



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

Ninety–Eighth Regular Session

11:00 A.M.

THURSDAY, August 30, 2007

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by Assistant Chief Clerk Renk, pursuant to Senate Rule 5 (3) and (4) (b).

The Chair, with unanimous consent, asked that the proper entries be made in the journal.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS; REFERENCE OF APPOINTMENTS

Read first time and referred:

Senate Bill 256

Relating to: expenditure of \$73,562.70 from the general fund in payment of a claim against the state made by Landwehr Construction, Inc.

By Senator Risser.

To committee on **Ethics Reform and Government Operations**.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Small Business, Emergency Preparedness, Workforce Development, Technical Colleges and Consumer Protection** reports and recommends:

GASSMAN, ROBERTA, of Madison, as Secretary of the Department of Workforce Development, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Wirch, Carpenter, Plale, Kedzie and Roessler.

Noes, 0 – None.

PICKAR, VANESSA, of West Salem, as a member of the Wisconsin Technical College System Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2009.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 5 – Senators Wirch, Carpenter, Plale, Kedzie and Roessler.

Noes, 0 – None.

ROBERT WIRCH
Chairperson

REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF COMMITTEE REPORTS CONCERNING PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

The committee on **Commerce, Utilities and Rail** reports and recommends:

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 06–120

Relating to construction, use and maintenance of public buildings and places of employment and affecting small businesses.

No action taken.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 07–020

Relating to the construction, installation, and placing in operation of natural gas facilities.

No action taken.

JEFFREY PLALE
Chairperson

The committee on **Small Business, Emergency Preparedness, Workforce Development, Technical Colleges and Consumer Protection** reports and recommends:

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 07–019

Relating to worker's compensation and affecting small businesses.

No action taken.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 07–038

Relating to unemployment insurance benefit reports filed by employers and affecting small businesses.

No action taken.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 07–039

Relating to wages for unemployment insurance benefit purposes.

No action taken.

ROBERT WIRCH
Chairperson

ADJOURNMENT

Assistant Chief Clerk Renk, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn until Tuesday, September 4, 2007.

Adjourned.

11:01 A.M.