

## Senate

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Transportation and Local Government**

##### **Senate Bill 285**

Relating to: talent recruitment grants.

By Senators Testin, Pfaff and Feyen; cosponsored by Representatives Armstrong, Kitchens, Kreibich, Mursau, Novak, Swearingen and Wittke.

May 30, 2025                      Referred to Committee on Transportation and Local Government

June 10, 2025                      **Public Hearing Held**

Present:     (5)        Senator Tomczyk; Senators Hutton,  
   Wanggaard, Carpenter and Spreitzer.

Absent:       (0)        None.

Excused:    (0)        None.

##### Appearances For

- Mike Rutz - Make My Move
- Rep. Dave Armstrong

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- Government Affairs Director Toni Herkert - League of Wisconsin Municipalities
- Senator Patrick Testin - 24th Senate District
- President Brian Dake - Wisconsin Independent Businesses
- Michael Welsh - Wisconsin Economic Development Association
- Luke Bacher - NFIB
- Kathi Kilgore - Wisconsin Hotel & Lodging Association

##### Registrations Against

- None.

##### Registrations for Information Only

- None.

June 12, 2025

**Executive Session Held by Paper Ballot**

Present: (5) Senator Tomczyk; Senators Hutton,  
Wanggaard, Carpenter and Spreitzer.  
Absent: (0) None.  
Excused: (0) None.

Moved that **Senate Bill 285** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (3) Senator Tomczyk; Senators Hutton and  
Wanggaard.

Noes: (2) Senators Carpenter and Spreitzer.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2

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Chad Taylor  
Committee Clerk