Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Agriculture and Insurance

Assembly Bill 764

Relating to: awards to persons suffering damages as the result of medical malpractice and evidence of compensation for those damages.

By Representatives Gielow, Huebsch, Nischke, Gard, Nerison and Albers; cosponsored by Senator S. Fitzgerald.

October 26, 2005 Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Insurance.

October 27, 2005 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (0) None. Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Curt Gielow, Madison Rep., Author
- Laura Leith, Madison WI Hospital Association
- Jo-Mary Trstensky Sr., Hospital Systers Health Systems

Appearances Against

• None.

Appearances for Information Only

• None.

Registrations For

- Bill Smith, Madison National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB)
- Tom Fonfara, Madison ThedaCare
- Mark Adams, Verona self
- Maureen McNally, Milwaukee Froedtert & Community Health
- Mark Grapentine, Madison WI Medical Society
- Ron Kuehn, Madison Professional Insurance Agents
- Ron Kuehn, Madison WI Associations of Insurance & Financial Advisors
- Ron Kuehn, Madison Independent Insurance Agents

Registrations Against

• Lisa Roys, Madison — State Bar of Wisconsin

November 1, 2005 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Kapanke, Kedzie, Brown, Olsen,

Erpenbach, Hansen and Miller.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Olsen, seconded by Senator Kedzie that **Assembly Bill 764** be recommended for concurrence.

Ayes: (4) Senators Kapanke, Kedzie, Brown and Olsen.

Noes: (3) Senators Erpenbach, Hansen and Miller.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 4, Noes 3

Rose Smyrski Committee Clerk