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The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date

# INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

Read first time and referred:

#### Senate Bill 163

Relating to: the publication of notices relating to the creation of tax incremental financing districts.

By Senator Risser; cosponsored by Representative Berceau.

To committee on Universities, Housing, and Government Operations.

# **REPORT OF COMMITTEES**

The joint committee for **Review of Administrative Rules** reports and recommends:

## Senate Bill 116

Relating to: notification to the legislature of a proposed rule. Passage.

Ayes, 10 – Senators Robson, Grobschmidt, Hansen, Schultz and Cowles. Representatives Grothman, Seratti, Gunderson, Kreuser and Turner.

Noes, 0 – None.

Judith Robson Senate Chairperson

# PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

#### State of Wisconsin Board of Health Care Information

### April 23, 2001

The Honorable, The Legislature:

The purpose of this letter is to inform you about the Wisconsin Consumer Guide to Health Care, an Internet-based resource that enables the state's citizens to make informed choices about their health care. It fulfills the 1997 Wisconsin Act 231 mandate, which requires that the Department of Health and Family Services (DHFS) produce a guide to assist consumers in choosing health care providers and plans.

To view the Guide, you can go through the DHFS Web site (http://www/dhfs.state.wi.us) or access it directly (http://www.dhfs.state.wi.us/guide). The Bureau of Health Care Information also has brochures, which are available for your distribution, describing the Guide's contents and how to access it. To obtain this brochure, please call Joan Gugel at (608) 267-7955 or send her a fax at (608) 261-6380.

Sincerely,

RONALD H. DIX Chairperson

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

#### Senate Clearinghouse Rule 00–079

Relating to security.

Submitted by Department of Corrections.

Report received from Agency, April 27, 2001.

Referred to committee on **Economic Development and Corrections,** April 27, 2001.

#### Senate Clearinghouse Rule 00–186

Relating to the education for employment program.

Submitted by Department of Public Instruction.

Report received from Agency, April 27, 2001.

Referred to committee on Education, April 27, 2001.

The committee on **Privacy, Electronic Commerce and Financial Institutions** reports and recommends:

#### Senate Clearinghouse Rule 00–166

Relating to placing the name and location of a bank home office on a bank check.

No action taken.

Jon Erpenbach Chairperson