

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Agriculture and Tourism

Senate Bill 36

Relating to: modifying the Department of Tourism's reporting duties and repealing requirements to distribute cheese, submit a financial statement, and use famous residents in marketing.

By Senators Ballweg, Cowles, Marklein, Smith, Spreitzer and Taylor; cosponsored by Representatives Plumer, Dallman, C. Anderson, Armstrong, Kitchens, Mursau, Myers, Novak, Penterman, Rozar and Schutt.

February 03, 2023 Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Tourism

February 16, 2023 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (9) Senator Ballweg; Senators Tomczyk, Marklein, Testin, Quinn, Pfaff, Smith, Spreitzer and Hesselbein.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Senator Joan Ballweg - 14th Senate District
- Secretary-Designee Anne Sayers - Department of Tourism

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Bill Elliott - Wisconsin Hotel & Lodging Association
- Eric Knight - AWTA
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- Susan Quam - Wisconsin Restaurant Association
- Representative Jon Plumer
- Executive director Julia Hertel - Destinations Wisconsin

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

March 08, 2023

Executive Session Held by Paper Ballot

Present: (9) Senator Ballweg; Senators Tomczyk, Marklein, Testin, Quinn, Pfaff, Smith, Spreitzer and Hesselbein.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by that **Senate Bill 36** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (9) Senator Ballweg; Senators Tomczyk, Marklein, Testin, Quinn, Pfaff, Smith, Spreitzer and Hesselbein.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0

David Specht-Boardman
Committee Clerk