

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Health

Assembly Bill 120

Relating to: inadmissibility of a statement of apology or condolence by a health care provider.

By Representatives Severson, Nygren, Bernier, Bies, Brooks, Czaja, Honadel, Jacque, Kaufert, Kestell, Kleefisch, Knodl, LeMahieu, Marklein, Murphy, Nass, A. Ott, Petersen, Pridemore, Schraa, Stone, Strachota, Tittl, Craig and Ballweg; cosponsored by Senators Vukmir, Cowles and Farrow.

May 13, 2013 Referred to Committee on Health

May 29, 2013 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (8) Representative Severson; Representatives Stone, Sanfelippo, August, Pasch, C. Taylor, Kolste and Riemer.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (3) Representatives Strachota, Kapenga and Petersen.

Appearances For

- Erik Severson - Rep. - 28th Assembly District
- Mark Grapentine - Wisconsin Medical Society
- Eric Jensen - Wisconsin Chapter, American College of Emergency Physicians

Appearances Against

- Jeff Pitman - Wisconsin Association for Justice

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Eric Jensen - Wisconsin Academy of Physician Assistants
- Eric Jensen - Wisconsin Academy of Ophthalmologists
- Eric Jensen - Wisconsin Psychiatric Association
- Eric Jensen - Wisconsin Society of Anesthesiologists
- Charles Shabino - Dr. - Wisconsin Hospital Association
- Kyle O'Brien - Wisconsin Hospital Association
- Tim Hoven - Medical College of Wisconsin
- Tim Hoven - Wisconsin Academy of Family Physicians
- Eric Tempelis - Gundersen Lutheran

- Andre Jacque - Rep. - 2nd Assembly District
- Jason Culotta - Wisconsin Manufacturers & Commerce
- Forbes McIntosh - Residential Services Association of Wisconsin
- Jeremy Levin - Rural Wisconsin Health Cooperative
- Karla Ashenhurst - Ministry Health Care
- Michelle Mettner - Children's Hospital
- Jason Childress - Aurora Healthcare
- Lisa Maroney - UW Health
- Mara Brooks - Wisconsin Dental Association
- Robert Phillips - Dr. - Mashfield Clinic
- Tony Driessen - ThedaCare
- Tony Driessen - Wisconsin Society of Podiatric Medicine
- Tony Driessen - Wisconsin Association of Health Underwriters
- Deb Dahlke - Wisconsin Association of Nurse Anesthetists
- Jim McGinn - Wisconsin Health Care Association
- Jim Murphy - Wisconsin Assisted Living Association

Registrations Against

- Ryan Wherley - Self

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

June 05, 2013

Executive Session Held

Present: (11) Representative Severson; Representatives Stone, Sanfelippo, Strachota, August, Kapenga, Petersen, Pasch, C. Taylor, Kolste and Riemer.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Stone, seconded by Representative Petersen that **Assembly Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (7) Representative Severson; Representatives Stone, Sanfelippo, Strachota, August, Kapenga and Petersen.

Noes: (4) Representatives Pasch, C. Taylor, Kolste and Riemer.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,
Ayes 7, Noes 4

Moved by Representative Petersen, seconded by Representative Strachota that **Assembly Bill 120** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (7) Representative Severson; Representatives Stone, Sanfelippo, Strachota, August, Kapenga and Petersen.

Noes: (4) Representatives Pasch, C. Taylor, Kolste and Riemer.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 4

AJ Scholz
Committee Clerk