Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety

Assembly Bill 51

Relating to: appointment of certain lawfully present aliens as law enforcement officers.

By Representatives Macco, Steffen, Kitchens, Armstrong, Baldeh, Behnke, Duchow, Edming, Emerson, S. Johnson, Krug, Michalski, Murphy, Mursau, O'Connor, Ohnstad, Ortiz-Velez, Schmidt, Schraa, Snyder and Green; cosponsored by Senators James, Taylor and Jacque.

March 23, 2023 Referred to Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety

May 10, 2023 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (7) Senator Wanggaard; Senators Jacque, Knodl,

James, Taylor, Roys and Larson.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Senator Wimberger.

Appearances For

- Senator Jesse James 23rd Senate District
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- James O'Neill American business Immigration Coalition
- Chris Davis Green Bay Police Department
- Representative John Macco 88th AD
- Marco Lopez
- Andrew Smith Retired Chief of Police, Green Bay

Appearances Against

• None.

Appearances for Information Only

• None.

Registrations For

- Jordan Primakow City Of Milwaukee
- Marc Herstand National Association of Social Workers Wisconsin chapter
- Exec Dir Jim Palmer WPPA
- Alice OConnor WPPA

Registrations Against

• None.

Registrations for Information Only

None.

May 23, 2023 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (7) Senator Wanggaard; Senators Jacque,

Wimberger, Knodl, James, Taylor and Roys.

Absent: (0) None. Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Taylor, seconded by Senator James that **Assembly Bill 51** be recommended for concurrence.

Ayes: (6) Senator Wanggaard; Senators Jacque, Knodl, James, Taylor and Roys.

Noes: (1) Senator Wimberger.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 1

Eric Barbour Committee Clerk