



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

Ninety—Second Regular Session

10:00 A.M.

TUESDAY, March 7, 1995

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by Senator Margaret Farrow.

The Chair, with unanimous consent, asked that the proper entries be made in the journal.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

Read first time and referred:

Senate Bill 92

relating to: a training and employment services grant for employes being laid off from a business and making an appropriation.

By Senators Rosenzweig, Farrow, Petak, Andrea, Zien, Darling and Moore; cosponsored by Representatives Walker, Vrakas, Jensen, Schneiders, Bock, Cullen, Bell, Ward, Krug, Vander Loop, Dobyns, Porter, Hanson, La Fave, Ladwig, Lehman, Hahn, Gunderson, Goetsch, Musser, F. Lasee and R. Young, by request of Governor Tommy G. Thompson.

To committee on Business, Economic Development and Urban Affairs.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The joint committee on **Legislative Organization** reports and recommends:

Senate Joint Resolution 15

Relating to: designation of the official state newspaper.

By joint committee on Legislative Organization .

Introduction.

Ayes, 10 – Senators Rude, Ellis, Farrow, Jauch and Risser; and Representatives Prosser, Jensen, Klusman, Kunicki and Schneider.

Noes, 0 – None.

To committee on **Senate Organization**.

The committee on **Environment and Energy** reports and recommends:

Senate Bill 63

Relating to: materials eligible for assistance from the recycling market development board.

Passage.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Cowles, Panzer, Farrow, Burke and Clausing.

Noes, 0 – None.

Senate Bill 75

Relating to: grants to emergency response teams, creating immunity from civil liability for local agencies that sponsor regional or county emergency response teams and making an appropriation.

Introduction and adoption of Senate substitute amendment 1.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Cowles, Panzer, Farrow, Burke and Clausing.

Noes, 0 – None.

Passage as amended.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Cowles, Panzer, Farrow, Burke and Clausing.

Noes, 0 – None.

Robert Cowles

Chairperson

The committee on **Judiciary** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 36

relating to: limiting medical malpractice noneconomic damage awards and granting rule-making authority.

Introduction and adoption of Senate substitute amendment 1.

Ayes, 4 – Senators Huelsman, Petak, Drzewiecki and Darling.

Noes, 3 – Senators Risser, Adelman and Burke.

Concurrence as amended.

Ayes, 4 – Senators Huelsman, Petak, Drzewiecki and Darling.

Noes, 3 – Senators Risser, Adelman and Burke.

Joanne Huelsman

Chairperson

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin

Senator Michael G. Ellis

March 6, 1995

To the Honorable the Senate:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 20, I have made the following appointment to a Senate Committee:

To the committee on **Insurance**; Senator Rodney Moen, to replace Senator Helbach;

With regards to members of the minority party, the appointments reflect recommendations of that caucus.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL ELLIS, CHAIR

Committee on Senate Organization

**State of Wisconsin
Department of Employment Relations**

March 3, 1995

The Honorable, The Legislature:

It is with great pleasure that I present to you the sixteenth edition of the Affirmative Action Report for Wisconsin State Government. The purpose of the report is to provide an overview of the state's work force and show the progress made in the past year.

There has been steady growth in the number and percentage of racial/ethnic minorities, women and persons with disabilities in the permanent classified work force. The strength of Wisconsin's classified and unclassified work force continues to be enhanced as we diversify and provide opportunities for all of our citizens. We know that when we meet our goal to eliminate underutilized job categories at all levels, we will not only have improved our work force but also our delivery of service to our state's citizenry.

With a renewed sense of purpose, plans are already in place to build upon the successes of the past. We will continue the positive movement on diversifying our work force.

Additional copies may be obtained from the Department of Employment Relations, Division of Affirmative Action, 137 East Wilson Street, Madison, Wisconsin, 53702. The telephone number is (608) 266-5709.

Sincerely,

JON E. LITSCHER

Secretary

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

February 7, 1995

The Honorable, The Senate:

This is to inform you that I am withdrawing the nomination of Pauline Bristol of Phillips for appointment to the Barbering and Cosmetology Examining Board.

Respectfully submitted,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON

Governor

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

February 8, 1995

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint WALL, SCOT, of Cashton, as a member of the Rural Health Development Council, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2000.

Respectfully submitted,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON

Governor

Read and referred to committee on Health, Human Services and Aging.

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

February 13, 1995

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint RASMUSSEN, CHARLOTTE, of Ringle, as a member of the Pharmacy Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 1998.

Respectfully submitted,

TOMMY G. THOMPSON

Governor

Read and referred to committee on Health, Human Services and Aging.

**REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF
COMMITTEE REPORTS CONCERNING
PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES**

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 95-011

Relating to disclosure documents used by certain investment companies.

Submitted by Office of the Commissioner of Securities.

Report received from Agency, March 2, 1995.

Referred to committee on **Education and Financial Institutions**, March 7, 1995.

The Committee on **Health, Human Services and Aging** reports and recommends:

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 94-168

Relating to vaccine preventable diseases.

No action taken.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 94-177

Relating to an intensive supervision program for delinquent youth.

No action taken.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 94-194

Relating to sexually violent persons on supervised release.

No action taken.

Carol Buettner
Chairperson

The Committee on **Human Resources, Labor, Tourism, Veterans and Military Affairs** reports and recommends:

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 94-214

Relating to child labor and street trades.

No action taken.

David Zien
Chairperson

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Farrow, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn until Wednesday, March 8 at 10:00 A.M..

10:01 A.M.