



# STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Assembly Journal

## One-Hundred and Seventh Regular Session

MONDAY, May 19, 2025

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date:

### AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Assembly Amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 153** offered by Representative Tusler.

Assembly Amendment 1 to Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 171** offered by Representative Tusler.

Assembly Amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 201** offered by Representative Snyder.

### ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

#### Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 24-049

Relating to the authorization of one or more additional fee structures and establishing maximum fees or charges that may be made thereunder by adjustment service companies, and modifying chapter DFI-Bkg 73 of the Wisconsin Administrative Code to incorporate certain requirements of the federal Telemarketing Sales Rule.

Submitted by Department of Financial Institutions.

Report received from Agency, May 8, 2025.

To committee on **Financial Institutions**.

Referred on May 19, 2025.

#### Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 24-099

Relating to provisional licensure for international physicians.

Submitted by Medical Examining Board.

Report received from Agency, May 14, 2025.

To committee on **Health, Aging and Long-Term Care**.

Referred on May 19, 2025.

#### Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 25-009

Relating to the extension of kinship care and long-term kinship care payments to like-kin and the definition of out-of-home care in child welfare rules.

Submitted by Department of Children and Families.

Report received from Agency, May 14, 2025.

To committee on **Children and Families**.

Referred on May 19, 2025.

#### Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 25-016

Relating to the definition of good standing under ch. PI 34.

Submitted by Department of Public Instruction.

Report received from Agency, May 14, 2025.

To committee on **Education**.

Referred on May 19, 2025.

#### Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 25-017

Relating to program coordinator licenses.

Submitted by Department of Public Instruction.

Report received from Agency, May 14, 2025.

To committee on **Education**.

Referred on May 19, 2025.

#### Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 24-078

Relating to professional development for professional geologists.

No action taken by committee on **Regulatory Licensing Reform** on May 19, 2025.

To joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules** pursuant to s. 227.19 (5) (a), Wisconsin Statutes.

Referred on May 19, 2025.

#### Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 24-079

Relating to professional development for professional hydrologists.

No action taken by committee on **Regulatory Licensing Reform** on May 19, 2025.

To joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules** pursuant to s. 227.19 (5) (a), Wisconsin Statutes.

Referred on May 19, 2025.

### INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

#### Assembly Joint Resolution 56

Relating to: congratulating Knights of Columbus Council 499 for achieving a century of compassionate commitment to service of the Church, their community, and their fellow man.

By Representative Green; cosponsored by Senator Quinn.

To committee on **Rules**.

#### Assembly Joint Resolution 57

Relating to: urging support for a constitutional amendment to provide states with authority to regulate campaign financing.

By Representative Steffen; cosponsored by Senator Testin.

To committee on **Rules**.

#### Assembly Joint Resolution 58

Relating to: designating May as Older Americans Month in Wisconsin.

By Representatives Taylor, Billings, Brown, Clancy, Cruz, DeSanto, DeSmidt, Fitzgerald, Hysell, J. Jacobson, Johnson, Madison, Moore Omokunde, Palmeri, Prado, Roe, Sinicki, Stubbs, Subeck, and Miresse; cosponsored by Senators Drake, Carpenter, Ratcliff, and Spreitzer.

To committee on **Rules**.

#### **Assembly Bill 258**

Relating to: license eligibility and restriction extensions relating to ignition interlock devices.

By Representatives Spiros, Kaufert, Andraca, Brooks, Dittrich, Goeben, Gundrum, Knodl, Maxey, Murphy, Mursau, O'Connor, Penterman, Piowarczyk, Snyder, and Subeck; cosponsored by Senators Wanggaard, Pfaff, Feyen, Hutton, Larson, and Tomczyk.

To committee on **Judiciary**.

#### **Assembly Bill 259**

Relating to: criminal trespass at a campground and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Dallman, Behnke, Green, Dittrich, Penterman, Petersen, and Melotik; cosponsored by Senators Jacque and Nass.

To committee on **Criminal Justice and Public Safety**.

#### **Assembly Bill 260**

Relating to: a pilot school-centered mental health program.

By Representatives Dittrich, Armstrong, Callahan, Donovan, B. Jacobson, Kreibich, Maxey, Mursau, Novak, and Piowarczyk; cosponsored by Senators James and Testin.

To committee on **Mental Health and Substance Abuse Prevention**.

#### **Assembly Bill 261**

Relating to: certification of surgical technologists.

By Representatives Callahan, Gundrum, Johnson, Kreibich, Murphy, and O'Connor; cosponsored by Senators James, Pfaff, and Spreitzer.

To committee on **Health, Aging and Long-Term Care**.

#### **Assembly Bill 262**

Relating to: findings of fact when the court grants less than equal physical placement of a child.

By Representatives Brooks, Dittrich, Knodl, Kreibich, Murphy, Nedweski, O'Connor, Penterman, and Zimmerman; cosponsored by Senators Wimberger and Wanggaard.

To committee on **Children and Families**.

#### **Assembly Bill 263**

Relating to: coverage of breast cancer screenings by the Medical Assistance program and health insurance policies and plans.

By Representatives Duchow, Nedweski, Gustafson, Subeck, Anderson, Andraca, Arney, Bare, Behnke, Brown, Clancy, DeSanto, DeSmidt, Dittrich, Donovan, Fitzgerald, Franklin, Goeben, Gundrum, Hysell, Joers, Johnson, Kirsch, Kreibich, Maxey, Miresse, Moore Omokunde, Mursau, Neubauer, Neylon, O'Connor, Ortiz-Velez, Prado, Sheehan, Snodgrass, Spaude, Stubbs, Tusler, Udell, Vining, and Palmeri; cosponsored by Senators Cabral-Guevara, James, L. Johnson, Carpenter, Drake, Dassler-Alfheim, Habush

Sinykin, Hesselbein, Keyeski, Larson, Nass, Ratcliff, Roys, Spreitzer, and Wall.

To committee on **Health, Aging and Long-Term Care**.

#### **Assembly Bill 264**

Relating to: certain limitations on claiming the veterans and surviving spouses property tax credit.

By Representatives Phelps, Arney, Bare, Behnke, Billings, Brown, DeSmidt, Fitzgerald, Johnson, Joers, Madison, Maxey, McCarville, Miresse, Ortiz-Velez, Roe, and Snodgrass; cosponsored by Senators Smith, Dassler-Alfheim, Hesselbein, Keyeski, Larson, and Spreitzer.

To committee on **Ways and Means**.

#### **Assembly Bill 265**

Relating to: human trafficking and trafficking of a child and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Wittke, O'Connor, B. Jacobson, Snyder, VanderMeer, Steffen, Moses, Penterman, Dittrich, Murphy, Knodl, Behnke, Piowarczyk, Mursau, and Kreibich; cosponsored by Senator Wanggaard.

To committee on **Criminal Justice and Public Safety**.

#### **Assembly Bill 266**

Relating to: the fee for filing limited liability company articles of organization with the Department of Financial Institutions.

By Representatives Franklin, Maxey, Doyle, Armstrong, DeSmidt, Goodwin, O'Connor, Dittrich, Gundrum, Miresse, Snodgrass, Melotik, Joers, Sheehan, Knodl, Bare, Roe, Kreibich, Behnke, and Brooks; cosponsored by Senators Hutton, Bradley, Pfaff, Wirsch, Cabral-Guevara, Nass, Kapenga, Ratcliff, and Spreitzer.

To committee on **Financial Institutions**.

#### **Assembly Bill 267**

Relating to: waiver of fees for admission to state parks on Earth Day.

By Representatives Joers, Behnke, Anderson, Andraca, Arney, Bare, Billings, Brown, Clancy, DeSanto, DeSmidt, Emerson, Fitzgerald, Haywood, Hong, Hysell, J. Jacobson, Johnson, Kirsch, Madison, Mayadev, McCarville, Miresse, Moore Omokunde, Ortiz-Velez, Palmeri, Phelps, Prado, Roe, Sheehan, Sinicki, Snodgrass, Stroud, Stubbs, Subeck, Tenorio, Udell, and Vining; cosponsored by Senators Hesselbein, Cabral-Guevara, Drake, Habush Sinykin, Larson, Ratcliff, Roys, Spreitzer, and Wirsch.

To committee on **Forestry, Parks and Outdoor Recreation**.

#### **Assembly Bill 268**

Relating to: the right of appeal for complainants aggrieved by decisions of the Elections Commission concerning the conduct of election officials.

By Representatives Wittke, Neylon, Allen, O'Connor, Penterman, Murphy, Armstrong, Dittrich, Moses, Piowarczyk, Knodl, Brill, Behnke, Wichgers, Kreibich, and Goeben; cosponsored by Senators Wanggaard and Nass.

To committee on **Campaigns and Elections**.

#### **Assembly Bill 269**

Relating to: delivery network couriers and transportation network drivers, Department of Financial Institutions'

approval to offer portable benefit accounts, providing for insurance coverage, modifying administrative rules related to accident and sickness insurance, and granting rule-making authority.

By Representatives Dallman, Brooks, Armstrong, Ortiz-Velez, Snyder, Wichgers, Wittke, Knodl, and Prado; cosponsored by Senators Bradley, Cabral-Guevara, and Testin.

To committee on **State Affairs**.

#### **Assembly Bill 270**

Relating to: a school psychologist loan program.

By Representatives Sortwell, Behnke, Cruz, Mursau, Steffen, and Subeck; cosponsored by Senator Jacque.

To committee on **Mental Health and Substance Abuse Prevention**.

#### **Assembly Bill 271**

Relating to: camera monitor systems as an alternative to mirrors for commercial motor vehicles.

By Representatives Spiros, Franklin, Callahan, Gundrum, Gustafson, Knodl, Kreibich, Miresse, Moses, Murphy, Mursau, O'Connor, Penterman, Steffen, and Wichgers; cosponsored by Senators Wimberger, Jacque, James, and Nass.

To committee on **Transportation**.

#### **Assembly Bill 272**

Relating to: eligibility for Family Care for individuals who are deaf-blind.

By Representatives Roe, Anderson, Arney, Bare, Billings, Brown, Cruz, DeSanto, DeSmidt, Dittrich, Emerson, Joers, Madison, Miresse, Ortiz-Velez, Palmeri, Rivera-Wagner, Snodgrass, Stubbs, Subeck, Tenorio, and Udell; cosponsored by Senators Spreitzer, Carpenter, Dassler-Alfheim, Drake, Hesselbein, Keyeski, Larson, Ratcliff, Roys, and Wirch.

To committee on **Health, Aging and Long-Term Care**.

#### **Assembly Bill 273**

Relating to: the membership of the Controlled Substances Board.

By Representatives Dittrich, Brill, Franklin, Gundrum, Johnson, Maxey, Moses, O'Connor, and Ortiz-Velez; cosponsored by Senator James.

To committee on **Criminal Justice and Public Safety**.

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

The committee on **Education** reports and recommends:

#### **Assembly Bill 210**

Relating to: changes to amount of, and criteria for designating recipients of, academic excellence higher education scholarships.

Passage:

Ayes: 8 - Representatives Kitchens, Goeben, Brill, Snyder, Dittrich, Melotik, Mursau, and Penterman.

Noes: 4 - Representatives Hong, Cruz, Phelps, and Sheehan.

To committee on **Rules**.

*JOEL KITCHENS*

Chairperson

Committee on Education

The committee on **Housing and Real Estate** reports and recommends:

#### **Assembly Bill 82**

Relating to: exempting certain conveyances between grandparents and grandchildren from the real estate transfer fee.

Passage:

Ayes: 12 - Representatives Brooks, Murphy, Armstrong, Penterman, Piowarczyk, Summerfield, Kreibich, Goeben, Haywood, Bare, Emerson, and Ortiz-Velez.

Noes: 1 - Representative Clancy.

To committee on **Rules**.

#### **Assembly Bill 157**

Relating to: prohibiting filing or recording contracts for services or materials that do not improve real estate and providing a penalty.

Assembly Amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 13 - Representatives Brooks, Murphy, Armstrong, Penterman, Piowarczyk, Summerfield, Kreibich, Goeben, Haywood, Bare, Clancy, Emerson, and Ortiz-Velez.

Noes: 0.

Assembly Amendment 2 adoption:

Ayes: 13 - Representatives Brooks, Murphy, Armstrong, Penterman, Piowarczyk, Summerfield, Kreibich, Goeben, Haywood, Bare, Clancy, Emerson, and Ortiz-Velez.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 13 - Representatives Brooks, Murphy, Armstrong, Penterman, Piowarczyk, Summerfield, Kreibich, Goeben, Haywood, Bare, Clancy, Emerson, and Ortiz-Velez.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

#### **Assembly Bill 194**

Relating to: modifications to housing programs under the Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority.

Assembly Amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 12 - Representatives Brooks, Murphy, Armstrong, Penterman, Piowarczyk, Summerfield, Kreibich, Goeben, Haywood, Bare, Emerson, and Ortiz-Velez.

Noes: 1 - Representative Clancy.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 13 - Representatives Brooks, Murphy, Armstrong, Penterman, Piowarczyk, Summerfield, Kreibich, Goeben, Haywood, Bare, Clancy, Emerson, and Ortiz-Velez.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

*ROBERT BROOKS*

Chairperson

Committee on Housing and Real Estate

The committee on **Insurance** reports and recommends:

**Assembly Bill 107**

Relating to: conversion of cooperative associations organized to establish and operate nonprofit plans or programs for health care into service insurance corporations.

Passage:

Ayes: 9 - Representatives Dittrich, Callahan, Tusler, Duchow, Sortwell, Steffen, Doyle, Bare, and Udell.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

*BARBARA DITTRICH*

Chairperson

Committee on Insurance

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**ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

The following Assembly proposals, which have been approved by both the Assembly and Senate, have been enrolled by the Legislative Reference Bureau:

**Assembly Bill 73**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 12**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 14**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 29**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 35**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 45**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 46**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 47**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 48**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 55**

*EDWARD A. BLAZEL*

Assembly Chief Clerk

**COMMUNICATIONS**

The Chief Clerk received the following coauthor and cosponsor requests on May 16, 2025:

Representative Kreibich added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 235**, relating to: workforce literacy grant program.

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The Chief Clerk received the following coauthor and cosponsor requests on May 19, 2025:

Senator Larson added as a cosponsor of **Assembly Bill 185**, relating to: property tax exemption for nonprofit theaters.

Representative Miresse added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 194**, relating to: modifications to housing programs under the Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority.

Representative Ortiz-Velez withdrawn as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 216**, relating to: the amount and distribution of the real estate transfer fee, grants under the land information program, real property recording notification systems, and making an appropriation.

Representatives Anderson and Stroud added as coauthors and Senator Habush Sinykin added as a cosponsor of **Assembly Bill 231**, relating to: creating a tax credit for expenses related to film production services and for capital investments made by a film production company, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

Representatives DeSmidt, Emerson and Snodgrass added as coauthors of **Assembly Bill 233**, relating to: grants to child advocacy centers.

Representative Clancy added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 257**, relating to: advanced practice registered nurses, extending the time limit for emergency rule procedures, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority.