

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Workforce Development and Economic Opportunities

Assembly Bill 973

Relating to: mandatory training regarding human trafficking for employees of community-based residential facilities and owners of certain entities and certain other employees and granting rule-making authority.

By Representatives Gundrum, Stubbs, C. Anderson, Baldeh, Behnke, Brandtjen, Callahan, Conley, Considine, Edming, Emerson, Hurd, Kitchens, Krug, Maxey, Murphy, Mursau, O'Connor, Schraa, Subeck and Wichgers; cosponsored by Senators Knodl, Ballweg, Taylor, Testin and Wirsch.

January 18, 2024 Referred to Committee on Workforce Development and Economic Opportunities

January 24, 2024 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (13) Representative Petryk; Representatives Michalski, Gundrum, Snyder, Armstrong, Nedweski, Rettinger, Sapik, Shankland, Sinicki, Shelton, Jacobson and Madison.
Absent: (0) None.
Excused: (2) Representatives Rozar and O'Connor.

Appearances For

- Representative Rick Gundrum
- Kathy Kilgore - WI Hotel & Lodging Association

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Representative Shelia Stubbs
- Senator Dan Knodl
- Steven Conway - Wisconsin State Lodge Fraternal Order of Police
- Hannah Huffman - UMOS
- David Earlywine - Wisconsin Catholic Conference
- Jack Hoogendyk - Wisconsin Family Action

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 06, 2024

Executive Session Held

Present: (14) Representative Petryk; Representatives Michalski, Gundrum, Snyder, Armstrong, Rozar, Nedweski, O'Connor, Rettinger, Shankland, Sinicki, Shelton, Jacobson and Madison.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Representative Sapik.

Moved by Representative Gundrum, seconded by Representative Rozar that **Assembly Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (14) Representative Petryk; Representatives Michalski, Gundrum, Snyder, Armstrong, Rozar, Nedweski, O'Connor, Rettinger, Shankland, Sinicki, Shelton, Jacobson and Madison.

Noes: (0) None.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,
Ayes 14, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Shankland, seconded by Representative Gundrum that **Assembly Bill 973** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (14) Representative Petryk; Representatives Michalski, Gundrum, Snyder, Armstrong, Rozar, Nedweski, O'Connor, Rettinger, Shankland, Sinicki, Shelton, Jacobson and Madison.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 14, Noes 0

BJ Dernbach
Committee Clerk