Madison, as a Pharmacist Representative on the Pharmacy Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS

Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Health.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint BRIANNA TUCKER, of Stevens Point, as a Traditional Student Representative on the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2023.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS

Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Universities and Technical Colleges.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint CATHY LACY, of Highland, as a Real Estate Broker Representative on the Real Estate Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS

Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Housing, Commerce and Trade.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint DR. ESTHER ANCEL, of Milwaukee, as an Investment Experience Representative on the State of Wisconsin Investment Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2027.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Financial Institutions and Revenue**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint BARBARA NICK, of La Crosse, as a Public Member on the State of Wisconsin Investment Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2027.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Financial Institutions and Revenue**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint JEFFERY BERRY, of Milwaukee, as a Public Member on the Real Estate Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2022.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Housing, Commerce and Trade**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint SHEILA SCHINKE, of Combined Locks, as a Credit Union Experience Representative on the Credit Union Review Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2026.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Financial Institutions and Revenue**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint SHARON ADAMS, of Milwaukee, as a Southern Area Representative on the Natural Resources Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2027.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Senate Organization**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint VERA GUYTON, of Madison, as a Licensed Practical Nurse Representative on the Board of Nursing, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Health**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint DR. DERRICK SIEBERT, of Wausau, as a Doctor of Medicine Representative on the Medical Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Health**.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint DR. ASHOK RAI, of Suamico, as a Congressional District 8 Representative on the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2028.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Universities and Technical Colleges.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint CHRIS KENYON, of Mount Horeb, as a Public Member on the Dentistry Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2022.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Insurance, Licensing and Forestry.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint SANDRA DEE NAAS, of Ashland, as a Northern Area Representative on the Natural Resources Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2027.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Senate Organization.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint TED KELLNER, of Mequon, as a Public Member on the Board of Trustees of the Medical College of Wisconsin, to serve for the term ending June 30, 2027.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Universities and Technical Colleges.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint JOHN W. MILLER, of Fox Point, as a Congressional District 4 Representative on the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2028.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Universities and Technical Colleges.**

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

July 21, 2021

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint GURMIT KALEKA, of Neenah, as a Real Estate Broker Representative on the Real Estate Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,
TONY EVERS
Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Housing, Commerce and Trade.**