

STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

One-Hundred and Seventh Regular Session

9:40 A.M.

TUESDAY, April 15, 2025

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by Senate President Felzkowski.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (6), the Chief Clerk made the following entries under the above date.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Judiciary and Public Safety** reported and recommended:

Assembly Bill 78

Relating to: impoundment of vehicles used in certain reckless driving offenses.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 7 - Senators Wanggaard, James, Wimberger, Jacque, Hutton, Drake and L. Johnson.

Noes: 1 - Senator Roys.

Assembly Bill 86

Relating to: imposing the penalty of life imprisonment for the crime of child trafficking and providing a penalty.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 6 - Senators Wanggaard, James, Jacque, Hutton, L. Johnson and Roys.

Noes: 1 - Senator Drake.

Senate Bill 121

Relating to: recodification of battery statutes and providing a penalty.

Passage.

Ayes: 8 - Senators Wanggaard, James, Wimberger, Jacque, Hutton, Drake, L. Johnson and Roys.

Noes: 0 - None.

Senate Bill 65

Relating to: impoundment of vehicles used in certain reckless driving offenses.

Senate Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 7 - Senators Wanggaard, James, Wimberger, Jacque, Hutton, Drake and L. Johnson.

Noes: 1 - Senator Roys.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 7 - Senators Wanggaard, James, Wimberger, Jacque, Hutton, Drake and L. Johnson.

Noes: 1 - Senator Roys.

Senate Bill 66

Relating to: registration plate concealment devices and providing a penalty.

Passage.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Wanggaard, James, Wimberger, Jacque and Hutton.

Noes: 3 - Senators Drake, L. Johnson and Roys.

Senate Bill 76

Relating to: dismissing or amending certain criminal charges and deferred prosecution agreements for certain crimes.

Senate Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Wanggaard, James, Wimberger, Jacque and Hutton.

Noes: 3 - Senators Drake, L. Johnson and Roys.

Senate Amendment 2 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Wanggaard, James, Wimberger, Jacque and Hutton.

Noes: 3 - Senators Drake, L. Johnson and Roys.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Wanggaard, James, Wimberger, Jacque and Hutton.

Noes: 3 - Senators Drake, L. Johnson and Roys.

Senate Bill 91

Relating to: imposing the penalty of life imprisonment for the crime of child trafficking and providing a penalty.

Passage.

 $Ayes: 6 \text{ - Senators Wanggaard}, James, Jacque, Hutton, L. \\ Johnson and Roys.$

Noes: 1 - Senator Drake.

VAN WANGGAARD

Chairperson

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Prado added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 12**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Miresse added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 38**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Miresse added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 71**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Miresse added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 96**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Armstrong added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 99**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Miresse added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 105**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Miresse added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 136**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Miresse added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 142**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Miresse added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 152**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Pfaff added as a coauthor of **Senate Bill 178**.

ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 15, 2025

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint ANTHONY B. COOPER SR., of Madison, as a Public Member on the Public Defender Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2028.

Respectfully Submitted, TONY EVERS Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Judiciary and Public Safety**.

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 15, 2025

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint SALLY DISCHLER, of Deforest, as a Member with Credit Union Experience on the Credit Union Review Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2030.

Respectfully Submitted, TONY EVERS Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Financial Institutions and Sporting Heritage**.

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 15, 2025

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint MIKE ERVIN, of Sturtevant, as a Private Labor Representative on the Prison Industries Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2029.

Respectfully Submitted, TONY EVERS Governor

Read and referred to the committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 15, 2025

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint MARTINA GAUTHIER, of Keshena, as a Wisconsin Bar Representative on the Public Defender Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2028.

Respectfully Submitted, TONY EVERS Governor

Read and referred to the committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 15, 2025

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint KELLY H. GREBE, of Mequon, as a General Business Representative on the State Fair Park Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2030.

Respectfully Submitted, TONY EVERS Governor

Read and referred to the committee on Utilities and Tourism.

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 15, 2025

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint CHRISTINE LEFEBRE, of Appleton, as a Professional Member on the Cemetery Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2028.

Respectfully Submitted, TONY EVERS

Read and referred to the committee on Licensing, Regulatory Reform, State and Federal Affairs.

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The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint BRIAN C. MCGRAW, of Muscoda, as a Public Member on the Land and Water Conservation Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2027.

Respectfully Submitted, TONY EVERS Governor

Read and referred to the committee on Natural Resources, Veteran and Military Affairs.

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 15, 2025

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint CHRISTINE MOCZYNSKI, of Milwaukee, as a Member with Credit Union Experience on the Credit Union Review Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2030.

Respectfully Submitted, TONY EVERS Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Financial Institutions and Sporting Heritage**.

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 15, 2025

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint RANDALL H. POELMA, of La Crosse, as a Recreational User Group Representative on the Lower Wisconsin State Riverway Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2028.

Respectfully Submitted, TONY EVERS Governor

Read and referred to the committee on Natural Resources, Veteran and Military Affairs.

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 15, 2025

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint DR. DALE B. TAYLOR, of Eau Claire, as a Public Member on the Board on Aging and Long Term Care, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2030.

Respectfully Submitted, TONY EVERS

Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Health**.

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 15, 2025

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint ELLEN M. THORN, of Sparta, as a Wisconsin Bar Representative on the Public Defender Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2028.

Respectfully Submitted, TONY EVERS Governor

Read and referred to the committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 15, 2025

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint MAI NENG XIONG, of Omro, as a Public Member on the Public Defender Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2028.

Respectfully Submitted, TONY EVERS Governor

Read and referred to the committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 15, 2025

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint JOHN YINGLING, of Mequon, as a State Resident on the State Fair Park Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2030.

Respectfully Submitted, TONY EVERS Governor

Read and referred to the committee on **Utilities and Tourism**.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Felzkowski, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate stand adjourned until Thursday, April 17, 2025.

Adjourned.

9:41 A.M.