

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Agriculture and Tourism

Senate Bill 81

Relating to: labeling food as a type of dairy product or as a dairy ingredient and granting rule-making authority.

By Senators Marklein, Bernier, Cowles, Feyen, Pfaff, Ringhand, Testin, Wanggaard and Wimberger; cosponsored by Representatives Tranel, Armstrong, Brandtjen, Cabrera, Dittrich, Gundrum, Kurtz, Murphy, Moses, Novak, Oldenburg, Petryk, Pronschinske, Rozar, Sortwell, Skowronski, Summerfield, Tauchen, Thiesfeldt, Tusler, VanderMeer, Vruwink, Kerkman, Loudenbeck, Born and Tittl.

February 05, 2021 Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Tourism

February 09, 2021 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (9) Senator Ballweg; Senators Marklein, Testin, Petrowski, Bernier, Pfaff, Erpenbach, L. Taylor and Smith.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- John Umhoefer
- Dave Buholzer - Klondike Cheese Co
- Kim Heiman - Nasonville Dairy
- Sen. Howard Marklein - 17th Senate District
- Debi Towns - Wi Farm Bureau
- Chad Zuleger - Dairy Business assoc

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Bob Welch - Wi Corn Growers Association
- Tom Bresner - WI Agribusiness Assoc
- Rep. Travis Tranel - 49th Dist
- Jordan Lamb - Wisconsin Pork Association
- Jordan Lamb - Wisconsin Cattlemens Association

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 11, 2021

Executive Session Held by Paper Ballot

Present: (9) Senator Ballweg; Senators Marklein, Testin, Petrowski, Bernier, Pfaff, Erpenbach, L. Taylor and Smith.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by that **Senate Bill 81** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (8) Senator Ballweg; Senators Marklein, Testin, Petrowski, Bernier, Pfaff, Erpenbach and Smith.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 0

David Specht-Boardman
Committee Clerk