# STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Senate Journal

# One-Hundred and Sixth Regular Session

# MONDAY, March 11, 2024

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

# **CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES**

# BILLS PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR

The Chief Clerk records:

Senate Bill 34

Senate Bill 99

Senate Bill 136

Senate Bill 255

Senate Bill 310

Senate Bill 381

Senate Bill 381

Senate Bill 411

Senate Bill 415

Senate Bill 520

Senate Bill 586

Senate Bill 587

Senate Bill 624

Senate Bill 741

Senate Bill 741

Senate Bill 866

Presented to the Governor on 3-11-2024.

# REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The joint committee on **Finance** reported and recommended:

# **Assembly Bill 1089**

Relating to: interest rates on late, nondelinquent taxes and on overpayments.

# Concurrence.

Ayes: 10 - Senator Marklein and Representative Born; Senators Stroebel, Felzkowski, Testin and Wimberger; Representatives Katsma, Rodriguez, Kurtz and Dallman.

Noes: 4 - Senators L. Johnson and Roys; Representatives McGuire and Andraca.

#### Assembly Bill 29

Relating to: a sales and use tax exemption for precious metal bullion.

#### Concurrence.

Ayes: 11 - Senator Marklein and Representative Born; Senators Stroebel, Felzkowski, Testin and Wimberger; Representatives Katsma, Rodriguez, Kurtz, Dallman and McGuire

Noes: 2 - Senators Roys; Representative Andraca.

# **Assembly Bill 793**

Relating to: modifying the tax treatment of college savings accounts and the employee college savings account contribution credit.

#### Concurrence.

Ayes: 13 - Senator Marklein and Representative Born; Senators Stroebel, Felzkowski, Testin, Wimberger and Roys; Representatives Katsma, Rodriguez, Kurtz, Dallman, McGuire and Andraca.

Noes: 0 - None.

# **Assembly Bill 910**

Relating to: remote sellers of cigars and pipe tobacco.

#### Concurrence.

Ayes: 13 - Senator Marklein and Representative Born; Senators Stroebel, Felzkowski, Testin, Wimberger and Roys; Representatives Katsma, Rodriguez, Kurtz, Dallman, McGuire and Andraca.

Noes: 0 - None.

# **Assembly Bill 932**

Relating to: modifying the certification criteria to be a qualified new business venture.

#### Concurrence.

Ayes: 14 - Senator Marklein and Representative Born; Senators Stroebel, Felzkowski, Testin, Wimberger, L. Johnson and Roys; Representatives Katsma, Rodriguez, Kurtz, Dallman, McGuire and Andraca.

Noes: 0 - None.

# Assembly Bill 940

Relating to: funding for victim services and domestic abuse services, training for grant recipients, grants to child advocacy centers, and making an appropriation.

#### Concurrence

Ayes: 14 - Senator Marklein and Representative Born; Senators Stroebel, Felzkowski, Testin, Wimberger, L. Johnson and Roys; Representatives Katsma, Rodriguez, Kurtz, Dallman, McGuire and Andraca.

Noes: 0 - None.

HOWARD MARKLEIN Senate Chairperson The committee on Labor, Regulatory Reform, Veterans and Military Affairs reported and recommended:

#### **Assembly Bill 1079**

Relating to: employment of direct-care employees by veterans homes, eligibility for burial in veterans cemeteries, and elements of sexual assault under the Wisconsin Code of Military Justice.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Testin, Nass, Wanggaard, Wirch and Carpenter.

Noes: 0 - None.

#### **Assembly Bill 385**

Relating to: indication of Hmong veteran status on an operator's license or identification card.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Testin, Nass, Wanggaard, Wirch and Carpenter.

Noes: 0 - None.

#### Senate Bill 383

Relating to: indication of Hmong veteran status on an operator's license or identification card.

Passage.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Testin, Nass, Wanggaard, Wirch and Carpenter.

Noes: 0 - None.

# Senate Bill 387

Relating to: participants in clinical research trials.

Passage

Ayes: 3 - Senators Testin, Nass and Wanggaard.

Noes: 2 - Senators Wirch and Carpenter.

#### Senate Bill 991

Relating to: various changes to the worker's compensation law.

Passage.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Testin, Nass, Wanggaard, Wirch and Carpenter.

Noes: 0 - None.

PATRICK TESTIN

Chairperson

The committee on Senate Organization reported:

Public hearing requirement waived, pursuant to Senate Rule 18 (1m):

**Assembly Bill 29** 

**Assembly Bill 34** 

Assembly Bill 232

**Assembly Bill 385** 

**Assembly Bill 395** 

Assembly Bill 398

**Assembly Bill 558** 

Assembly Bill 603

**Assembly Bill 627** 

**Assembly Bill 664** 

Assembly Bill 669

Assembly Bill 793

**Assembly Bill 910** 

Assembly Bill 912

**Assembly Bill 917** 

Assembly Bill 918

Assembly Bill 932

Assembly Bill 940

Assembly Bill 954

Assembly Bill 957

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**Assembly Bill 967** 

**Assembly Bill 969** 

Assembly Bill 973 Assembly Bill 976

Assembly Bill 978

Assembly Bill 1013

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Assembly Bill 1050

**Assembly Bill 1073** 

Assembly Bill 1075 Assembly Bill 1096

Assembly Bill 1097

Assembly Bill 1098

Assembly Bill 1099

Assembly Bill 1100

Assembly Bill 1101

**Assembly Bill 1102** 

**Assembly Bill 1103** 

**Assembly Bill 1105** 

Ayes: 3 - Senators LeMahieu, Kapenga and Feyen.

Noes: 2 – Senators Hesselbein and Smith.

Placed the following appointments and proposals on the Senate Calendar of Tuesday, March 12, 2024:

Paul Adamski

Kenneth P. Adler

Kenneth Adler

Yulonda Anderson

**Barb Bolens** 

Milton Bond Jr.

Mary Bouche

Jeff Bowman

John Brogan

Lynsey Burzinski

**Terrance Craney** 

**Jefferson Deangelis** 

Amber Donovan

H. Bruce Enke

Jefferv Feldt

Jane Foley

Jane Foley

Michael Friedman

Mildred Gonzales

Dr. Paul Grebe	Assembly Bill 569
Lisa Greco	Assembly Bill 603
Abigail Haas	Assembly Bill 610
Dean Haen	Assembly Bill 627
Gary Hilgendorf	Assembly Bill 664
Stephanie Hilton	Assembly Bill 669
Michael Holden	Assembly Bill 793
Janet Jenkins	Assembly Bill 910
Janet Jenkins	Assembly Bill 912
Mary Beth Keppel	Assembly Bill 917
Mary Beth Keppel Samuel Landes	Assembly Bill 918
Robert Lang	Assembly Bill 932
Carmen Lerma	Assembly Bill 933
Steven R. Leuthner	Assembly Bill 940
Andrew Malecki	Assembly Bill 954
Jay McKenna	Assembly Bill 957
Patrick J. McNally	Assembly Bill 960
Jasmine Mercado	Assembly Bill 964
Thomas Merfeld	Assembly Bill 965
John W. Miller	•
John W. Miller	Assembly Bill 966
Dr. Justin Mortara	Assembly Bill 967
Don Mrotek	Assembly Bill 969
Cheryll A. Olson-Collins	Assembly Bill 973
Joan Phillips	Assembly Bill 976
Charles Schmalz	Assembly Bill 978
Kimberly Shaul	Assembly Bill 1013
Jeffrey L. Skrenes	Assembly Bill 1030
Sue Smedegard	Assembly Bill 1050
Holly Tomlanovich	Assembly Bill 1065
Frica Voelker	Assembly Bill 1073
Dana Wachs Roger Walsh	Assembly Bill 1075
Ranell G. Washington	Assembly Bill 1079
Alexis Watkins	Assembly Bill 1089
Colleen Woggon	Assembly Bill 1096
Judy K. Ziewacz	Assembly Bill 1097
Judy Ziewacz	Assembly Bill 1098
Senate Bill 172	Assembly Bill 1099
Senate Bill 374	Assembly Bill 1100
Senate Bill 616	Assembly Bill 1101
Senate Bill 667	Assembly Bill 1102
Senate Bill 791	Assembly Bill 1103
Senate Bill 822	Assembly Bill 1105
Senate Bill 990	Senate Joint Resolution 128
Assembly Joint Resolution 6	Senate Joint Resolution 129
Senate Bill 589	Senate Joint Resolution 132
Senate Bill 823	Assembly Joint Resolution 115
Assembly Joint Resolution 109	Assembly Joint Resolution 126
Assembly Joint Resolution 112	Assembly Joint Resolution 129
Assembly Bill 29	Assembly Joint Resolution 130
Assembly Bill 34 Assembly Bill 232	·
Assembly Bill 377	Ayes: 3 - Senators LeMahieu, Kapenga and Feyen.
Assembly Bill 385	Noes: 2 – Senators Hesselbein and Smith.
Assembly Bill 395	Placed the following appointments and proposals on the
Assembly Bill 398	Senate Calendar of Tuesday, March 12, 2024:
Assembly Bill 548	·
Assembly Bill 558	Senate Bill 525
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Ayes: 5 - Senators LeMahieu, Kapenga, Feyen, Hesselbein and Smith.

Noes: 0 - None.

DEVIN LEMAHIEU Chairperson

The committee on **Universities and Revenue** reported and recommended:

# Assembly Bill 627

Relating to: various changes to the business development tax credit.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 6 - Senators Hutton, James, Ballweg, Cabral-Guevara, Roys and Smith.

Noes: 2 - Senators Nass and Larson.

ROB HUTTON Chairperson

# PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Spreitzer added as a cosponsor of **Assembly Bill 627**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Spreitzer added as a coauthor of **Senate Bill 585**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Spreitzer added as a coauthor of **Senate Bill 822**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Palmeri added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 1073**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Palmeri added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 1082**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Palmeri added as a cosponsor of **Senate Joint Resolution 129**.

State of Wisconsin Office of the Senate President

March 11, 2024

The Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 46 (2)(c), I am writing to inform you that I have directed the following proposals to be withdrawn from committee and rereferred. I have obtained the consent of the appropriate standing committee chairs person and the chairperson of the committee on Senate Organization.

Assembly Bill 940, relating to: funding for victim services and domestic abuse services, training for grant recipients, grants to child advocacy centers, and making an appropriation., withdrawn from the committee on Senate Organization and rereferred to the joint committee on Finance.

Assembly Bill 1089, relating to: interest rates on late, nondelinquent taxes and on overpayments., withdrawn from the committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to the joint committee on **Finance**.

Assembly Bill 29, relating to: a sales and use tax exemption for precious metal bullion., withdrawn from the committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to the joint committee on **Finance**.

Assembly Bill 910, relating to: remote sellers of cigars and pipe tobacco., withdrawn from the committee on **Senate** Organization and rereferred to the joint committee on Finance.

Assembly Bill 793, relating to: modifying the tax treatment of college savings accounts and the employee college savings account contribution credit., withdrawn from the committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to the joint committee on **Finance**.

Assembly Bill 932, relating to: modifying the certification criteria to be a qualified new business venture, withdrawn from the committee on **Senate Organization** and rereferred to the joint committee on **Finance**.

Sincerely, CHRIS L. KAPENGA Senate President