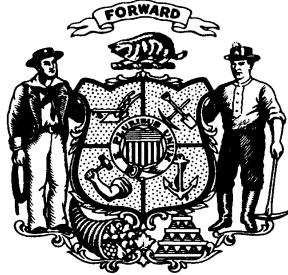


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TO: MEMBERS OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PERMANENCY FOR
YOUNG CHILDREN IN THE CHILD WELFARE SYSTEM

FROM: Melissa Schmidt and Margit Kelley, Staff Attorneys

DATE: February 6, 2013

The following bill drafts were approved by the Special Committee:

- WLC: 0066/1, relating to adoptions and posttermination contact agreements, passed by a vote of Ayes, 12 (Rep. Kerkman; and Public Members Ellingson, Foley, Gumz, Herbst, Jasmer, Leoso-Corbine, Neeson, Othrow, Rogers, Snead, and Sowinski); Noes, 3 (Sen. Lazich; Rep. Billings; and Public Member Grigsby); and Not Voting, 1 (Public Member Maki).
- WLC: 0068/1, relating to the right to counsel and the right to a jury trial in proceedings for a child in need of protection or services and for an involuntary termination of parental rights, passed by a vote of Ayes, 10 (Rep. Kerkman; and Public Members Ellingson, Foley, Herbst, Jasmer, Leoso-Corbine, Neeson, Rogers, Snead, and Sowinski); Noes, 5 (Sen. Lazich; Rep. Billings; and Public Members Grigsby, Gumz, and Othrow); and Not Voting, 1 (Public Member Maki).
- WLC: 0069/1, relating to proceedings for a child in need of protection or services and for an involuntary termination of parental rights, passed by a vote of Ayes, 11 (Reps. Kerkman and Billings; and Public Members Ellingson, Foley, Jasmer, Leoso-Corbine, Neeson, Othrow, Rogers, Snead, and Sowinski); Noes, 4 (Sen. Lazich; and Public Members Grigsby, Gumz, and Herbst); and Not Voting, 1 (Public Member Maki).

The Joint Legislative Council will be taking up the recommendations of your committee on **Wednesday, February 13, 2013, at 8:30 a.m., in Room 411 South, State Capitol.** You are,

of course, welcome to attend to observe the presentation. We are unable to reimburse Public Members for expenses since it is not a meeting of the Special Committee.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Thank you.

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