

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs

Assembly Bill 603

Relating to: prohibiting employment discrimination because an individual is or applies to be a member of, or performs, has performed, applies to perform, or has an obligation to perform active service in, the national guard, state defense force, or any reserve component of the military forces of the United States or this state.

By Representatives Owens, Ainsworth, Albers, Bies, Boyle, J. Fitzgerald, Freese, Hines, Kreibich, Ladwig, LeMahieu, Musser, Nischke, Olsen, Ott, Petrowski, Pettis, Seratti, Suder, Van Roy, Weber and Gundrum; cosponsored by Senators Roessler, Brown, S. Fitzgerald and Lassa.

October 21, 2003 Referred to Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs.

October 29, 2003 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (13) Representatives Musser, Townsend, Pettis, Hundertmark, Petrowski, Bies, Loeffelholz, Gottlieb, Sherman, Hubler, Schneider, Sinicki and Miller.

Absent: (1) Representative Boyle.

Appearances For

- Representative Carol Owens, 53rd District
- BG Kerry Denson, WI DMA
- Administrator Micabil Diaz, WI Workforce Development

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Steve Lawrence, WI VFW
- Secretary John Scocos, WI DVA
- Ralph Schulenberg, WI American Legion
- LTC Terry McArdle, WI Military Affairs
- Larry Olson, WI Dept. Military Affairs
- Rev. Terry Larsen, Chaplain, WI National Guard
- Senator Carol Roessler, 18th District
- Mike Furgal, WI VFW

John O'Brien, Military Order of the Purple Heart

Registrations Against

None.

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EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (13) Representatives Musser, Townsend, Pettis, Hundertmark, Petrowski, Bies, Loeffelholz, Gottlieb, Sherman, Hubler, Schneider, Sinicki and Miller.

Absent: (1) Representative Boyle.

Moved by Representative Hubler, seconded by Representative Loeffelholz that **Assembly Bill 603** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (13) Representatives Musser, Townsend, Pettis, Hundertmark, Petrowski, Bies, Loeffelholz, Gottlieb, Sherman, Hubler, Schneider, Sinicki and Miller.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Boyle.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 13, Noes 0

Marlene Reineking
Committee Clerk