

# STATE OF WISCONSIN Assembly Journal

## Ninety-Third Regular Session

TUESDAY, January 27, 1998

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date:

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE RULES**

#### **Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 97–079**

Relating to inmate mail, property, telephone calls and general provisions of chapter DOC 309.

Submitted by Department of Corrections. Report received from Agency, January 20, 1998. To committee on **Criminal Justice and Corrections**. Referred on January 27, 1998.

#### **Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 97–125**

Relating to pesticide regulation.

Submitted by Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection.

Report received from Agency, January 23, 1998. To committee on **Agriculture**. Referred on January 27, 1998.

#### **Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 97–144**

Relating to vehicle marking. Submitted by Department of Transportation. Report received from Agency, January 20, 1998. To committee on **Highways and Transportation**. Referred on January 27, 1998.

#### **Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 97–147**

Relating to the personal loan program. Submitted by Department of Veterans Affairs. Report received from Agency, January 15, 1998. To committee on **Veterans and Military Affairs**. Referred on January 27, 1998.

#### **Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 97–148**

Relating to division photocopying fee charges. Submitted by Department of Financial Institutions. Report received from Agency, January 12, 1998. To committee on **Government Operations**. Referred on January 27, 1998.

### INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

#### **Assembly Bill 731**

Relating to: revising the purposes for which tax incremental districts are created and changing certain procedures that affect the way in which such districts are operated.

By Representatives M. Lehman, Goetsch, Wood, F. Lasee, Musser, Springer and Brandemuehl.

To committee on Ways and Means.

#### **Assembly Bill 732**

Relating to: the distribution of meat from deer carcasses.

By Representatives Gronemus, Sykora, Baumgart, Musser, Zukowski, Ladwig, Grothman and Springer; cosponsored by Senators Schultz and A. Lasee.

To committee on **Small Business and Economic Development**.

#### **Assembly Bill 733**

Relating to: the unauthorized release of animals, immunity from liability, affecting parole eligibility and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Gronemus, Ott, Porter, Baumgart, Ainsworth, Sykora, Musser, Urban, Brandemuehl, Ward and Gunderson; cosponsored by Senators Drzewiecki and A. Lasee.

To committee on Criminal Justice and Corrections.

#### **Assembly Bill 734**

Relating to: arrest of a person by a surety on a bail bond from another state and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Gronemus and R. Young. To committee on **Judiciary**.

#### **Assembly Bill 735**

Relating to: veterans part-time classroom study, veterans tuition and fee reimbursement, veterans retraining grants, authority to construct and operate residential, treatment and nursing care facilities in southeastern Wisconsin and veterans housing loans.

By Representatives Musser, Schneider, Turner, Goetsch, Hasenohrl, Plouff, Plale, F. Lasee, Porter, Albers, Dobyns, Green, Duff, Kelso, Gunderson, J. Lehman, Dueholm, Zukowski, Skindrud, Meyer, Hahn, Kaufert, Hoven, Murat, Harsdorf, Baumgart, Springer, Gronemus, Vander Loop, Travis, Boyle, La Fave, Owens, Ott, Baldwin, Underheim,

Krusick, Morris-Tatum, Ourada, Ward, Walker, Handrick, Kreuser, Ziegelbauer, Black, Gard, Kreibich, Riley, Ladwig, Johnsrud, Seratti, Nass, Vrakas, Ryba, Powers, Steinbrink, Schafer, Olsen, Reynolds, Bock, Krug, Hubler, Ainsworth, Linton, Kunicki, Jeskewitz, Huebsch, Hebl, R. Potter and Coggs; cosponsored by Senators Moen, Risser, Fitzgerald, Schultz, Decker, Clausing, Breske, Wineke, Zien, Wirch, Shibilski, Welch, A. Lasee, Rude, Weeden, Ellis, Panzer, Rosenzweig, Plache, Farrow, George and Darling, by request of State of Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs.

To committee on Veterans and Military Affairs.

#### **Assembly Bill 736**

Relating to: various changes to hunting and fishing regulations and granting rule—making authority.

By Joint Legislative Council.

To committee on Natural Resources.

#### **Assembly Bill 737**

Relating to: the waiver of requirements for trapping approvals for certain special events or programs sponsored or approved by the department of natural resources.

By Representatives Johnsrud, Albers, Ward, Olsen, Grothman, Duff, Porter, Brandemuehl, Ainsworth, Ott, Schafer, Kreuser, Hasenohrl and Gronemus; cosponsored by Senators Welch, Schultz and Zien.

To committee on Natural Resources.

#### **Assembly Bill 738**

Relating to: the gasoline tax exemption for nonhighway

By Representatives Johnsrud, Brandemuehl, Olsen, Gronemus, Sykora, Ward, Skindrud, Lorge, Dobyns, Hasenohrl, Musser, Hahn, Green, Goetsch, Ainsworth, F. Lasee, Owens, Freese, Otte, Gunderson, Ott and Springer; cosponsored by Senators A. Lasee, Fitzgerald, Schultz, Rude, Huelsman, Drzewiecki, Cowles, Roessler, Darling and Wineke.

To joint survey committee on **Tax Exemptions**.

#### **Assembly Bill 739**

Relating to: the prohibition on constructing and modifying medical waste incinerators.

By Representatives Kreuser, Steinbrink, Porter, Ainsworth, Baldwin, Black, Bock, Boyle, Murat and R. Young; cosponsored by Senators Wirch, Plache, Burke, A. Lasee and Risser.

To committee on **Environment**.

#### **Assembly Bill 740**

Relating to: prohibitions on the use of public employes and public property for activities Relating to abortion.

By Representatives Walker, Plale, Ladwig, Wood, Albers, Owens, Jeskewitz, Lazich, Handrick, Urban, Wieckert, F. Lasee, Hutchison, Huebsch, Hoven, Grothman, Gunderson, Green, Goetsch, Gard, Freese, Duff, Dobyns, M. Lehman, Nass, Ott, Otte, Porter, Staskunas, Schafer and Sykora; cosponsored by Senators Drzewiecki, Farrow, Fitzgerald, Weeden and Zien.

To committee on Government Operations.

#### **Assembly Bill 741**

Relating to: authorizing certain county community programs boards and certain county community programs directors, together with private or public organizations or affiliations, to organize, establish and participate in the governance and operation of an entity to operate a mental health–related service.

By Representatives Ourada, Ainsworth, Brandemuehl, Musser, Albers, Reynolds, Springer, Owens, F. Lasee and Jeskewitz; cosponsored by Senators Moore and Rosenzweig.

To committee on **Health**.

#### **Assembly Bill 742**

Relating to: threats to cause bodily harm to a witness or to damage the property of a witness and providing penalties.

By Representatives Otte, Green, Murat, Dobyns, Grothman, Owens, Gunderson, F. Lasee, Porter, Ainsworth, Plouff, Skindrud, Musser, Sykora, Ladwig, Ziegelbauer, Baumgart, Brandemuehl, Gronemus, Albers, Nass and Riley; cosponsored by Senators C. Potter, Roessler, Darling, Weeden and A. Lasee.

To committee on Judiciary.

#### **Assembly Bill 743**

Relating to: the provision of dental services by the Marquette University School of Dentistry.

By Representatives Foti, Underheim, Kunicki, Gard, L. Young, Riley, Ourada, Plale, Walker and Olsen; cosponsored by Senator Moen.

To committee on Rules.

#### **Assembly Bill 744**

Relating to: granting bonding authority for refunding general obligation debt and for the discount sale of debt.

By Representative Gard; cosponsored by Senator Burke. To committee on **Rules**.

#### **Assembly Bill 745**

Relating to: restricting state governmental units from engaging in certain commercial activities, state governmental procurement requirements and creating a legislative joint committee on public—private partnership.

By Representatives Nass, Jensen, Musser, Hutchison, F. Lasee, Hahn, Johnsrud, Kedzie, Ladwig, Seratti, Vrakas, Meyer, Huebsch, Walker, Plale, Staskunas, La Fave and Lazich; cosponsored by Senators Farrow, Huelsman, Darling, Welch, Rosenzweig and Rude.

To committee on Mandates.

#### **Assembly Bill 746**

Relating to: "good funds" requirements for loan closings and the powers and duties of credit unions and their directors, officers, employes and members.

By Representative Ward; cosponsored by Senator C. Potter, by request of Ginger Larson, Director of the Office of Credit Unions.

To committee on Financial Institutions.

#### **Assembly Bill 747**

Relating to: fiscal responsibilities of the department of corrections and the disposal of property belonging to prisoners and inmates under the supervision of the department of corrections; standards for delivery of health services in state correctional institutions; and discharge of persons from probation (suggested as remedial legislation by the department of corrections).

By Law Revision Committee.

To committee on Criminal Justice and Corrections.

#### **Assembly Bill 748**

Relating to: strategic energy assessments, constraints on electric power transmission, control of certain transmission facilities by an independent system operator, the adequacy of retail electric service supplies, electric generating and transfer capacities, certification requirements applicable to certain projects proposed by public utilities, standards, permits and certificates of public convenience and necessity for certain electric generating facilities and high–voltage transmission lines, certain out–of–state sales of retail electric service, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures and granting rule–making authority.

By Representatives Gard, R. Potter, Otte, M. Lehman, Musser, Freese, Ward, Dobyns, Schneider, Ainsworth, Hanson, Albers, Huebsch, Hubler, Carpenter, Ziegelbauer, Brandemuehl, Robson, Hebl, Bock, Hasenohrl, Meyer, Baumgart, Gronemus, Boyle, Baldwin, Schafer and R. Young; cosponsored by Senators Moen, Rude, Grobschmidt, Fitzgerald, Jauch, Risser, Wineke, Clausing, Schultz and C. Potter.

To committee on **Utilities Oversight**.

#### **Assembly Bill 749**

Relating to: admission, denial of admission, provision of services, transfer and discharge for individuals by nursing facilities.

By Representatives Krusick, Baldwin, Black, Bock, Boyle, Carpenter, Gunderson, F. Lasee, J. Lehman, Notestein, Plale, R. Potter, Ryba, Urban and R. Young; cosponsored by Senators Burke and Breske.

To committee on **Health**.

#### **Assembly Bill 750**

Relating to: requiring the state to make debt service payments on behalf of school districts under certain conditions and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Harsdorf, Plouff, Brandemuehl, Springer, Johnsrud, Dueholm, M. Lehman, Reynolds and Olsen; cosponsored by Senators C. Potter, Darling, Shibilski, Fitzgerald, Grobschmidt, Welch and Clausing, by request of Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction and Wisconsin Association of School Boards.

To committee on Wavs and Means.

#### **Assembly Bill 751**

Relating to: prohibiting the granting of visitation or physical placement with a child to a parent or other person who intentionally kills a parent of the child.

By Representatives Green, Wasserman, Walker, Plale, Jeskewitz, Duff, Harsdorf, Ladwig, Schafer, Porter, Musser,

Ainsworth, Owens, Gunderson and Powers; cosponsored by Senators Darling, Drzewiecki, Roessler and Zien.

To committee on Judiciary.

#### **Assembly Bill 752**

Relating to: transferring appeals of certain determinations of the department of transportation from the division of hearings and appeals to the tax appeals commission.

By Representative Brandemuehl, by request of Department of Transportation.

To committee on **Highways and Transportation**.

#### Assembly Bill 753

Relating to: leasing technical college facilities to others.

By Representative Jensen.

To committee on Colleges and Universities.

#### Assembly Bill 754

Relating to: the use of a mobile communications device while operating a motor vehicle and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Baumgart and Ainsworth, by request of Mr. Jerome Den Boer.

To committee on **Highways and Transportation**.

#### **Assembly Bill 755**

Relating to: issuing general permits for activities in navigable waters that are located in the Wolf River and the Fox River basin area.

By Representatives Olsen, Kaufert, Klusman and Wieckert; cosponsored by Senator Roessler.

To committee on Natural Resources.

#### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

The joint committee on **Finance** reports and recommends:

#### **Assembly Bill 382**

Relating to: the regulation and licensure of podiatrists, abolishing the podiatry examining council and creating a podiatrists affiliated credentialing board, granting rule—making authority and providing a penalty.

Passage:

Ayes: 16 – Representatives Gard, Ourada, Harsdorf, Albers, Porter, Kaufert, Linton and Coggs; and Senators Burke, Decker, Jauch, Shibilski, Cowles, Panzer, Schultz and Rosenzweig.

Noes: 0.

To committee on Rules.

#### **Assembly Bill 581**

Relating to: the supplemental food program for women, infants and children and making an appropriation.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 16 – Representatives Gard, Ourada, Harsdorf, Albers, Porter, Kaufert, Linton and Coggs; and Senators Burke, Decker, Jauch, Shibilski, Cowles, Panzer, Schultz and Rosenzweig.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 14 – Representatives Ourada, Harsdorf, Albers, Porter, Kaufert, Linton and Coggs; and Senators Burke, Decker, Jauch, Shibilski, Panzer, Schultz and Rosenzweig.

Noes: 2 – Representative Gard; and Senator Cowles.

To committee on Rules.

#### **Assembly Bill 633**

Relating to: nonresident individual income tax reciprocity with the state of Illinois and making appropriations.

Assembly amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 16 – Representatives Gard, Ourada, Harsdorf, Albers, Porter, Kaufert, Linton and Coggs; and Senators Burke, Decker, Jauch, Shibilski, Cowles, Panzer, Schultz and Rosenzweig.

Noes: 0.

Assembly amendment 2 adoption:

Ayes: 16 – Representatives Gard, Ourada, Harsdorf, Albers, Porter, Kaufert, Linton and Coggs; and Senators Burke, Decker, Jauch, Shibilski, Cowles, Panzer, Schultz and Rosenzweig.

Noes: 0.

Assembly amendment 3 adoption:

Ayes: 16 – Representatives Gard, Ourada, Harsdorf, Albers, Porter, Kaufert, Linton and Coggs; and Senators Burke, Decker, Jauch, Shibilski, Cowles, Panzer, Schultz and Rosenzweig.

Noes: 0.

Assembly amendment 4 adoption:

Ayes: 16 – Representatives Gard, Ourada, Harsdorf, Albers, Porter, Kaufert, Linton and Coggs; and Senators Burke, Decker, Jauch, Shibilski, Cowles, Panzer, Schultz and Rosenzweig.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 16 – Representatives Gard, Ourada, Harsdorf, Albers, Porter, Kaufert, Linton and Coggs; and Senators Burke, Decker, Jauch, Shibilski, Cowles, Panzer, Schultz and Rosenzweig.

Noes: 0.

To committee on Rules.

JOHN GARD
Assembly Chairperson
Joint committee on Finance

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

#### **Assembly Bill 582**

Relating to: allowing a power of attorney for health care instrument to be used to make or refuse to make an anatomical gift and allowing a health care agent to make an anatomical gift.

Assembly amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 9 – Representatives Green, Grothman, Freese,Vrakas, Kelso, Huber, Notestein, Hubler and Cullen.Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 9 – Representatives Green, Grothman, Freese, Vrakas, Kelso, Huber, Notestein, Hubler and Cullen.

Noes: 0.

To committee on Rules.

#### **Assembly Bill 658**

Relating to: violations of nonsecure custody orders by juveniles and providing a penalty.

Passage:

Ayes: 9 – Representatives Green, Grothman, Freese, Vrakas, Kelso, Huber, Notestein, Hubler and Cullen.

Noes: 0.

To committee on Rules.

#### **Assembly Bill 660**

Relating to: lifetime supervision for persons who commit certain sex offenses, granting rule-making authority and providing a penalty.

Passage:

Ayes: 6 - Representatives Green, Grothman, Freese, Vrakas, Kelso and Hubler.

Noes: 3 – Representatives Huber, Notestein and Cullen.

To committee on Rules.

MARK GREEN Chairperson Committee on Judiciary

The committee on **Natural Resources** reports and recommends:

#### **Assembly Bill 299**

Relating to: disabled hunter permits issued to persons who are visually handicapped.

Passage:

Ayes: 10 – Representatives Johnsrud, Powers, Brandemuehl, Ott, Gunderson, Hutchison, Black, Bock, Boyle and Baumgart.

Noes: 0.

To committee on Rules.

#### **Assembly Bill 307**

Relating to: fences as boundaries for certain land occupied or owned by the department of natural resources. Passage:

Ayes: 8 – Representatives Johnsrud, Powers, Brandemuehl, Gunderson, Hutchison, Black, Bock and Boyle.

Noes: 2 – Representatives Ott and Baumgart.

To joint committee on Finance.

DUWAYNE JOHNSRUD
Chairperson
Committee on Natural Resources

The committee on **State Affairs** reports and recommends:

#### **Assembly Bill 444**

Relating to: fermented malt beverage wholesalers.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 7 – Representatives Skindrud, Underheim, M. Lehman, Owens, Wood, Boyle and Murat.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 7 – Representatives Skindrud, Underheim, M. Lehman, Owens, Wood, Boyle and Murat.

Noes: 0.

To committee on Rules.

RICK SKINDRUD
Chairperson
Committee on State Affairs

The committee on Ways and Means reports and recommends:

#### **Assembly Bill 422**

Relating to: property tax deadlines.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 14 – Representatives M. Lehman, Jeskewitz, Goetsch, Sykora, Owens, Seratti, Huebsch, F. Lasee, Wood, Black, Krug, R. Young, Turner and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 13 – Representatives M. Lehman, Jeskewitz, Goetsch, Sykora, Owens, Seratti, Huebsch, F. Lasee, Wood, Black, R. Young, Turner and Ziegelbauer.

Noes: 1 – Representative Krug.

To committee on Rules.

MICHAEL LEHMAN Chairperson Committee on Ways and Means

#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

By Donald J. Schneider, Senate Chief Clerk.

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform you that the Senate has

Adopted and asks concurrence in:

**Senate Joint Resolution 33 Senate Joint Resolution 34** 

Passed and asks concurrence in:

**Senate Bill 18** 

Senate Bill 61

Senate Bill 78

Senate Bill 140

Senate Bill 190

Senate Bill 275

Senate Bill 308

Senate Bill 319

Senate Bill 346

Senate Bill 347

Senate Bill 357 Senate Bill 364

#### ACTION ON THE SENATE MESSAGE

#### **Senate Joint Resolution 33**

Relating to: memorializing the United States Senate to support the admission of Poland to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

By Senators Grobschmidt, Burke, Shibilski, Drzewiecki, Breske and Welch; cosponsored by Representatives Ryba, Kunicki, Handrick, Gard, Ott, Walker, Kreuser, Dobyns, R. Potter, Plale, Bock, Hasenohrl and Gronemus.

To committee on Rules.

#### **Senate Joint Resolution 34**

Relating to: urging the U.S. secretary of agriculture to immediately change the federal milk pricing system.

By Senators Zien, Clausing, Schultz, Wineke, A. Lasee, Drzewiecki, Decker, Fitzgerald, Welch, Jauch, Grobschmidt, Rude, Farrow and Cowles; cosponsored by Representatives Sykora, Ott, Zukowski, R. Young, Black, Johnsrud, Huebsch, Kreibich, Hebl, Skindrud, Freese, Gard, Plouff, Hoven, Jensen, Harsdorf, Ladwig, Urban, Hasenohrl, Lorge, Gronemus, F. Lasee, Walker, Otte, Goetsch, Hahn, Gunderson, Brandemuehl, Albers, Grothman, Dobyns, Ward, Owens, Green, Turner, Vrakas, Dueholm, Hutchison, Porter, Bock and Baldwin.

To committee on Rules.

#### **Senate Bill 18**

Relating to: limiting the property tax exemption for hospitals to exclude health and fitness centers.

By Senators Decker, Rude, Moen, Wineke and Weeden; cosponsored by Representatives Ainsworth, R. Young, Urban, Musser and Plale.

To committee on Ways and Means.

#### Senate Bill 61

Relating to: creating a property tax exemption for nonprofit organizations that rehabilitate housing for sale to low-income persons.

By Senators C. Potter, Decker, Jauch, Shibilski, Breske, Buettner, Grobschmidt, A. Lasee, Plache, Schultz, Weeden, Welch, Wirch and Zien; cosponsored by Representatives Otte, Ziegelbauer, Jensen, Schneider, Linton, Kaufert, Albers, Baumgart, Bock, Boyle, Cullen, Dobyns, Green, Gronemus, Hasenohrl, Huber, Hutchison, Kelso, La Fave, J. Lehman, Murat, Musser, Notestein, Olsen, Ott, Owens, Plouff, Reynolds, Schafer, Springer, Vander Loop, Ward and L. Young.

To committee Ways and Means.

#### Senate Bill 78

Relating to: assignments of earnings, pension benefits, lottery winnings and other benefits for the payment of assessments, fines, restitution and surcharges and making an appropriation.

By Senators C. Potter, Moen and Weeden; cosponsored by Representatives Otte, Notestein, Baumgart, Dobyns, Porter, Lazich, Gronemus and Hahn.

To committee on **Judiciary**.

#### Senate Bill 140

Relating to: access to public records.

By Senators Buettner, Drzewiecki, Cowles, Ellis, Fitzgerald, Huelsman, Welch, Farrow and Zien; cosponsored by Representatives Goetsch, Otte, Dobyns, Gard, Ziegelbauer, Underheim, Freese, Gunderson, M. Lehman, Seratti, Wasserman, Ladwig, Duff, F. Lasee, Brandemuehl, Olsen, Skindrud, Kreibich, Plale and Grothman.

To committee on Criminal Justice and Corrections.

#### Senate Bill 190

Relating to: noncompetitive appointment of certain disabled veterans to positions in the classified service of the state

By Senators Moen, Rude, Welch and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Musser, Turner, Owens, Hasenohrl, Gronemus, Ryba, Plale and Seratti.

To committee on Veterans and Military Affairs.

#### **Senate Bill 275**

Relating to: regulation of grain dealers and grain warehouse keepers.

By Senators Shibilski, Welch and Zien; cosponsored by Representatives Sykora, Ott, Gronemus, Springer and Zukowski.

To committee on **Agriculture**.

#### **Senate Bill 308**

Relating to: revising the investment securities chapter of the uniform commercial code.

By Senators Huelsman and George; cosponsored by Representatives Green and Cullen.

To committee on Financial Institutions.

#### Senate Bill 319

Relating to: release of patient health care records to the patient's health care provider.

By Senators Wirch, Schultz and Roessler; cosponsored by Representatives Ziegelbauer, Ott, Musser, Gronemus, Turner, F. Lasee, Goetsch, Sykora, Porter and Williams.

To committee on **Health**.

#### Senate Bill 346

Relating to: various changes to the Minnesota-Wisconsin student reciprocity agreement.

By Senators Burke and Moen; cosponsored by Representative Gard.

To committee on Rules.

#### Senate Bill 347

Relating to: the rate for the tax on cider.

By Senators Jauch, Panzer, Rude, Breske, Shibilski, Roessler and Moen; cosponsored by Representatives Hutchison, Huebsch, Meyer, Ainsworth, Gronemus, Porter, Plouff, Ryba, Seratti and Hasenohrl.

To committee on Ways and Means.

#### Senate Bill 357

Relating to: eliminating some of the school district and cooperative educational service agency reporting requirements and granting rule—making authority.

By Senators C. Potter, Rude, Roessler, Weeden, Rosenzweig, Breske, A. Lasee, Huelsman, Schultz, Darling, Drzewiecki and Zien; cosponsored by Representatives Nass, Olsen, Brandemuehl, Ainsworth, J. Lehman, Harsdorf, Hasenohrl, Goetsch, Otte, Plouff, Springer, Grothman, Ryba, Urban, Bock, M. Lehman, Staskunas, Gronemus, Porter, Handrick, Meyer, Underheim, Kelso, Dobyns, Kreibich, F. Lasee, Jensen, Ladwig, Vrakas, Huber, Ward, Skindrud, Gunderson and Powers.

To committee on Education.

#### Senate Bill 364

Relating to: creating a professional standards council for teachers.

By Joint Legislative Council.

To committee on Education.

#### **ENROLLED BILLS**

The following Assembly proposals, which have been approved by both the Assembly and Senate, have been enrolled by the Legislative Reference Bureau:

Assembly Bill 20 Assembly Bill 157

Assembly Bill 254 Assembly Bill 273

Assembly Bill 696

CHARLES R. SANDERS Assembly Chief Clerk

#### **COMMUNICATIONS**

State of Wisconsin Elections Board Madison

January 22, 1998

To the Honorable, the Assembly:

I am pleased to provide you with a copy of the official canvass of the January 13, 1998 Special Election vote for Representative to the Assembly, District 42, along with the determination of the winner by the Chairperson of the State Elections Board.

If the State Elections Board staff can provide you with any further information or assistance, please contact our office.

> KEVIN J. KENNEDY Executive Director State Elections Board

# STATEMENT OF CANVASS FOR REPRESENTATIVE TO THE ASSEMBLY

#### **DISTRICT FORTY-TWO**

#### SPECIAL ELECTION - JANUARY 13, 1998

I, David Halbrooks, Chairperson of the State Elections Board, certify that the attached tabular statement, as compiled from the certified returns made to the State Elections Board by the county clerks of the several counties comprising the Forty–second Assembly District, contains a correct abstract of the total number of votes given for the election of candidates for Representative to the Assembly, District 42, at a Special Election held in the several towns, wards, villages and election districts in said counties on the Thirteenth day of January, 1998.

I DETERMINE AND CERTIFY that the following candidate, having received the greatest number of votes, is duly elected Representative to the Assembly:

#### District Forty-two

Elected
Joan Wade Spillner

Done in the City of Madison, this 22nd day of January, 1998.

DAVID HALBROOKS Chairperson State Elections Board

#### OATH OF OFFICE

On January 20, 1998, Speaker Jensen administered the oath of office to Joan Wade Spillner of the Forty-second Assembly District in the Assembly Chamber during session.

#### SPEAKER'S COMMUNICATIONS

January 26, 1998

Charles Sanders Assembly Chief Clerk 1 East Main Street, Suite 402 P.O. Box 8952 Madison, Wisconsin 53708

Dear Mr. Sanders:

On January 20, 1998, **Assembly Bills 725** and **726** from the Law Revision Committee were referred to the Assembly Committee on **Judiciary**. Pursuant to Assembly Rule 42 (3)(c), I hereby withdraw **Assembly Bills 725** and **726** from the Assembly Committee on **Judiciary** and re-refer **Assembly Bill 725** to the Assembly Committee on **Labor and Employment** and **Assembly Bill 726** to the Assembly Committee on **Natural Resources**.

Representative Mark Green has consented to the re-referral.

Sincerely, SCOTT R. JENSEN Assembly Speaker

#### SPEAKER'S APPOINTMENTS

January 26, 1998

Representative Joan Spillner Room 21 North, State Capitol Madison, WI 53702

Dear Joan:

As Assembly Speaker, it is my pleasure to appoint you as a member of the Agriculture Committee. You will be filling the position recently vacated by Representative Ward. This appointment is effective immediately.

Thank you for your service.

Sincerely, SCOTT R. JENSEN Assembly Speaker