Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on State Affairs

Assembly Bill 55

Relating to: incorporating the Holocaust and other genocides into the state model social studies standards and requiring instruction on the Holocaust and other genocides.

By Representatives Plumer, Subeck, Skowronski, Anderson, Andraca, Baldeh, Billings, Bowen, Brooks, Brostoff, Cabrera, Callahan, Conley, Considine, Dittrich, Doyle, Drake, Duchow, Edming, Emerson, Goyke, Gundrum, Hebl, Hintz, Hesselbein, Hong, Katsma, Kerkman, Kuglitsch, Knodl, Magnafici, Milroy, Mursau, B. Meyers, L. Myers, Neubauer, Novak, Ohnstad, Ortiz-Velez, Pronschinske, Riemer, J. Rodriguez, S. Rodriguez, Rozar, Schraa, Shankland, Shelton, Sinicki, Snodgrass, Snyder, Spiros, Spreitzer, Steffen, Stubbs, Tauchen, Tittl, Tusler, Vining, Vos, Vruwink and Wichgers; cosponsored by Senators Darling, Agard, Carpenter, Erpenbach, Felzkowski, Feyen, Jacque, Johnson, Larson, Pfaff, Ringhand, Roys, Wanggaard and Wirch.

February 10, 2021 Referred to Committee on State Affairs

March 10, 2021 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (11) Representative Swearingen; Representatives Vorpagel, Tauchen, Summerfield, Spiros, Knodl, Brooks, Schraa, Sinicki, Ohnstad and McGuire.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (2) Representatives Kuglitsch and Pope.

Appearances For

- Sen. Alberta Darling 8th Senate District
- Rep. Jon Plumer 42nd Assembly District
- Rep. Lisa Subeck 78th Assembly District
- Natalie White HERC
- Jody Fuller HERC
- Sarah Gesner HERC
- Sara Sillars HERC

Appearances Against

None.

Appearances for Information Only

None.

Registrations For

• Kim Vercanteren - WI Catholic Conference

Registrations Against

None.

Registrations for Information Only

• Grant Huber - Dept. of Public Instruction

March 31, 2021 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (13) Representative Swearingen; Representatives Vorpagel, Kuglitsch, Tauchen, Summerfield,

Spiros, Knodl, Brooks, Schraa, Sinicki, Pope,

Ohnstad and McGuire.

Absent: (0) None. Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Knodl, seconded by Representative Tauchen that **Assembly Bill 55** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (13) Representative Swearingen; Representatives

Vorpagel, Kuglitsch, Tauchen, Summerfield, Spiros, Knodl, Brooks, Schraa, Sinicki, Pope, Ohnstad and

McGuire.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 13, Noes 0

Taylor Corkran
Committee Clerk