



# STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Assembly Journal

## One-Hundred and Seventh Regular Session

10:30 A.M.

FRIDAY, June 20, 2025

The Assembly met in the Assembly Chamber located in the State Capitol.

Representative Dallman in the chair.

The Assembly dispensed with the call of the roll.

### AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Assembly Amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 306** offered by Representative B. Jacobson.

### ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

#### Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 24-099

Relating to provisional licensure for international physicians.

No action taken by committee on **Health, Aging and Long-Term Care** on June 19, 2025.

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

Referred on June 20, 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.

No action taken by committee on **Children and Families** on June 19, 2025.

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

Referred on June 20, 2025.

#### Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 25-016

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

No action taken by committee on **Education** on June 19, 2025.

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

Referred on June 20, 2025.

#### Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 25-017

Relating to program coordinator licenses.

No action taken by committee on **Education** on June 19, 2025.

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

Referred on June 20, 2025.

### COMMITTEE REPORTS

The committee on **Criminal Justice and Public Safety** reports and recommends:

#### Assembly Bill 239

Relating to: harassment of search and rescue dogs and providing a penalty.

Passage:

Ayes: 15 - Representatives Spiros, Piwowarczyk, Donovan, Duchow, Franklin, B. Jacobson, Melotik, Novak, Sortwell, Steffen, Emerson, Doyle, McGuire, Spaude, and Taylor.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

#### Assembly Bill 259

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

Assembly Amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 15 - Representatives Spiros, Piwowarczyk, Donovan, Duchow, Franklin, B. Jacobson, Melotik, Novak, Sortwell, Steffen, Emerson, Doyle, McGuire, Spaude, and Taylor.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 15 - Representatives Spiros, Piwowarczyk, Donovan, Duchow, Franklin, B. Jacobson, Melotik, Novak, Sortwell, Steffen, Emerson, Doyle, McGuire, Spaude, and Taylor.

Noes: 0.

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#### Assembly Bill 273

Relating to: the membership of the Controlled Substances Board.

Passage:

Ayes: 15 - Representatives Spiros, Piwowarczyk, Donovan, Duchow, Franklin, B. Jacobson, Melotik, Novak, Sortwell, Steffen, Emerson, Doyle, McGuire, Spaude, and Taylor.

Noes: 0.

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#### Assembly Bill 278

Relating to: grants to law enforcement agencies for data-sharing platforms.

Passage:

Ayes: 11 - Representatives Spiros, Piwowarczyk, Donovan, Duchow, Franklin, B. Jacobson, Melotik, Novak, Sortwell, Steffen, and Spaude.

Noes: 4 - Representatives Emerson, Doyle, McGuire, and Taylor.

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**Assembly Bill 285**

Relating to: public protective services hearing protection assistance.

Assembly Amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 13 - Representatives Spiros, Donovan, Franklin, B. Jacobson, Melotik, Novak, Sortwell, Steffen, Emerson, Doyle, McGuire, Spaude, and Taylor.

Noes: 2 - Representatives Piwowarczyk and Duchow.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 11 - Representatives Spiros, Donovan, Franklin, B. Jacobson, Melotik, Novak, Sortwell, Steffen, Emerson, Doyle, and Spaude.

Noes: 4 - Representatives Piwowarczyk, Duchow, McGuire, and Taylor.

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**Assembly Bill 298**

Relating to: grants for technical colleges to provide mapping data to law enforcement.

Passage:

Ayes: 10 - Representatives Spiros, Piwowarczyk, Donovan, Duchow, Franklin, B. Jacobson, Melotik, Novak, Sortwell, and Steffen.

Noes: 5 - Representatives Emerson, Doyle, McGuire, Spaude, and Taylor.

To committee on **Rules**.

*JOHN SPIROS*

Chairperson

Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety

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The committee on **Jobs and Economy** reports and recommends:

**Assembly Bill 279**

Relating to: talent recruitment grants.

Passage:

Ayes: 5 - Representatives Gundrum, Armstrong, Franklin, Goeben, and Melotik.

Noes: 2 - Representatives Moore Omokunde and Tenorio.

To **calendar** of Tuesday, June 24.

*RICK GUNDRUM*

Chairperson

Committee on Jobs and Economy

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The committee on **Mental Health and Substance Abuse Prevention** reports and recommends:

**Assembly Bill 111**

Relating to: psychiatric residential treatment facilities, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority.

Assembly Amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 10 - Representatives Tittl, Brill, Behnke, VanderMeer, Dittrich, Gundrum, Snyder, Vining, DeSanto, and Roe.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 10 - Representatives Tittl, Brill, Behnke, VanderMeer, Dittrich, Gundrum, Snyder, Vining, DeSanto, and Roe.

Noes: 0.

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**Assembly Bill 113**

Relating to: sharing minors' safety plans.

Passage:

Ayes: 7 - Representatives Tittl, Brill, Behnke, VanderMeer, Dittrich, Gundrum, and Snyder.

Noes: 3 - Representatives Vining, DeSanto, and Roe.

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**Assembly Bill 260**

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

Passage:

Ayes: 7 - Representatives Tittl, Brill, Behnke, VanderMeer, Dittrich, Gundrum, and Vining.

Noes: 2 - Representatives DeSanto and Roe.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 299**

Relating to: provision of virtual mental health services for students at certain UW System institutions.

Passage:

Ayes: 8 - Representatives Tittl, Brill, Behnke, VanderMeer, Dittrich, Gundrum, Snyder, and Vining.

Noes: 2 - Representatives DeSanto and Roe.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 303**

Relating to: 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline grants.

Passage:

Ayes: 10 - Representatives Tittl, Brill, Behnke, VanderMeer, Dittrich, Gundrum, Snyder, Vining, DeSanto, and Roe.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 304**

Relating to: a grant to assist in the purchase and renovation of an existing facility in the city of Chippewa Falls to provide a 50-bed treatment center to men with substance use disorders.

Passage:

Ayes: 10 - Representatives Tittl, Brill, Behnke, VanderMeer, Dittrich, Gundrum, Snyder, Vining, DeSanto, and Roe.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

*PAUL TITTL*  
Chairperson  
Committee on Mental Health and  
Substance Abuse Prevention

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The committee on **State Affairs** reports and recommends:

**Assembly Bill 293**

Relating to: sunset of the community-oriented policing-house grant program.

Assembly Amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 9 - Representatives Swearingen, Green, Wittke, Moses, Spiros, Summerfield, Sinicki, Kirsch, and Roe.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 9 - Representatives Swearingen, Green, Wittke, Moses, Spiros, Summerfield, Sinicki, Kirsch, and Roe.

Noes: 0.

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*ROB SWEARINGEN*  
Chairperson  
Committee on State Affairs

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The committee on **Veterans and Military Affairs** reports and recommends:

**Assembly Bill 27**

Relating to: expanding veterans benefits to individuals who served in Laos in support of the United States during the Vietnam War.

Assembly Amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 11 - Representatives Penterman, Franklin, Maxey, Snyder, Spiros, Summerfield, Tittl, Sinicki, Brown, McCarville, and Tenorio.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 11 - Representatives Penterman, Franklin, Maxey, Snyder, Spiros, Summerfield, Tittl, Sinicki, Brown, McCarville, and Tenorio.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 250**

Relating to: funding for the War Memorial Center and making an appropriation.

Passage:

Ayes: 11 - Representatives Penterman, Franklin, Maxey, Snyder, Spiros, Summerfield, Tittl, Sinicki, Brown, McCarville, and Tenorio.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

*WILLIAM PENTERMAN*  
Chairperson  
Committee on Veterans and Military  
Affairs

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The committee on **Workforce Development, Labor, and Integrated Employment** reports and recommends:

**Assembly Bill 235**

Relating to: workforce literacy grant program.

Passage:

Ayes: 7 - Representatives Melotik, Snyder, Armstrong, Dittrich, Gundrum, Kreibich, and Sheehan.

Noes: 2 - Representatives Sinicki and Fitzgerald.

To committee on **Rules**.

**Assembly Bill 241**

Relating to: required ratio of journeyworkers to apprentices in apprenticeship programs and contracts.

Assembly Amendment 2 adoption:

Ayes: 9 - Representatives Melotik, Snyder, Armstrong, Dittrich, Gundrum, Kreibich, Sinicki, Fitzgerald, and Sheehan.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 6 - Representatives Melotik, Snyder, Armstrong, Dittrich, Gundrum, and Kreibich.

Noes: 3 - Representatives Sinicki, Fitzgerald, and Sheehan.

To committee on **Rules**.

*PAUL MELOTIK*  
Chairperson  
Committee on Workforce  
Development, Labor, and Integrated  
Employment

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**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

From: Cyrus Anderson, Senate Chief Clerk.

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform you that the Senate has

Adopted and asks concurrence in:

**Senate Joint Resolution 34**

**Senate Joint Resolution 64**

**Senate Joint Resolution 70**

**Senate Joint Resolution 71**

Passed and asks concurrence in:

**Senate Bill 10**

**Senate Bill 41**

**Senate Bill 94**

**Senate Bill 98**

**Senate Bill 106**

**Senate Bill 108**

**Senate Bill 111**

**Senate Bill 124**

**Senate Bill 152**

**Senate Bill 162**

**Senate Bill 169**

**Senate Bill 179**

**Senate Bill 182**

**Senate Bill 184**

**Senate Bill 189**

**Senate Bill 232**  
**Senate Bill 235**  
**Senate Bill 255**  
**Senate Bill 278**  
**Senate Bill 279**  
**Senate Bill 283**

Concurred in:

**Assembly Bill 45**  
**Assembly Bill 61**  
**Assembly Bill 85**  
**Assembly Bill 87**  
**Assembly Bill 140**  
**Assembly Bill 232**  
**Assembly Bill 242**  
**Assembly Bill 257**  
**Assembly Bill 269**  
**Assembly Joint Resolution 50**  
**Assembly Joint Resolution 59**  
**Assembly Joint Resolution 60**  
**Assembly Joint Resolution 66**

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**ACTION ON THE SENATE MESSAGE**

**Senate Joint Resolution 71**

Relating to: honoring Jerry Apps for his contributions to Wisconsin's heritage.

By Senators Jacque, Pfaff, Keyeski, Wirsch, Spreitzer, and Ratcliff; cosponsored by Representatives Tranel, Novak, Kreibich, O'Connor, Gundrum, Mursau, Murphy, Penterman, Sinicki, Miresse, Goodwin, and Palmeri.

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**Senate Bill 98**

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

By Senators Hutton, Felzkowski, and Wall; cosponsored by Representatives Callahan, Armstrong, Dittrich, Gundrum, Knodl, Kreibich, Subeck, Summerfield, Tusler, Wichgers, and Wittke.

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**Senate Bill 106**

Relating to: psychiatric residential treatment facilities, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority.

By **Joint Legislative Council**

To **calendar** of Tuesday, June 24.

**Senate Bill 108**

Relating to: sharing minors' safety plans.

By **Joint Legislative Council**

To **calendar** of Tuesday, June 24.

**Senate Bill 124**

Relating to: creating a board to organize, promote, and host a Wisconsin nuclear power summit and making an appropriation.

By Senators Bradley, Feyen, and Quinn; cosponsored by Representatives Steffen, Sortwell, Armstrong, Callahan,

Dittrich, Green, Knodl, Kreibich, Murphy, Mursau, O'Connor, Penterman, Snyder, Subeck, and Tusler.

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**Senate Bill 152**

Relating to: financial eligibility for the Alzheimer's family and caregiver support program.

By Senators Cabral-Guevara, Testin, Dassler-Alfheim, James, Tomczyk, Wirsch, Drake, Ratcliff, and Spreitzer; cosponsored by Representatives Kaufert, Franklin, Bare, Behnke, Donovan, Gundrum, Joers, Knodl, Kreibich, Mursau, O'Connor, Palmeri, Snyder, Stubbs, Subeck, Tenorio, and Madison.

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**Senate Bill 169**

Relating to: privacy protections for judicial officers.

By Senator Wanggaard; cosponsored by Representatives Tusler, Dittrich, Gundrum, Kreibich, Murphy, O'Connor, Penterman, Sinicki, and Subeck.

To **calendar** of Tuesday, June 24.

**Senate Bill 232**

Relating to: grants to child advocacy centers.

By Senators James and Habush Sinykin; cosponsored by Representatives Snyder, Novak, Armstrong, Brill, Dittrich, Franklin, Gundrum, Maxey, Melotik, Mursau, Piowarczyk, Rivera-Wagner, Spiros, Steffen, and Wichgers.

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**Senate Bill 235**

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

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

To **calendar** of Tuesday, June 24.

**Senate Bill 255**

Relating to: regulation of the Chippewa and Flambeau Improvement Company.

By Senators James, Pfaff, Quinn, and Smith; cosponsored by Representatives Summerfield, Doyle, Green, Moses, O'Connor, Piowarczyk, and Stroud.

To **calendar** of Tuesday, June 24.

**Senate Bill 278**

Relating to: sunset of the community-oriented policing-house grant program.

By Senators Wanggaard and Carpenter; cosponsored by Representatives Spiros and Stubbs.

To **calendar** of Tuesday, June 24.

**Senate Bill 279**

Relating to: grants to law enforcement agencies for data-sharing platforms.

By Senators Wanggaard and Bradley; cosponsored by Representatives Donovan, Callahan, Spiros, Novak, Piowarczyk, Wichgers, Dittrich, Mursau, Brill, Knodl, Murphy, Subeck, Tusler, Kreibich, Sortwell, O'Connor, and Maxey.

To **calendar** of Tuesday, June 24.

**Senate Bill 283**

Relating to: public protective services hearing protection assistance.

By Senators James and Testin; cosponsored by Representatives B. Jacobson and Spiros.

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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 45**  
**Assembly Bill 61**  
**Assembly Bill 85**  
**Assembly Bill 87**  
**Assembly Bill 232**  
**Assembly Bill 269**  
**Assembly Joint Resolution 50**  
**Assembly Joint Resolution 60**  
**Assembly Joint Resolution 66**

*EDWARD A. BLAZEL*  
 Assembly Chief Clerk

**REFERENCE BUREAU CORRECTIONS****Assembly Bill 269**

In enrolling, the following corrections were made:

1. Page 7, line 13: delete “services” and substitute “services,”.
2. Page 11, line 1: delete “(5)” and substitute “(5)”.
3. Page 11, line 8: delete “~~1~~ of” and substitute “~~of~~”.
4. Page 14, line 23: delete “app-based” and substitute “application-based”.

**Assembly Bill 45**

In enrolling, the following corrections were made:

1. Page 10, line 19: delete the material beginning with “, as” and ending with “251,” on line 20.
2. Page 13, line 2: after that line insert: “(dm) “CDR” means the Commission on Dietetic Registration or its successor organization.”.  
 \*\*\*NOTE: Moves a definition so as to put it in alphabetical order. See also items 3. and 4.
3. Page 13, line 5: delete lines 5 to 9.
4. Page 13, line 15: after that line insert: “(im) “Continuing education” means a requirement, as a condition of license renewal, to provide evidence of participation in, and completion of, educational and professional activities relevant to practice or area of work.”.
5. Page 14, line 6: delete “limitation on” and substitute “limitation on,”.
6. Page 20, line 12: delete “two” and substitute “2”.
7. Page 28, line 11: delete “nine” and substitute “9”.

**SPEAKER’S COMMUNICATIONS**

June 20, 2025

Edward A. Blazel  
 Assembly Chief Clerk  
 17 West Main Street, Suite 401  
 Madison, WI 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Blazel:

Please directly refer the following proposals to the Assembly session calendar for Tuesday, June 24, 2025 pursuant to Assembly Rules 42(3)(c) and 45 (1):

- Assembly Bill 17
- Assembly Bill 26
- Assembly Bill 35
- Assembly Bill 53
- Assembly Bill 59
- Assembly Bill 63
- Assembly Bill 65
- Assembly Bill 80
- Assembly Bill 107
- Assembly Bill 108
- Assembly Bill 111
- Assembly Bill 113
- Assembly Bill 121
- Assembly Bill 123
- Assembly Bill 132
- Assembly Bill 149
- Assembly Bill 153
- Assembly Bill 154
- Assembly Bill 157
- Assembly Bill 171
- Assembly Bill 176
- Assembly Bill 187
- Assembly Bill 233
- Assembly Bill 254
- Assembly Bill 259
- Assembly Bill 273
- Assembly Bill 278
- Assembly Bill 279
- Assembly Bill 285
- Assembly Bill 293
- Assembly Joint Resolution 6
- Assembly Joint Resolution 56
- Senate Joint Resolution 7
- Senate Joint Resolution 48
- Senate Joint Resolution 71
- Senate Bill 5
- Senate Bill 56
- Senate Bill 98
- Senate Bill 106
- Senate Bill 108
- Senate Bill 121
- Senate Bill 124
- Senate Bill 125
- Senate Bill 152

- Senate Bill 164
- Senate Bill 169
- Senate Bill 172
- Senate Bill 232
- Senate Bill 235
- Senate Bill 255
- Senate Bill 278
- Senate Bill 279
- Senate Bill 283

Sincerely,  
*ROBIN J. VOS*  
Assembly Speaker

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## COMMUNICATIONS

The Chief Clerk received the following coauthor and cosponsor requests on June 18, 2025:

Representative Penterman added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 108**, relating to: a nuclear power siting study and time limits for taking final action on certain certificate of public convenience and necessity applications.

Senator Carpenter added as a cosponsor of **Assembly Bill 176**, relating to: financial eligibility for the Alzheimer's family and caregiver support program.

Senator Carpenter added as a cosponsor of **Assembly Bill 233**, relating to: grants to child advocacy centers.

Representative Subeck added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 309**, relating to: immunity for 911 call centers and dispatchers that transfer callers to the national 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline.

Senator Carpenter added as a cosponsor of **Assembly Joint Resolution 34**, Relating to: honoring the 50th anniversary of the child support program.

Representative Penterman added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 125**, relating to: a nuclear power siting study and time limits for taking final action on certain certificate of public convenience and necessity applications.

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The Chief Clerk received the following coauthor and cosponsor requests on June 20, 2025:

Representative Duchow added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 161**, relating to: governmental restrictions based on the energy source of a motor vehicle or other device.

Representative Udell added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 301**, relating to: grants to mental health clubhouses and making an appropriation.

Representative Duchow added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 184**, relating to: governmental restrictions based on the energy source of a motor vehicle or other device.

Representative Subeck added as a cosponsor of **Senate Joint Resolution 71**, Relating to: honoring Jerry Apps for his contributions to Wisconsin's heritage.

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

Representative Sinicki added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 239**, relating to: harassment of search and rescue dogs and providing a penalty.

Representative Sinicki added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 263**, relating to: coverage of breast cancer screenings by the Medical Assistance program and health insurance policies and plans.

Representative Sinicki added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 264**, relating to: certain limitations on claiming the veterans and surviving spouses property tax credit.

Representative Sinicki added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 272**, relating to: eligibility for Family Care for individuals who are deaf-blind.

Representative Sinicki added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 307**, relating to: the pupil participation limit in the state parental choice program.

Representative Snodgrass added as a coauthor of **Assembly Joint Resolution 67**, Relating to: honoring the life and public service of Representative Richard A. Flintrop.

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## ADJOURNMENT

Representative August moved that the Assembly stand adjourned until 10:00 A.M. on Monday, June 23.

The question was: Shall the Assembly stand adjourned?

Motion carried.

The Assembly stood adjourned. 10:31 A.M.