

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy

Senate Joint Resolution 63

Relating to: providing that only a marriage between one man and one woman shall be valid or recognized as a marriage in this state (first consideration).

By Senators S. Fitzgerald, Zien, Roessler, Lazich, Leibham, Schultz and Kanavas; cosponsored by Representatives Gundrum, W. Wood, Vukmir, Nischke, Weber, Krawczyk, Albers, Suder, J. Fitzgerald, Towns, Owens, Ladwig, McCormick, Hundertmark, M. Williams, Seratti, Van Roy, Grothman, Bies, LeMahieu, Honadel, Pettis, Nass, Ott, Vrakas, F. Lasee, Hahn, Kestell, Lothian, Hines, Olsen, Gottlieb, Townsend, Gunderson, Kreibich, Petrowski, D. Meyer and Huebsch.

February 10, 2004 Referred to Committee on Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy.

March 1, 2004 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Zien, S. Fitzgerald, Stepp, Carpenter and Coggs.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Lori Lapaz, Cambridge
- Oscar Ramsey, Green Bay
- Rex Munyon, Watertown
- Mike Mayhak, Faith Baptist Church Madison, Waunakee
- Rodney Laudenslager, Watertown
- Pastor Ted Girores, Grace Community Church, West Allis
- Pastor Robert Loggans, Calvary Baptist Church, Watertown
- Kai Warner, Grace Community Church, West Allis
- Len Lindsay, Madison
- Mark Gabriel, Appleton
- Dale Johnson, Oshkosh
- Emily Golden, Cedarburg
- Jimmie Johnson, Milwaukee
- Rev. Dean Howell, Grace Baptist Church, Cottage Grove
- Lisa Streets, West Bend
- Craig Hunnel, Church of the Nazaiene, Tomah
- Scott Carson, Burlington
- Jenny Hopkinson, Burlington
- Al Doyle, Oshkosh
- Jonathan Roberts, Mukwonago
- Gary Warinner, Oshkosh

- Mark Kimble, Pro Life Wisconsin, Madison
- Rebecca Jest, Brookfield
- Jenny Fox, Oshkosh
- Eugene Eslinger, Christian Fellowship Ministries, Green Bay
- Keith Habegger, Onalaska
- Arden Deaner, South Shore Rep. Club, Oak Creek
- Patricia Habegger, Onalaska
- Renee Ziemer, Wylde Wood Baptist Church, Omro
- Roland Wegner, Suamico
- Gene Malone, Kenosha
- Pastor Dale Stanford, Oxford
- Darryl Lefeber, Malone
- Shana Zastera, Pro-Life WI, Oshkosh
- Robert Senne, Butternut
- Janice Kosinski, Racine
- Pastor Ron Kutz, Cambridge
- Robert Kersten, Tomah
- Juanita Warinner, Omro
- Marvin Munyon, WI Capitol Watch, Watertown
- Julaine Appling, The Family Research Institute of WI, Madison
- John Huebscher, WI Catholic Conference, Madison
- State Senator Scott Fitzgerald, 13th State Senate District
- Vincent Kobush, Lake Mills
- Marion Bartman

Appearances Against

- Susan Dexter, New Berlin
- RJ Manville, Milwaukee
- Chris Ahmuty, ACLU of WI, Milwaukee
- Patrick Flahento, Milwaukee
- Gordon Shaw, Madison
- Robert Stipiceuich, Madison
- Jim McFarland, Log Cabin Republicans, Milwaukee
- Andrew Warner, Whitefish Bay
- Jennifer Thomas, Lutherans, Milwaukee

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Rev. William Bartz, Fort Atkinson
- Joan Tatarsky, Milwaukee
- Jean Dorney, Menomonee Falls
- Carol Karlslyst, West Bend
- Tricia Stertz, Omro
- Kenneth Stertz, Omro

- Nancy Case, Pickett
- Kathy Gesell, Antigo
- Kelly Duke, Bryant
- James Gesell, Antigo
- Sharon Duke, Bryant
- Judith Brant, Madison
- State Senator Ted Kanavas, 33rd State Senate District
- Freda Warinner, Oshkosh
- Warren Lister, Pewaukee
- Jennifer Warinner
- Jessica Warriner
- Representative Scott Suder, 69th Assembly District
- Lois Schlei, Butler
- State Senator Tom Reynolds, 5th State Senate District
- Larry Moodie, Mosinee
- Jim Potratz, Oshkosh
- Dawn Doyle, Oshkosh
- Tiffany Auchteng
- Bethany Meinke
- Robert Bartmen
- Blanche Widmen, Oshkosh
- Grace Bayer, Menasha
- Marsh Bayer, Menasha
- Stuart Doyle, Oshkosh
- Myrma Kaufmann
- Karla Burns, Oshkosh
- Timothy O'Brien, Butte Des Morts
- Thomas Kaufmann
- Diane Price, Verona
- Nanette Wilde, Waunakee
- Anne Marie Wilde, Waunakee
- Wendy Fjelstad, Cottage Grove
- Carolyn Hellenbrand
- Leo Hellenbrand
- Scott Ziegler
- Josh Howell
- Andrew Bartman
- Rachael Smetak
- Karen Arneson, Janesville
- Elizabeth McAusland
- Amy Wiesneske
- Abbey Meinke
- John Steuerwald
- Philip Bartman
- Emily Kutz
- Emily Dow

- Luke Steuerwald
- Carne Bohman, Madison
- Laura Kocum, Madison
- J. Mark Holland, Watertown
- Daniel Schlichting, Milwaukee
- Dan LuPuz
- Ben Hellenbrand
- Ronald Burns, Oshkosh
- Monte Kidwiter, Oshkosh
- Beverly Kidwiler, Oshkosh
- Seth Johnson
- Jared Longsine, Oshkosh
- Thea Beaty, Marathon
- Cindy Beaty
- Josiah Beaty, Marathon
- Michelle Beaty, Marathon
- Raquel Kulp, Stratford
- Teresa Beaty, Marathon
- Bruce Beaty, Marathon
- State Senator Dale Schultz, 17th State Senate District
- Raymond Daimo, Edgerton
- Corban Maxnok
- Gerald McKee, Watertown
- Mary Stephan
- Marie Destrach, Pro-Life WI, Beloit
- Sister Rosalin Bauer, Pro-Life WI, Beloit
- Lisa Johnson
- Gail Tappen, Madison
- Dagny Coe, Madison
- Peter Kirschhoffer, Lake Mills
- John Doe, Middleton
- Sister Joan Ann Springman, Oregon
- Mike Lingle, Watertown
- James Konkel, Milwaukee
- Dawn Knauft, Oregon
- Camara Kulp, Marathon
- Benjamin Beaty, Marathon
- Seth Beaty
- Becky Tuleck, Stratford
- Kathi Sawyer, Burlington
- Scott Hoppe, Burlington
- Peter Ciprys, St. Francis
- Teresa Schmick, Oshkosh
- Theresa Prellwitz, Ripon
- Linda Slager, Beaver Dam
- Tom Brayton, Pickett

- Kristin LeFort, Watertown
- Angel Douglas, Oshkosh
- John Baierl, Evansville
- Jeffrey Brayton, Oshkosh
- Sarah Burns, Oshkosh
- Matt Burns, Oshkosh
- Wayne Alden
- James Flad, Madison
- Doris Moore, Brookfield
- S. Kent Steffke, Milwaukee
- Jenny Baierl, Evansville
- Thomas Jelinek, Cambridge
- Andrea Kornig, Ripon
- William O'Brien, Wind Lake
- Laurie Zold, Colgate
- Austin Zold, Colgate
- Judy McNamara, Menomonee Falls
- Kenneth Shelton, Grafton
- Danielle Zold, Colgate
- Andrew Tikalsky, Schofield
- Linda Ofstie, Cambridge
- Marjorie Moorhouse, Concerned Women for America, Antigo

Registrations Against

- Jennifer Durnall, Milwaukee
- Judith Haass, New Berlin
- Melissa Beastron, Milwaukee
- Bethany Ordaz, United Council of UW Students, Madison
- Jeff Pertl, United Council of UW Students, Madison
- Janice Shaw, Madison
- Brian Anderson, Madison
- Terry Brice, Cedarburg
- Maria Cadenas, Milwaukee
- Kris Irizarry, Madison
- Janet Koloen

March 11, 2004

Failed to adopt pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.

John Hogan
Committee Clerk