

STATE OF WISCONSIN  
**Assembly Journal**

**Ninetieth Regular Session**

10:00 A.M.

TUESDAY, March 5, 1991

The assembly met.

Representative Bell in the chair.

The assembly dispensed with the call of the roll.

**AMENDMENTS OFFERED**

Assembly amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 36** offered by Representative Van Gorden.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 76** offered by Representative Musser.

**INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE  
OF PROPOSALS**

Read first time and referred:

**Assembly Joint Resolution 34**

Relating to urging the department of industry, labor and human relations to consider adjusting the minimum wage and recommending that department appoint a minimum wage council.

By Representatives Prosser, Welch, Vergeront, Radtke, Duff, Hahn, Silbaugh, Wimmer, Lorge, Musser, Ladwig, Johnsrud, Schneiders, Kaufert, Van Gorden, Gard, Goetsch, Ainsworth, Vrakas, Ott, Urban, Lehman and Darling, cosponsored by Senators Rude, Buettner, Kreul and Huelsman.

To committee on Labor.

**Assembly Joint Resolution 35**

Relating to memorializing congress to modify restrictions on the use of veterans mortgage bonds.

By committee on Veterans and Military Affairs.

To committee on Rules.

**Assembly Joint Resolution 36**

Relating to eligibility to office of a person convicted of a misdemeanor involving a violation of public trust or of a felony (first consideration).

By Representatives Wood, Huber, Radtke, Holschbach, Van Dreel, Goetsch, Schneiders, Musser, Brandemuehl, Zien, Urban, Kaufert and Nass, cosponsored by Senators Lorman, Moen and Farrow.

To committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety.

**Assembly Joint Resolution 37**

Relating to the effective date for any legislative compensation increase or decrease (first consideration).

By Representatives Lorge, Ainsworth, Schultz and Zien.

To committee on State Affairs.

**Assembly Joint Resolution 38**

Relating to declaring English the language of Wisconsin, mandating the use of English for all governmental written expression, and permitting release of governmental communications in additional languages when appropriate (first consideration).

By Representatives Vergeront, Prosser, Silbaugh, Porter, Schultz, Schneiders, Brancel, Hahn, Van Gorden, Ainsworth, Wimmer, Gard and Zien, cosponsored by Senators Andrea, Kreul, Buettner and Farrow.

To committee on State Affairs.

**Assembly Bill 157**

Relating to requiring counties to maintain certain efforts under the community options program.

By Representatives Zweck, Huber, Roberts, Baldus, Hasenohrl, Reynolds, Holperin, Gruszynski, Stower, Hamilton, Van Dreel, Goetsch, Lorge, Duff, Urban and Brancel, cosponsored by Senators Decker and Huelsman.

To committee on Children and Human Services.

**Assembly Bill 158**

Relating to the property tax exemption for mobile homes.

By Representatives Swoboda, Deininger, Klusman, Goetsch, Radtke, Musser, Brandemuehl, Duff, Silbaugh, Hahn, Darling, Lehman, Medinger, Ainsworth, Underheim, Zien, Vrakas and Wimmer, cosponsored by Senators Potter, Weeden, Farrow, Huelsman and Lorman.

To Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions.

**Assembly Bill 159**

Relating to pay and benefits to deputy sheriffs who are suspended or dismissed, changes in the law enforcement officers' bill of rights and the applicability of collective bargaining dispute and disciplinary procedures affecting certain local governmental employes.

By Representatives Lautenschlager, Clarenbach, Van Dreel, Vanderperren, Krusick, Travis, Kaufert, Musser, Grobschmidt, Stower, M. Coggs, Boyle, Bock, Gruszynski, Barca, Hauke, Porter, Hasenohrl, Black, Potter, Goetsch, Zweck, Fortis, Medinger, Antaramian, Wineke, Roberts, Seery and Robson, cosponsored by Senators Feingold, Chvala, Breske, Decker, Potter, Burke, Roshell, Helbach, Czarnecki, Andrea and Van Sistine.

To committee on Labor.

**Assembly Bill 160**

Relating to suspension of aid to families with dependent children payments because of certain acts.

By Representatives Ladwig, Krusick, Coleman, Porter, Bolle, Rosenzweig, Welch, Duff, Vergeront, Ourada, Radtke, Ainsworth, Brancel, Lehman, Van Gorden, Lorge, Goetsch, Hahn, Gard, Johnsrud, Klusman, Underheim, Schneiders, Vrakas and Turner, cosponsored by Senators Buettner, Huelsman, Stitt, Lorman, Kreul, Lekan, Cowles, Andrea and Rude.

To committee on Children and Human Services.

#### **Assembly Bill 161**

Relating to truancy and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Van Dreel, Lautenschlager, Vanderperren, Van Gorden, Hinkfuss, Schneiders, Vander Loop, Duff, Baldus, Stower, Ott, Roberts, Hasenohrl, Grobschmidt, Porter, Bolle, Musser, Ladwig, Lorge, Hamilton, Radtke and Underheim, cosponsored by Senators Van Sistine, Buettner and Berndt.

To committee on Children and Human Services.

#### **Assembly Bill 162**

An act relating to repeal, renumber, amend and revise various provisions of the statutes for the purpose of correcting errors, supplying omissions, clarifying language, correcting and clarifying references, renumbering for better location and arrangement, eliminating unnecessary and obsolete provisions, reconciling conflicts and repelling unintended repeals (Revisor's Correction Bill).

By Law Revision Committee.

To committee on State Affairs.

#### **Assembly Bill 163**

Relating to publication of the proceedings of political subdivisions.

By Representatives Roberts, Baldus, Seery, Huber, Hasenohrl, Hamilton, Moore, Turner, Musser and Goetsch, cosponsored by Senators Barrett and Burke.

To committee on Urban and Local Affairs.

#### **Assembly Bill 164**

Relating to authorization for electors to vote in the primary of more than one political party.

By Representatives Holperin, Medinger, Wood, Williams, Robson, Hasenohrl, Bolle, Musser, Hinkfuss, Ourada, Van Gorden, Porter, Brancel and Lorge, cosponsored by Senators Rude and Stitt.

To committee on Elections and Constitutional Law.

#### **Assembly Bill 165**

Relating to allowing the city of West Allis to direct the assessment of a surcharge on state fair park admission tickets and granting a tax exemption.

By Representative Bell, cosponsored by Senator Czarnecki.

To Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions.

#### **Assembly Bill 166**

Relating to establishing a correctional institution in Manitowoc county.

By Representatives Bolle and Holschbach, cosponsored by Senator Potter, by request of Manitowoc

County Board of Supervisors; Two Rivers City Council; and Manitowoc City Council.

To committee on Government Operations and Corrections.

#### **Assembly Bill 167**

Relating to allowing disabled and ill persons to testify by telephone to boards of review.

By Representatives Panzer, Klusman, Bolle, Harsdorf, Porter, Baldus, Brancel, Moore, Silbaugh, Brandemuehl, Potter, Zien, Schneiders, Hahn, Ott, Turba, Vanderperren, Goetsch, Underheim, Williams, Barca, Rosenzweig, Darling, Coleman, Radtke, Lehman, Lorge and Schultz, cosponsored by Senators Buettner, Roshell, Lorman, Risser, Andrea and Stitt.

To committee on Urban and Local Affairs.

#### **Assembly Bill 168**

Relating to limitations on actions for injuries or wrongful death.

By Representatives Loucks, Bolle, Schultz, Rosenzweig, Zien, Klusman, Lehman, Welch, Van Gorden, Musser, Goetsch, Hahn and Schneiders, cosponsored by Senators Weeden and Huelsman.

To Special Committee on Reform of Health Insurance.

#### **Assembly Bill 169**

Relating to liability of shareholders to corporate employes.

By Representatives Loucks, Bolle, Wimmer, Klusman, Gard, Silbaugh, Hahn, Vergeront, Lehman, Ott, Schneiders, Turba, Darling and Ladwig, cosponsored by Senators Huelsman, Farrow and Lorman.

To committee on Securities and Corporate Policy.

#### **Assembly Bill 170**

Relating to giving veterans paid leave of absences on Veterans' day.

By Representatives Musser, Zien and Lorge, cosponsored by Senator Kreul.

To committee on Veterans and Military Affairs.

#### **Assembly Bill 171**

Relating to eligibility for a veteran's housing loan.

By Representatives Musser, Bolle, Baldus, Hamilton, Zien, Lehman, Lorge, Porter, Roberts, Goetsch, Brandemuehl, Barca, Holschbach and Vergeront, cosponsored by Senators Moen, Rude, Breske and Kreul.

To committee on Veterans and Military Affairs.

#### **Assembly Bill 172**

Relating to persons who may occupy motor vehicles operated by persons who hold instruction permits.

By Representatives Musser, Hahn, Lorge and Zien.

To committee on Highways.

#### **Assembly Bill 173**

Relating to discontinuing the property tax exemption for cooperative sickness care associations.

By Representatives Urban, Hamilton, Lehman, Young, Silbaugh, Vander Loop, Zien and Vrakas, cosponsored by Senators Farrow and Breske.

To Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions.

**Assembly Bill 174**

Relating to regulating the operation and use of tanning facilities and providing penalties.

By Representatives Urban, Carpenter, Rosenzweig, Robson, Turba, Bock, Coleman, Grobschmidt, Porter, Young, Ott, Fortis, Silbaugh, Baldus, Hahn, Bolle, Ainsworth and Moore, cosponsored by Senators Farrow and Plewa.

To committee on Health.

**Assembly Bill 175**

Relating to ignition interlock devices, providing penalties and granting rule-making authority.

By Representatives Foti, Carpenter, Baldus, Panzer, Vrakas, Radtke, Antaramian, Klusman, Bolle, Stower, Zien, Silbaugh, Fortis, Vergeront, Lehman, Robson, Ladwig, Ainsworth, Turba, Ott, Wimmer, Van Gorden, Porter, Underheim, Lorge and Urban, cosponsored by Senators Risser, Rude, Huelsman, Buettner and Lorman.

To committee on Judiciary.

**Assembly Bill 176**

Relating to allowing municipalities to invest surplus debt service funds in the state's local government pooled-investment fund.

By Representatives Secry, Carpenter, Notestein, Krug, Travis, Hamilton, Ourada, Bell and Moore, cosponsored by Senators Burke, Czarnecki, Ulichny and Chvala.

To committee on Ways and Means.

**Assembly Bill 177**

Relating to admissibility of evidence regarding the manner of dress of a complaining witness.

By Representatives Rosenzweig, Potter, Brancel, Krug, Black, Stower, Robson, Carpenter, Huber, Plache, Rohan, M. Coggs, Van Dreel, Rutkowski, Gronemus, Holschbach, Bolle, Vander Loop, Porter, Musser, Goetsch, Harsdorf, Klusman, Darling, Vrakas, Loucks, Lehman, Zien, Bock, Moore, S. Coggs, Boyle and Hisrich, cosponsored by Senators Ulichny, Burke, Barrett, Helbach, Buettner, Risser, Potter, Huelsman, Breske, Stitt, Lasee and Farrow.

To committee on Judiciary.

**Assembly Bill 178**

Relating to requiring a portion of certain sales taxes to be paid into the transportation fund.

By Representatives Vanderperren, Hasenohrl, Zweck, Van Dreel, Van Gorden, Bolle, Lehman, Schwartz, Ourada, Hamilton, Schultz, Lorge, Porter, Klusman and Turner, cosponsored by Senators Roshell, Van Sistine, Lasee, Kreul and Andrea.

To committee on Ways and Means.

**Assembly Bill 179**

Relating to firearm transfers, providing penalties and granting rule-making authority.

By Representatives Bock, Carpenter, Plache, Fortis, Ainsworth, Notestein, Darling, Vanderperren, Urban, M. Coggs, Potter, Young and Barca, cosponsored by Senators Barrett, Burke and Risser.

To committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety.

**Assembly Bill 180**

Relating to requiring consent for an unemancipated minor's abortion, informed consent of a woman to her own abortion, granting rule-making authority and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Grobschmidt, Welch, Medinger, Brancel, Wood, Prosser, Hauke, Radtke, Freese, Zien, Hamilton, Schneiders, Lorge, Holschbach, Ourada, Van Gorden, Swoboda, Underheim, Urban, Bolle, Turba, Vergeront, Vanderperren, Brandemuehl, Foti, Stower, Ott, Rosenzweig, Williams, Loucks, Gard, Van Dreel, Johnsrud, Porter, Baldus, Harsdorf, Hahn, Hasenohrl, Duff, Silbaugh, Baumgart, Coleman, Lehman, Musser, Nass, Ladwig, Goetsch, Kaufert, Ainsworth, Schultz and Vander Loop, cosponsored by Senators Roshell, Lasee, Plewa, Breske, Andrea, Rude, Van Sistine, Ellis, Potter, Kreul, Lcean, Weeden, Farrow, Buettner, Berndt, Petak and Cowles.

To committee on Children and Human Services.

**Assembly Bill 181**

Relating to: revisions to the business corporation law and repealing director verification requirements for telephonic meetings.

By Representatives Hauke, Wimmer, Baldus and Deininger, cosponsored by Senators Barrett, Ulichny, Huelsman, Risser, Lasee and Petak.

To committee on Securities and Corporate Policy.

**Assembly Bill 182**

Relating to law enforcement authority across state lines, eluding a peace officer and evidence from another state.

By Representatives Stower, Robson, Turner, Krusick, Medinger, Roberts, Barca, Baldus, Vander Loop, Fortis, Holperin, Huber, Harsdorf, Deininger, Duff, Musser, Radtke, Wimmer, Kaufert, Underheim and Urban, cosponsored by Senators Moen, Potter, Van Sistine, Breske, Rude, Buettner, Huelsman and Berndt.

To committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety.

**Assembly Bill 183**

Relating to the agricultural production loan guarantee program and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Hahn, Brancel, Turba, Van Gorden, Harsdorf, Goetsch, Porter, Vergeront, Lehman, Silbaugh, Zien, Lorge, Vander Loop, Urban and Radtke, cosponsored by Senator Kreul.

To committee on Agriculture, Aquaculture and Forestry.

**Assembly Bill 184**

Relating to the exemption from licensure for physical therapist assistants.

By Representatives Bock, Carpenter, Fortis, Musser, Gruszynski, Ainsworth, Ourada, Johnsrud, Stower, Rohan, Roberts, Silbaugh and Notestein, cosponsored by Senators Barrett, Rude, Burke, Berndt, Chvala, Jauch, Huelsman, Plewa, Breske and Feingold.

To committee on Public Health and Regulation.

**Assembly Bill 185**

Relating to procurement contracts for apples or cherries.

By Representatives Swoboda, Hahn and Van Dreel, cosponsored by Senator Lasee.

To committee on Agriculture, Aquaculture and Forestry.

**Assembly Bill 186**

Relating to granting creditable service under the Wisconsin retirement system to an employe for prior service as an employe of a government employer that did not participate in the Wisconsin retirement system.

By Representatives Hamilton, Musser, Zien, Stower and Grobschmidt, cosponsored by Senators Helbach and Andrea.

To Joint Survey Committee on Retirement Systems.

**Assembly Bill 187**

Relating to establishing a correctional institution in the city of Waupun.

By Representatives Goetsch, Panzer, Radtke, Lehman, Silbaugh, Hahn, Rosenzweig, Foti, Klusman, Porter and Urban, cosponsored by Senators Lorman, Andrea, Cowles, Farrow, Petak and Kreul.

To committee on Government Operations and Corrections.

**Assembly Bill 188**

Relating to expanding who may be served a copy of a summons to obtain personal jurisdiction over a defendant.

By Representatives Goetsch, Porter, Huber, Brancel, Baldus, Lorge, Gard, Brandemuehl, Silbaugh, Musser, Van Gorden, Hahn, Wimmer, Vrakas and Zien, cosponsored by Senators Lorman, Buettner and Huelsman.

To committee on Judiciary.

**Assembly Bill 189**

Relating to tattooing of children and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Baumgart and Turba, cosponsored by Senator Potter.

To committee on Health.

**Assembly Bill 190**

Relating to a child care credit against income taxes.

By Representatives M. Coggs, Lautenschlager, Black, Williams, Musser, Plache, Turner, Lorge, Moore, Van Dreel, Coleman, Wood and Klusman.

To committee on Ways and Means.

**Assembly Bill 191**

Relating to prohibiting investment of public retirement trust funds in certain investments relating to the Republic of South Africa.

By Representatives M. Coggs, Clarenbach, Carpenter, Notestein, Williams, Bock, Robson, Fortis, Gruszynski, Seery, Turner, Potter, Moore and S. Coggs.

To Joint Survey Committee on Retirement Systems.

**Assembly Bill 192**

Relating to creating a private cause of action for certain civil rights violations.

By Representatives M. Coggs, Clarenbach, Notestein, Carpenter, Bock, Fortis, Plache, Lautenschlager, Seery, Rohan, Moore, Young, Gruszynski, Turner, Potter, Travis and S. Coggs, cosponsored by Senators Feingold, Czarnecki, Burke and Ulichny.

To committee on Elections and Constitutional Law.

**Assembly Bill 193**

Relating to transfer of a homestead credit to a son or daughter with whom a parent assumes his or her principal residence.

By Representatives M. Coggs, Moore, Plache, Musser, Gronemus, Williams, Holschbach, Seery, Turner, Vander Loop and Bolle.

To committee on Ways and Means.

**Assembly Bill 194**

Relating to failure to pay for food, lodging, accommodation or service.

By Representatives Rutkowski, Holperin, Wimmer, Roberts, Grobschmidt, Stower, Coleman, Hasenohrl, Deininger, Hamilton, Turba, Lautenschlager, Ott, Holschbach, Duff, Schwartz, Van Gorden, Baldus, Lorge, Bolle, Schneiders, Vanderperren, Porter, Swoboda, Hahn, Rohan, Panzer, Schultz, Radtke, Vrakas, Vergeront, Gard, Urban and Musser,, cosponsored by Senators Jauch, Plewa, Breske, Ulichny, Moen, Feingold, Potter, Huelsman, Petak, Farrow, Lorman, Berndt and Rude.

To committee on Judiciary.

**Assembly Bill 195**

Relating to requiring the school district annual report to include certain information.

By Representatives Krusick, Barca and Notestein, cosponsored by Senator Barrett.

To committee on Urban Education.

**Assembly Bill 196**

Relating to handgun sales and providing penalties.

By Representatives Krusick, Schneiders, Carpenter, Duff, Fortis, Goetsch, Hauke, Ladwig, Lautenschlager, Notestein, Robson, Rosenzweig, Underheim, Urban, Vergeront, Young and Hisrich, cosponsored by Senators Burke and Czarnecki.

To committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety.

**Assembly Bill 197**

Relating to placing educational materials about the parking privileges of physically disabled persons on vehicles.

By Representatives Van Gorden, Ott, Grobschmidt, Reynolds, Brandemuehl, Duff, Radtke, Stower, Harsdorf, Huber, Musser, Turba, Baldus, Bolle, Vergeront, Ainsworth, Hahn, Freese, Kaufert, Klusman, Vander Loop, Ourada, Vrakas, Hamilton and Moore, cosponsored by Senators Farrow, Buettner, Plewa, Czarnecki, Berndt and Cowles.

To committee on Transportation.

**Assembly Bill 198**

Relating to school district driver education programs.

By Representatives Vergeront, Bolle, Nass, Welch, Urban, Musser, Williams, Vrakas, Hahn, Silbaugh, Schneiders, Loucks, Lehman, Duff, Ladwig, Brancel, Turba, Brandemuehl, Ott, Zien, Goetsch and Wimmer, cosponsored by Senators Stitt, Lorman, Farrow, Leean and Huelsman.

To committee on Education.

**Assembly Bill 199**

Relating to maintenance of voting statistics in cities having a population of at least 87,000 but not more than 150,000.

By Representatives Vanderperren, Van Dreel, Hinkfuss and Vander Loop, cosponsored by Senator Van Sistine.

To committee on Elections and Constitutional Law.

**Assembly Bill 200**

Relating to creating an income tax exemption for pay received from the federal government by certain members of the armed forces participating in Operation Desert Shield or Operation Desert Storm; abating the interest or penalties otherwise due on income tax returns for certain members of the military; providing benefits to veterans of the Panama campaign; adding the Persian Gulf conflict to the list of war periods and making veterans of that war period eligible for veterans benefits; and making appropriations.

By Representative Schneider.

To Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions.

**Assembly Bill 201**

Relating to extending the time to hold a hearing on issuance of an injunction in an action related to harassment.

By Representatives Darling, Porter, Musser, Duff, Huber, Radtke, Hahn, Brandemuehl, Fortis, Seery, Rosenzweig, Silbaugh, Prosser, Bolle, Panzer, Klusman, Bock, Hamilton and Lautenschlager, cosponsored by Senators Burke, Plewa and Ulichny.

To committee on Judiciary.

**Assembly Bill 202**

Relating to payments to counties for persons held pending disposition of probation or parole revocation proceedings, time limits for those proceedings and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Bock and Krusick, cosponsored by Senator Burke.

To committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety.

**Assembly Bill 203**

Relating to creating new standards for involuntary civil commitments and emergency detentions.

By Representatives Medinger, Rosenzweig, Panzer, Bock, Goetsch, Grobschmidt, Gronemus, Swoboda, Welch, Radtke, Urban, Deininger, Hasenohrl, Stower, Hamilton, Vanderperren, Roberts, Darling, Lehman, Ourada, Brancel, Ladwig, Silbaugh, Duff, Bolle, Vergeront, Brandemuehl, Van Gorden, Wimmer, Vrakas, Musser, Zien, Klusman, Holschbach, Huber, Zweck, Johnsrud and Lautenschlager, cosponsored by Senators Rude, Plewa, Weeden, Andrea, Breske, Kreul, Buettner, Stitt, Berndt and Huelsman.

To committee on Health.

**Assembly Bill 204**

Relating to use of ethanol based fuel by state vehicles.

By Representatives Gronemus, Vanderperren, Loucks, Roberts, Carpenter, Musser, Lorge, Stower, Fortis, Lehman, Zien, Robson, Baldus, Seery, Urban, Swoboda, Holperin, Ainsworth, Schwartz, Radtke, Boyle, Brandemuehl, Hamilton and Welch, cosponsored by Senators Roshell, Breske, George, Lasee and Kreul.

To committee on Highways.

**Assembly Bill 205**

Relating to the agricultural production loan guarantee program and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Gronemus, Gruszynski, Musser, Vanderperren, Roberts, M. Coggs, Zweck, Stower, Lorge, Fortis, Lehman, Zien, Goetsch, Rohan, Urban, Swoboda, Baldus, Ainsworth, Harsdorf, Hisrich, Schwartz, Boyle and Hamilton, cosponsored by Senators Breske, Kreul, Chvala, Berndt, Lasee, Andrea and Jauch.

To committee on Agriculture, Aquaculture and Forestry.

**Assembly Bill 206**

Relating to payments to counties for persons held pending disposition of probation or parole revocation proceedings and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Barca and Krusick, cosponsored by Senators Chvala and Van Sistine.

To committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety.

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COMMITTEE RESIGNATIONS

January 23, 1991

The Honorable Walter Kunicki  
Speaker, Wisconsin Assembly  
Room 211 West  
State Capitol

Dear Speaker Kunicki:

This is to notify you that I have been appointed to a total seven committees and I feel it is impossible to serve adequately on that large a number of committee assignments. Therefore, I am notifying you that I wish to resign from the Joint Survey Committee on Retirement Systems in addition to the Small Business and Education or Training for Employment Committee.

I regret having to do this, but in order to do an adequate job on my remaining committee assignments, I feel it would be best to drop these two assignments at this time.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,  
LEO R. HAMILTON  
State Representative  
67th Assembly District

January 24, 1991

Rep. Walter Kunicki, Speaker  
211-West, State Capitol  
Madison, Wisconsin 53708

Dear Speaker Kunicki:

I appreciate my appointment to the Assembly Committee on Aging as I have a strong interest in the problems and struggles of the elderly.

I respectfully request, however, that I be removed from the Committee on Aging because the meeting date (Tuesday ODD) conflicts with the meeting date of the Committee on Tourism and Recreation which I now chair.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,  
HARVEY STOWER  
28th Assembly District

February 4, 1991

Speaker Walter Kunicki  
Wisconsin State Assembly  
211 West - State Capitol  
Madison, WI 53708

Dear Mr. Speaker:

This is to inform you that I wish to resign from my position on the Assembly Committee on Agriculture, Aquaculture and Forestry.

Due to a scheduling conflict with the Committee on Colleges and Universities, of which I am vice chair, I will not be able to fulfill the obligation of maintaining my status on the Agriculture Committee.

I hope this will not inconvenience your office in any way.

Sincerely,  
AL BALDUS  
State Representative

February 5, 1991

Speaker Walter Kunicki  
State Capitol  
Room 211 West

Dear Speaker Kunicki:

I would like to inform you that I am resigning from the Children and Human Services Committee as of today's date. I have informed Representative Young of my intentions. After a search, Representative Young and I found Representative Gwen Moore to replace me in order to preserve the balance on the committee. Thank you.

Sincerely,  
LOUIS G. FORTIS  
State Representative

February 5, 1991

Assembly Speaker Walter Kunicki  
211 West - State Capitol  
Madison, WI 53708

Dear Mr. Speaker:

The most recent changes in committee meeting times has put the Assembly Consumer Affairs Committee in conflict with the Assembly Labor Committee which I Chair.

Therefore, I respectfully request that you accept my resignation as member of the Consumer Affairs Committee for the 1991-93 legislative session. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,  
VERNON HOLSCHBACH  
State Representative  
25th Assembly District

February 7, 1991

Walter Kunicki, Speaker  
Room 211 West, State Capitol  
Madison, WI 53708

Dear Speaker Kunicki:

Due to unforeseen scheduling conflicts, I find it necessary to resign my appointment to the Committee on Aging.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,  
EUGENE HAHN  
State Representative  
80th Assembly District

State of Wisconsin  
Department of Development  
Madison

February 14, 1991

February 7, 1991

Rep. Walter Kunicki, Speaker  
State Capitol - Room 211 West  
Madison, WI 53708

Dear Rep. Kunicki,

I am hereby resigning from the Assembly Committee on Securities and Corporate Policy to take a position on the Assembly Aging Committee, effective immediately.

Thank you for this consideration.

Sincerely,  
RUDY SILBAUGH  
State Representative  
46th Assembly District

Dear Mr. Melvin:

Under section 234.65 (5) of the Wisconsin Statutes, the Department of Development is required to report annually to Legislature on the economic development lending activity of the Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority. By statute the report addresses the effect of those lending activities in the following areas.

- \* Maintaining or increasing employment in the state.
- \* Contributing to the state's economic growth and well-being of its residents.
- \* Locating economic development projects in areas of high unemployment or low average income.
- \* Obtaining the participation of a large number of high unemployment or low average income.
- \* The geographical distribution of the lending.

I am submitting the attached 1990 Annual Report to be distributed to the Legislature in the manner provided in section 13.172(3). If you have any questions concerning the report, please contact Ken Abrahamsen in our Bureau of Policy Analysis at 267-9573.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,  
ROBERT N. TRUNZO  
Secretary

COMMUNICATIONS

March 1, 1991

Honorable Donald J. Schneider  
Honorable Thomas T. Melvin

Dear Sirs:

The following rules have been published:

- Clearinghouse Rule 86-199 effective 3-1-91
- Clearinghouse Rule 86-246 effective 3-1-91
- Clearinghouse Rule 89-92 effective 3-1-91
- Clearinghouse Rule 89-201 effective 3-1-91
- Clearinghouse Rule 90-3 effective 3-1-91
- Clearinghouse Rule 90-4 effective 3-1-91
- Clearinghouse Rule 90-92 effective 3-1-91
- Clearinghouse Rule 90-129 effective 3-1-91 (part)
- Clearinghouse Rule 90-129 effective 9-1-91 (part)
- Clearinghouse Rule 90-129 effective 9-1-94 (part)
- Clearinghouse Rule 90-133 effective 3-1-91
- Clearinghouse Rule 90-134 effective 3-1-91
- Clearinghouse Rule 90-135 effective 3-1-91
- Clearinghouse Rule 90-136 effective 3-1-91
- Clearinghouse Rule 90-181 effective 3-1-91

Sincerely,  
GARY L. POULSON  
Deputy Revisor

State of Wisconsin  
Department of Public Instruction  
Madison

February 26, 1991

To the Honorable, the Assembly:

Wisconsin Act 31 contains a nonstatutory provision requiring the Department of Public Instruction to prepare a report on the creation of an energy savings program for public school facilities. The report is to include incentives for school districts to initiate energy savings projects and any statutory language necessary to implement the recommendations. Attached are the results of an energy survey conducted by the Department, and the statutory language that will create an energy savings program to address the needs identified through the survey.

The data collected in the energy survey represents a 100% response by local school districts. The graphs and tables that depict the collected data clearly and dramatically indicate the increased energy costs associated with school buildings constructed prior to the

creation of energy saving requirements in the building codes. The proposed statutory language is intended to provide incentives for local school districts to identify specific energy saving projects, and to provide funding that would encourage local school districts to undertake identified projects.

The proposed statutory language creates a voluntary program that utilizes a minimum amount of GPR dollars and reserves for local school districts a portion of the federally generated oil overcharge funds allocated to Wisconsin. The Department of Public Instruction has attempted to create a meaningful energy savings program that will be attractive to local school districts. Also, the Department is sensitive to the fiscal restraints that the State faces, so a minimum amount of GPR dollars are required.

Sincerely,  
HERBERT J. GROVER  
State Superintendent

State of Wisconsin  
Department of Health and Social Services  
Madison

February 26, 1991

Dear Mr. Melvin:

This department has been directed by the legislature to periodically identify barriers to Medical Assistance personal care services which lead to a failure to meet the needs and preferences of individuals eligible for these services. This was to be done in consultation with counties, independent living centers, consumer organizations and home health agencies. The department is to report to the legislature actions taken to remove any barriers and actions that the department proposes to take with respect to other or potential barriers.

The report contains an executive summary which briefly highlights the findings of the department in its survey of providers of personal care, as well as the steps the department intends to take to improve how personal care services are provided by the Wisconsin Medical Assistance Program.

Sincerely,  
GERALD WHITBURN  
Secretary

DATE: February 27, 1991  
TO: Representative Walter Kunicki, Speaker  
Wisconsin Assembly  
FROM: Kenneth A. Shaw  
RE: Supplement Bovine Somatotropin (BST)  
Study

Section 36.25 (32)(f), Stats., requires the University of Wisconsin Board of Regents to submit annually beginning March 1, 1991, to the Governor and the Chief Clerk of each house of the Legislature a report on animal health and efficacy research results related to the use of supplemental recombinant bovine somatotropin (BST).

Enclosed is a draft report describing animal health and efficacy research results during the 1990-91 fiscal years. The draft report will be submitted to the Board of Regents at its March 7-8, 1991 meeting. Subject to the approval of the Board of Regents, this report is submitted in compliance with Section 36.25 (32)(f), Stats.

If you need any additional information regarding the supplemental bovine somatotropin study, please contact Acting Vice President Albert J. Beaver (266-3826).

State of Wisconsin  
Department of Health and Social Services  
Madison

February 28, 1991

Dear Chief Clerk Melvin:

Section 46.57, Wisconsin Statutes, directs the Department of Health and Social Services to annually submit to the governor and the chief clerk of each house of the legislature, a report evaluating the grants for services to persons with epilepsy. The first of these evaluations was completed in February, 1990. The second evaluation report is attached and is submitted to fulfill the legislative requirement.

If you have any questions or if you would like additional copies of this report, please let me know or call Jane Pawasarat at 266-5512.

Sincerely,  
GERALD WHITBURN  
Secretary

State of Wisconsin  
Department of Industry, Labor and Human Relations  
Madison

March 1, 1991

Dear Mr. Melvin:

Pursuant to Chapter 109 of Wisconsin Statutes, I am providing you with the annual report on business closings and/or mass layoffs. The Statute requires that



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this report, due no later than March 1 annually, include the number, type and disposition of all determinations made by the Department under ss. 109.07(5) and (6).

The Department in 1990 received seven complaints resulting in the following determinations: Four complaints were dismissed for lack of jurisdiction; one complaint was dismissed as no violation under the law; two investigations of 1990 complaints and two 1991 complaints are pending as of the date of this report.

Should you have any questions regarding the information in this report, please contact me immediately.

Sincerely,  
CAROL SKORNICKA  
Secretary

March 1, 1991

Mr. Tom Melvin  
Assembly Chief Clerk  
1 East Main St., Suite 402  
P.O. Box 8952  
Madison, WI 53708

Dear Mr. Melvin:

In accordance with Section 1323c. 48.982(6)(e) of the Wisconsin Statutes, I am submitting the Board's report

on the Early Childhood Family Education Centers. This initiative began one year ago and we are excited about the progress and accomplishments of these Centers in such a short time period. We look upon them as a new structure for the provision of prevention services for young families all across the state.

If you should have any questions about the report, please contact me at 266-6871.

Sincerely yours,  
ELAINE OLSON  
Executive Director

Representative Wineke moved that the assembly stand adjourned until 10:00 A.M. on Thursday, March 7.

The question was: Shall the assembly stand adjourned?

Motion carried.

The assembly stood adjourned.

10:01 A.M.