

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on State Affairs

Assembly Bill 754

Relating to: changes to the lobbying laws, including changes recommended by the Ethics Commission.

By Representatives Wichgers, Cabral-Guevara, Murphy and Spiros; cosponsored by Senator Bernier.

December 07, 2021 Referred to Committee on State Affairs

January 19, 2022 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (12) Representative Swearingen; Representatives Vorpapel, Kuglitsch, Summerfield, Spiros, Knodl, Brooks, Schraa, Sinicki, Pope, Ohnstad and McGuire.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Representative Tauchen.

Appearances For

- Sen. Kathy Bernier - 23rd Senate District
- William Neville - Rep. Wichgers - 83rd Assembly District
- Dan Carlton - WI Ethics Commission
- George Klaetsch - Assn. of WI Lobbyists

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Jay Risch - SWIB

Registrations For

- Susan Quam - WI Restaurant Assn.
- Kathi Kilgore - WI Hotel & Lodging Assn.

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 01, 2022 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (12) Representative Swearingen; Representatives
Vorpapel, Kuglitsch, Tauchen, Summerfield,
Spiros, Knodl, Brooks, Schraa, Sinicki, Pope
and McGuire.
Absent: (0) None.
Excused: (1) Representative Ohnstad.

Moved by Representative Summerfield, seconded by
Representative Sinicki that **Assembly Amendment 1** be
recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (12) Representative Swearingen; Representatives
Vorpapel, Kuglitsch, Tauchen,
Summerfield, Spiros, Knodl, Brooks,
Schraa, Sinicki, Pope and McGuire.

Noes: (0) None.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,
Ayes 12, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Tauchen, seconded by Representative
Spiros that **Assembly Bill 754** be recommended for passage as
amended.

Ayes: (12) Representative Swearingen; Representatives
Vorpapel, Kuglitsch, Tauchen,
Summerfield, Spiros, Knodl, Brooks,
Schraa, Sinicki, Pope and McGuire.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 12, Noes 0

Taylor Corkran
Committee Clerk