

STATE OF WISCONSIN
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FRIDAY, May 4, 2007

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

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

**State of Wisconsin
Office of the Governor**

May 3, 2007

To the Honorable, the Senate:

The following bill(s), originating in the Senate, have been approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Act Number</u>	<u>Date Approved</u>
Senate Bill 55	Act 6	May 3, 2007

Sincerely,
JIM DOYLE
Governor

**State of Wisconsin
Department of Corrections**

April 11, 2007

The Honorable, The Legislature:

Attached is the FY06 report on Prison Industries for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2006, as required by s. 303.018 of the Wisconsin Statutes. This report includes the cash balance of each industry. Private sector joint venture balances are reported separately from the remainder of Prison Industries.

The Department of Corrections would be happy to respond to any questions you may have on this matter.

Sincerely,
MATTHEW J. FRANK
Secretary, Department of Corrections
MICHAEL L. MORGAN
Secretary, Department of Administration

**State of Wisconsin
Department of Natural Resources**

May 1, 2007

The Honorable, The Senate:

In fulfillment of the requirements under s. 299.85 (9m), Wisconsin State Statutes, I am submitting to you a copy of the Wisconsin's Environmental Compliance Audit Program 2007 Annual Report. It covers the period April 1, 2006 to March 31,

2007. Please distribute as appropriate. I am also providing a copy of the Report to the Governor and to the Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

For more information on Wisconsin's Environmental Compliance Audit Program or additional copies of this report, please contact Mark McDermid at (608) 267–3125, or visit our web site at: <http://dnr.wi.gov/org/caer/cea/environmental/audit/index.htm>. DNR staff will send you an electronic copy of this letter and Annual Report to facilitate distribution.

Sincerely,
SCOTT HASSETT
Secretary

**State of Wisconsin
Department of Natural Resources**

May 1, 2007

The Honorable, The Senate:

In fulfillment of the requirements under s. 299.83(8)(h), Wisconsin State Statutes, I am transmitting the 2007 Green Tier Biennial Progress Report. Please distribute as appropriate. I am also providing a copy of the Report to the Governor and to the Honorable Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

The Green Tier law is scheduled to sunset July 1, 2009. This report outlines the progress already made toward the goal of helping businesses achieve superior environmental performance. I believe, however, that the law is capable of long–term benefits that will not have time to develop before the sunset period arrives and the presence of the sunset may be impeding our implementation of the provisions within the law. The reauthorization of Green Tier, will allow us to explore more of what Green Tier can accomplish. I look forward to working with the legislature to secure program reauthorization, furthering our commitment to our participants, the environment, and the state of Wisconsin.

For more information on the Green Tier program or additional copies of this report, please contact Mark McDermid at (608) 267–3125, or visit our web site at <http://greentier.wi.gov>. Here is a link to the report: <http://dnr.wi.gov/org/caer/cea/environmental/reports/2007report.pdf>.

Sincerely,
SCOTT HASSETT
Secretary

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Fields added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 95**.