

STATE OF WISCONSIN
Assembly Journal

Ninetieth Regular Session

WEDNESDAY, November 13, 1991

The chief clerk makes the following entries under the above date:

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Assembly substitute amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 521** offered by Representatives Coleman, Goetsch and Turner.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 530** offered by committee on Veterans and Military Affairs.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 542** offered by Representatives Lehman and Huber.

Assembly amendment 1 to assembly amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 590** offered by committee on Energy and Commerce.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 590** offered by committee on Energy and Commerce.

Assembly amendment 2 to **Senate Bill 54** offered by Representatives Brandemuehl, Wood, Goetsch, Huber and Kaufert.

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

Read and referred:

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 90-233

Relating to surface water quality criteria for toxic substances.

Submitted by Department of Industry, Labor and Human Relations.

To committee on Housing.

Referred on November 13, 1991.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 91-83

Relating to amusement rides and attractions.

Submitted by Department of Industry, Labor and Human Relations.

To committee on Labor.

Referred on November 13, 1991.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 91-102

Relating to student financial aid programs.

Submitted by Higher Educational Aids Board.

To committee on Colleges and Universities.

Referred on November 13, 1991.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 91-136

Relating to the hazardous pollution prevention audit grant program.

Submitted by Department of Development.

To committee on Environmental Resources, Utilities and Mining.

Referred on November 13, 1991.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 91-139

Relating to fees for special department telephone registration services.

Submitted by Department of Transportation.

To committee on Highways.

Referred on November 13, 1991.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 91-144

Relating to the rural hospital loan guarantee program.

Submitted by Department of Development.

To committee on Health.

Referred on November 13, 1991.

Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 91-148

Relating to the operation of the Wisconsin development fund.

Submitted by Department of Development.

To committee on Trade, Science and Technology.

Referred on November 13, 1991.

**INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE
OF PROPOSALS**

Read first time and referred:

Assembly Resolution 16

Relating to a special session held on the day of a regular session.

By Representative Baldus.

To committee on Rules.

Assembly Joint Resolution 97

Relating to supporting an increased federal income tax deduction for health insurance costs paid by self-employed taxpayers.

By Representatives Johnsrud, Freese, Goetsch, Urban, Van Gorden, Musser, Turba, Lehman, Klusman, Schneiders, Ainsworth, Kaufert, Lorge, Hahn, Brandemuehl, Gard, Deininger, Nass, Ourada, Baldus, Panzer, Darling, Radtke, Wimmer, Silbaugh, Ott, Ladwig, Hisrich, Bolle and Harsdorf, cosponsored by Senators Schultz, Rude, Barrett, Berndt, Lorman, Petak, Huelsman, Leraan, Buettner and Farrow.

To Special Committee on Reform of Health Insurance.

Assembly Joint Resolution 98

Relating to commemorating the 100th anniversary of Mutual Savings Bank of Wisconsin.

By Representative Fortis, cosponsored by Senator Ulichny.

To committee on Rules.

Assembly Joint Resolution 99

Relating to authorizing promotional advertising of the Wisconsin state lottery and removing from the gambling section of the constitution the prohibition of individual divorce grants by the legislature (first consideration).

By Representatives Medinger, Lehman, Boyle, Vander Loop, Musser and Freese, cosponsored by Senators Roshell, Moen, Andrea, Breske and Weeden.

To committee on State Affairs.

Assembly Joint Resolution 100

Relating to removing from the constitution unnecessary references to the masculine gender and similar obsolete terminology (first consideration).

By Representatives Johnsrud, Potter, Freese, Schneiders, Darling, Radtke, Carpenter, Fortis, Rohan, Plache, Bock, Bolle, Seery, Black, Hisrich and Musser, cosponsored by Senators Burke, Huelsman, Cowles, Lorman, Farrow, Potter, Ulichny and Andrea.

To committee on Elections and Constitutional Law.

Assembly Bill 703

Relating to transferring certain trade and consumer protection responsibilities from the department of agriculture, trade and consumer protection to the department of justice, changing the name of the department of agriculture, trade and consumer protection, granting rule-making authority, providing penalties and making appropriations.

By Representatives Barca, Robson, Wood, Black, Lautenschlager, Young, Hisrich, Krug, Fortis, Huber, Notestein, Roberts, Van Dreel, Turner, Bock, Potter, Moore, Boyle, Seery, Gruszynski, Hasenohrl, Vander Loop, Krusick and Rohan, cosponsored by Senators Chvala, Van Sistine, Feingold, Gorge, Burke, Adelman, Czarnecki, Risser, Helbach and Decker.

To committee on Government Operations and Corrections.

Assembly Bill 704

Relating to prohibiting certain slaughtering and meat processing establishments from selling seasoned meat food products to restaurants or institutions (suggested as remedial legislation by the department of agriculture, trade and consumer protection).

By Law Revision Committee.

To committee on Agriculture, Aquaculture and Forestry.

Assembly Bill 705

Relating to telephone information services and providing penalties.

By Representatives Van Dreel, Seery, Black, Schneider, Hough, Young, Carpenter, Fortis, Hahn, Wood, Goetsch, Robson, Huber, Hamilton, Urban, Medinger, Schneiders, Boyle, Krusick, Hisrich, Baldus, Potter, Hasenohrl, Moore, Gruszynski, Stower, Darling, Rohan, Kaufert, Bock and Gronemus, cosponsored by

Senators Barrett, Chvala, Burke, Farrow, Moen and Breske.

To committee on Environmental Resources, Utilities and Mining.

Assembly Bill 706

Relating to multitype library systems and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Van Dreel, Medinger, Young, Huber, Musser, Boyle, Hisrich, Holperin, Lorge, Ourada, Baldus, Vanderperren, Holschbach, Rohan, Robson, Potter, Swoboda, Roberts, Wood, Hinkfuss and Gruszynski, cosponsored by Senators Breske, Helbach, Weeden, Chvala, Rude, Van Sistine and Risser.

To committee on Education.

Assembly Bill 707

Relating to providing information and education to small businesses regarding hazardous waste management and minimization and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Van Dreel, Hough, Black, Hisrich, Hamilton, Baldus, Boyle, Gruszynski, Vergeront and Linton, cosponsored by Senators Lean and Feingold.

To committee on Small Business and Education or Training for Employment.

Assembly Bill 708

Relating to the requirement that a school district administrator and business manager be licensed by the state superintendent of public instruction.

By Representatives Welch, Ainsworth, Bolle, Darling, Duff, Hamilton, Harsdorf, Kaufert, Loucks, Rosenzweig and Vergeront, cosponsored by Senators Huelsman, Stitt, Lasee, Lorman, Petak and Farrow.

To committee on Urban Education.

Assembly Bill 709

Relating to acceptance of state-issued credit cards by a motor fuel dealer and providing a penalty.

By Representative Schneider.

To committee on Government Operations and Corrections.

Assembly Bill 710

Relating to referral of proposed tax exemptions contained in executive budget bills.

By Representative Wineke.

To committee on Government Operations and Corrections.

Assembly Bill 711

Relating to expanding the farmland preservation tax credit to cover expenses incurred by a claimant to implement soil and water conservation measures and pollution abatement measures.

By Representatives Freese, Lehman, Duff, Van Gorden, Coleman, Ladwig, Lorge, Ainsworth, Musser, Turba, Hahn, Radtke, Harsdorf and Klusman, cosponsored by Senators Breske, Berndt, Petak, Farrow and Schultz.

To committee on Agriculture, Aquaculture and Forestry.

Assembly Bill 712

Relating to defining corporations servicing student loans as collection agencies.

By Representatives Gruszynski, Brancel, Young, Black, Fortis, Stower, Medinger, Baldus, Zien, S. Coggs, Wood, Plache, Carpenter, Wineke, Roberts, Hough, Gard, Holperin, Hisrich, Boyle, Musser, Notestein, Moore, Potter, Panzer, Lautenschlager, Grobschmidt, Van Dreef and Barca, cosponsored by Senators Decker, Van Sistine, Helbach, Andrea, Burke, Chvala and Risser.

To committee on Colleges and Universities.

Assembly Bill 713

Relating to allowing the provision of economic assistance to veterans for health care related to alcohol or other drug abuse.

By Representatives Medinger, Bolle, Hamilton, Vander Loop, Musser, Baldus, Zien, Van Gorden, Turner, Hinkfuss, Roberts, Lehman, Lorge, Carpenter, Freese, Hisrich, Lautenschlager, Bock, Rohan, Boyle, Moore and Barca, cosponsored by Senators Moen, Andrea, Rude, Breske and Buettner.

To committee on Veterans and Military Affairs.

Assembly Bill 714

Relating to the fee charged to those at least 60 years old to audit or enroll in courses at the university of Wisconsin system.

By Representatives Lorge, Zien, Fortis, Rohan, Barca, Vergeront and Darling, cosponsored by Senators Feingold and Farrow.

To committee on Colleges and Universities.

Assembly Bill 715

Relating to the date on which a county treasurer is required to report to the state treasurer regarding probate fees collected by a county treasurer.

By Representatives Antaramian, Stower, Panzer, Prosser and Gard, cosponsored by Senators Ulichny and Rude.

To committee on Urban and Local Affairs.

Assembly Bill 716

Relating to the number of licenses that a municipality may issue for the sale of alcohol beverages for consumption off of the premises.

By Representatives Hasenohrl, Hubler, Lorge, Van Gorden, Turner, Schwartz, Lehman, Reynolds, Baldus, Freese, Boyle and Zien, cosponsored by Senators Breske and Schultz.

To committee on Excise and Fees.

Assembly Bill 717

Relating to: biennial reporting requirements of the state treasurer; public access to information relating to the owners of public debt, revenue obligations or operating notes issued by the state; the period for payment of checks and other drafts issued by the state; publication of notices of abandoned property appearing to be owned by nonresidents; fiscal agent services in connection with the issuance of state bonds or notes; the limitation periods and enforcement of the uniform unclaimed property act; agreements to locate, deliver or recover certain property that is reported, paid or delivered to the state; and verification of reports by county treasurers concerning fines, forfeitures, assessments, surcharges and fees collected.

By Representatives Antaramian, Panzer, Prosser and Gard, cosponsored by Senators Ulichny and Rude.

To committee on Government Operations and Corrections.

Assembly Bill 718

Relating to lease-purchase agreements and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Hauke and Roberts, cosponsored by Senators Roshell and Lasee.

To committee on Consumer Affairs.

Assembly Bill 719

Relating to classifying teachers and librarians at state adult or juvenile correctional institutions as protective occupation participants for the purposes of the Wisconsin retirement system.

By Representatives Grobschmidt, Goetsch, Rohan, Musser, Stower, Lorge, Moore, Ourada, Boyle and Hisrich, cosponsored by Senators Lorman and Andrea.

To Joint Survey Committee on Retirement Systems.

Assembly Bill 720

Relating to classifying security officers at Wisconsin national guard facilities as protective occupation participants for the purposes of the Wisconsin retirement system.

By Representatives Grobschmidt, Rohan, Musser, Stower, Moore, Boyle, Lorge and Hisrich, cosponsored by Senators Chvala and Andrea.

To Joint Survey Committee on Retirement Systems.

Assembly Bill 721

Relating to a sales tax and use tax exemption for the rental of space to residents of mobile home parks licensed as campgrounds.

By Representatives Holperin, Moore and Schwartz, cosponsored by Senators Andrea, Buettner and Farrow.

To Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions.

Assembly Bill 722

Relating to exempting popcorn-popping establishments from retail food establishment licensing requirements.

By Representatives Lorge, Turner and Hasenohrl, cosponsored by Senator Ellis.

To committee on Small Business and Education or Training for Employment.

Assembly Bill 723

Relating to requiring gender balance on commissions, boards, examining boards, councils, examining councils and governor's nonstatutory committees.

By Representatives Krug, Darling, Linton, Medinger, Notestein, Hisrich, Van Dreel, Lorge, Bell, Bock, Robson, Seery, Potter and Boyle, cosponsored by Senator Burke.

To committee on State Affairs.

Assembly Bill 724

Relating to boating safety, granting rule-making authority and providing penalties.

By Legislative Council.

To committee on Natural Resources.

Assembly Bill 725

Relating to funding boating safety activities, boat registration fees, establishment of a boater improvement surcharge, granting rule-making authority and making appropriations.

By Legislative Council.

To committee on Natural Resources.

Assembly Bill 726

Relating to investigations regarding prison inmate deaths, creating an inmate death investigation board and making appropriations.

By committee on Government Operations and Corrections.

To committee on Government Operations and Corrections.

Assembly Bill 727

Relating to underwater archaeology and submerged cultural resources, creating a submerged cultural resources council, granting rule-making authority, making an appropriation and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Swoboda, Clarenbach, Rohan, Krug, Lorge, Van Dreel, Hisrich, Robson, Medinger, Holperin, Musser, Zien, Vanderperren, Hinkfuss, and Hahn, cosponsored by Senators Van Sistine, Risser, Rude and Farrow.

To committee on State Affairs.

Assembly Bill 728

Relating to grants to school districts for extended school year programs and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Rutkowski, Wineke, Ourada, Bell, Rohan, Hough, Lorge, Huber, Fortis, Moore, Boyle and Hisrich, cosponsored by Senators Adelman, Czarnecki, Stitt and Burke.

To committee on Education.

Assembly Bill 729

Relating to requiring provision of educational services to certain adult residents of the state centers for the developmentally disabled.

By Representatives Hamilton, Holschbach, Lautenschlager, Notestein and Boyle, cosponsored by Senator Breske.

To committee on Children and Human Services.

Assembly Bill 730

Relating to creating a property tax exemption for 4-H clubs.

By Representatives Linton, Van Gorden, Musser, Johnsrud, Lorge, Holschbach, Lautenschlager, Rohan, Goetsch, Coleman, Ainsworth, Boyle, Schwartz, Ladwig, Vanderperren, Gronemus, Bolle and Ott, cosponsored by Senators Petak, Van Sistine, Buettner and Stitt.

To Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions.

Assembly Bill 731

An act relating to granting variances or special exceptions to the floodplain zoning ordinance of Grant county for the reconstruction of a certain building.

By Representatives Brandemuehl, Johnsrud, Turner, Van Gorden, Freese, Bolle and Lorge, cosponsored by Senators Rude, Lasee and Farrow.

To committee on Environmental Resources, Utilities and Mining.

Assembly Bill 732

Relating to commencement of the fall semester at the university of Wisconsin system and vocational, technical and adult education schools.

By Representatives Swoboda, Stower, Holperin, Hamilton, Bolle, Lorge and Ott, cosponsored by Senators Van Sistine, Breske and Leean.

To committee on Tourism and Recreation.

Assembly Bill 733

Relating to the state reimbursement rate for driver's education courses.

By Representatives Grobschmidt, Antaramian, Baldus, Black, Bock, Boyle, Coleman, Fortis, Freese, Gronemus, Hamilton, Hisrich, Holperin, Huber, Hubler, Kaufert, Lautenschlager, Medinger, Moore, Notestein, Roberts, Robson, Rohan, Schwartz, Stower, Wood and Van Dreel, cosponsored by Senators Plewa, Andrea, Barrett, Breske, Buettner, Burke, Decker, Potter and Schultz.

To committee on Education.

Assembly Bill 734

Relating to interference with the custody of a child.

By Representatives Nass, Freese, Porter, Prosser, Vergeront, Radtke, Ladwig, Lautenschlager, Darling, Goetsch, Klusman, Rohan, Silbaugh, Zien and Hahn, cosponsored by Senators Farrow, Buettner and Petak.

To committee on Children and Human Services.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

The committee on Agriculture, Aquaculture and Forestry reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 681

Relating to promoting commercial aquaculture, funding grants for aquaculture projects and making appropriations.

Passage: Ayes: (10) Noes: (1)
To Joint Committee on Finance.

BARBARA GRONEMUS
Chairperson

The committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 490

Relating to the penalties imposed on owners of dogs that cause injury or damage.

Passage: Ayes: (11) Noes: (0)
To committee on Rules.

Assembly Bill 542

Relating to mutilating or hiding a corpse and providing penalties.

Passage: Ayes: (10) Noes: (1)
To committee on Rules.

Senate Bill 54

Relating to the secure storage of loaded firearms, transfer of weapons, warnings about the failure to secure loaded firearms, establishment of a gun safety program and providing penalties.

Adoption of assembly amendment 1:
Ayes: (11) Noes: (0)

Concurrence: Ayes: (11) Noes: (0)
To committee on Rules.

WAYNE WOOD
Chairperson

The committee on Energy and Commerce reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 590

Relating to a state energy policy and granting rule-making authority.

Adoption of assembly substitute amendment 1:
Ayes: (10) Noes: (0)

Passage: Ayes: (10) Noes: (0)
To committee on Rules.

ROSEMARY HINKFUSS
Chairperson

The committee on Government Operations and Corrections reports and recommends:

Senate Bill 203

Relating to the requirements for the promulgation of emergency rules by state agencies.

Concurrence: Ayes: (9) Noes: (0)
To committee on Rules.

LEO HAMILTON
Chairperson

The Joint Survey Committee on Retirement Systems reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 133

Relating to the requirements for receiving an automatic joint survivor death benefit under the Wisconsin retirement system.

Adoption of report: Ayes: (6) Noes: (4)
To committee on Government Operations and Corrections.

RICHARD GROBSCHMIDT
Assembly Chairperson

The committee on Veterans and Military Affairs reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 29

Relating to conditions of eligibility for the veterans economic assistance loan program.

Passage: Ayes: (7) Noes: (0)
To Joint Committee on Finance.

Assembly Bill 230

Relating to the display of the prisoner of war/missing in action flag.

Passage: Ayes: (7) Noes: (0)
To committee on Rules.

Assembly Bill 530

Relating to the designation of the period of military service in Vietnam.

Adoption of assembly substitute amendment 1:
Ayes: (7) Noes: (0)

Passage: Ayes: (7) Noes: (0)
To committee on Rules.

Assembly Bill 633

Relating to removing the income limits on grants to veterans for the costs of correspondence courses and part-time classroom study.

Passage: Ayes: (7) Noes: (0)
To Joint Committee on Finance.

DALE BOLLE
Chairperson

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

By Donald J. Schneider, chief clerk.

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform you that the senate has passed and asks concurrence in:

Senate Bill 226.
Senate Bill 248
Senate Bill 289
Senate Bill 301
Senate Bill 357

ACTION ON THE SENATE MESSAGE

Senate Bill 226

Relating to drug paraphernalia.

By Senator Helbach; cosponsored by Representative Schneider.

To Special Committee on Drug Enforcement, Education and Treatment.

Senate Bill 248

Relating to certification requirements for physician's assistants and granting rule-making authority.

By Senator Jauch, by request of Grace Hurne.

To committee on Public Health and Regulation.

Senate Bill 289

Relating to prohibiting discrimination in public schools on the basis of religion.

By Senator Burke; cosponsored by Representative Potter, by request of Wisconsin Jewish Conference, Lutheran Office for Public Policy, Wisconsin Catholic Conference, Christian Science Committee on Publication, Wisconsin Impact Policy Board, Wisconsin Conference of Churches.

To committee on Education.

Senate Bill 301

Relating to the qualified landowner preference category for special deer hunting permits.

By Senators Breske, Roshell, Decker, Van Sistine, Weeden, Rude and Lasee; cosponsored by Representatives Van Gorden, Boyle, Bolle, Hasenohrl, Lorge, Ott, Zien, Ladwig, Hisrich and Grobschmidt.

To committee on Natural Resources.

Senate Bill 357

Relating to exclusion of agent in the definition of an investment adviser, government-issued revenue obligations eligibility for securities registration exemption, the definition of security holder for purposes of a registration exemption, eligibility conditions for the seasoned issuer securities registration exemption and agent representation of broker-dealers and issuers (suggested as remedial legislation by the office of the commissioner of securities).

By Law Revision Committee.

To committee on Securities and Corporate Policy.

COMMUNICATIONS

The chief clerk reports the following proposals correctly enrolled:

- Assembly Bill 14**
- Assembly Bill 22**
- Assembly Bill 128**

- Assembly Bill 211**
- Assembly Bill 281**
- Assembly Bill 290**
- Assembly Bill 299**
- Assembly Bill 338**
- Assembly Bill 344**
- Assembly Bill 364**
- Assembly Bill 387**
- Assembly Bill 428**
- Assembly Bill 496**
- Assembly Bill 523**
- Assembly Bill 535**
- Assembly Bill 547**
- Assembly Bill 559**
- Assembly Bill 563**
- Assembly Bill 571**
- Assembly Bill 578**
- Assembly Bill 581**
- Assembly Bill 587**
- Assembly Bill 599**
- Assembly Bill 648**
- Assembly Bill 650**
- Assembly Bill 666**
- Assembly Joint Resolution 20**
- Assembly Joint Resolution 55**
- Assembly Joint Resolution 67**
- Assembly Joint Resolution 70**
- Assembly Joint Resolution 73**
- Assembly Joint Resolution 77**
- Assembly Joint Resolution 81**
- Assembly Joint Resolution 84**
- Assembly Joint Resolution 86**
- Assembly Joint Resolution 90**

Sincerely,
THOMAS T. MELVIN
Assembly Chief Clerk

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor
Madison

To the Honorable, the Assembly:

The following bill, originating in the assembly, has been approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Assembly Bill	Act No.	Date Signed
581	60	November 8, 1991

Respectfully submitted,
TOMMY G. THOMPSON
Governor

October 29, 1991

COMMUNICATIONS

September 9, 1991

Speaker Walter Kunicki
Room 211 West, State Capitol
P.O. Box 8952
Madison, WI 53708

Dear Speaker Kunicki:

Due to my recent appointment as Circuit Court Judge of Branch I in Waukesha County, pursuant to Section 17.01(3) of the Wisconsin Statutes, I am officially notifying you of my intention to resign as State Representative for the 32nd Assembly District effective upon my investiture as said Circuit Court Judge on Monday, November 11, 1991. Please consider this letter to be my resignation upon the aforementioned date, contingent upon and simultaneously with my full legal assumption of the office of Circuit Court Judge of Branch I, Waukesha County.

Sincerely,
JOSEPH E. WIMMER
State Representative
32nd Assembly District

November 5, 1991

Speaker Walter Kunicki
Room 211 West, State Capitol
P.O. Box 8952
Madison, WI 53708

Dear Speaker Kunicki:

I am writing to inform you that in accordance with the Rules of the Assembly, as Chairman of the Assembly Committee on Education, I have established a Subcommittee on Assembly Bill 503.

The membership and purposes of the Subcommittee are as follows:

Subcommittee Membership: Representative Mary Lou Van Dreel, Chairperson; Representatives Lary Swoboda, Sue Rohan, Chuck Coleman and Stephen Nass.

Purpose: To develop an alternative to Assembly Bill 503, which relates to requiring a school board to award credit toward graduation for completion of a driver education program.

Sincerely,
MARLIN D. SCHNEIDER
Chair
Committee on Education

Mr. Thomas Melvin
Assembly Chief Clerk
1 East Main, Ste. 402
Madison, Wisconsin 53702

Dear Tom:

I am pleased to transmit to you the following report to the 1991 Legislature on legislation introduced by the Legislative Council:

RL 91-10 Legislation on Urban Rivers
(1991 Assembly Bill 528)

I would appreciate your including this letter in the Journal for the information of the membership. Additional copies of this report are available, on request, in the Legislative Council offices, One East Main, Suite 401.

Sincerely,
DAVID J. STUTE
Director

State of Wisconsin
Department of Health and Social Services
Madison

October 1991

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

Pursuant to the requirements of section 153.10(1), Wis. Stats., I am pleased to submit to the Governor and to the Legislature the quarterly *Health Care Data Report*. This report is based on hospital inpatient discharge data reported to the Office of Health Care Information by all operating general medical-surgical and specialty hospitals in Wisconsin for the first quarter of 1991 (*January - March*). It also contains selected outpatient surgery utilization and charge data from general medical-surgical hospitals and freestanding ambulatory surgery centers in Wisconsin during the same quarter.

This report fulfills the statutory requirement to report "In a manner that permits comparisons among hospitals...the charges for up to 100 health care services or diagnostic-related groups selected by the office."

I wish to express my appreciation to all Wisconsin hospitals that were part of the reporting process. Please contact OHCI if you or your staff would like additional copies of this report, or have any questions.

Sincerely,
DAVID J.W. KLAUSER
Director, OHCI

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State of Wisconsin
Department of Administration
Madison

October 22, 1991

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

This report is transmitted as required by ss. 20.002(11)(f) of the Wisconsin Statutes, (for distribution to the appropriate standing committees under section 13.172(3) Stats.), and confirms that the Department of Administration has found it necessary to exercise the "temporary reallocation of balances" authority provided by this section in order to meet payment responsibilities and cover resulting negative balances during the month of September, 1991.

On September 13, 1991, the Recycling Fund (Fund 79) balance was \$-297 thousand. This shortfall continued until September 26th when the Recycling Fund balance reached \$7.8 million. The shortfall was due to a delayed accounting transfer.

The Recycling Fund shortfall was not in excess of the \$400 million ceiling and did not exceed the balances of the funds available for interfund borrowing.

The distribution of interest earnings to investment pool participants is based on the average daily balance in the pool and each fund's share. Therefore, the quarterly calculation by State Finance will automatically reflect the use of these temporary reallocations of balance authority.

Sincerely,
JAMES R. KLAUSER
Secretary, DOA

State of Wisconsin
Department of Development
Madison

November 1991

To the Honorable, the Assembly:

Pursuant to Section 560.55, Wis. Stats., we are submitting a report on intreprenurial and intermediary support programs at the Wisconsin Department of Development (DOD).

This report describes the DOD programs carried out in 1989 and 1990 that respond to legislative directives to

stimulate Wisconsin's entrepreneurial business climate; to strengthen professional networks and resources for business assistance providers; and to directly assist small businesses with strong growth potential.

Copies of the report are being submitted to the Governor, and to the Chief Clerks of the Senate and the Assembly for distribution to the Legislature. Further copies of the report are available from Jan Whitcher, DOD, at 608/266-9884.

We hope you find this report informative.

Sincerely,
ROBERT N. TRUNZO
Secretary, DOD

REFERENCE BUREAU CORRECTIONS

Assembly Joint Resolution 91

1. Page 2, line 2: substitute "Harley-Davidson" for "Harley-Davidson".

Assembly Bill 559

1. Page 9, line 16: substitute "persistent" for "persist".

Assembly Bill 578

In enrolling, the following corrections were made:

Assembly amendment 1:

1. Page 1, line 3: substitute "1w." for "1."
2. Page 1, line 6: substitute "1x" for "1m".

Assembly amendment 3:

1. Page 1, line 3: substitute "5m" for "6m".

Assembly Bill 599

In enrolling 1991 Assembly Bill 599, it was found that Assembly Amendments 2 and 3 both amended section 458.02 of the statutes as affected by 1991 Wisconsin Act 39.

Because there was no conceptual conflict between the 2 amendments, and because the mechanics of the 2 treatments were not mutually inconsistent, both amendments were given effect in conformance with the instructions to the revisor of statutes, concerning successive acts affecting the same section, under section 13.93 (2) (intro.) and (c) of the statutes.