# STATE OF WISCONSIN Senate Journal

# Ninety-Eighth Regular Session

# TUESDAY, April 8, 2008

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

Read and referred to committee on Veterans and Military Affairs, Biotechnology and Financial Institutions.

## **CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES**

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries dated Monday, April 7, 2008.

**PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS** 

#### State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 7, 2008

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>	Date Approved
Senate Bill 289	Act 205	April 7, 2008
Senate Bill 519	Act 207	April 7, 2008
Senate Bill 28	Act 208	April 7, 2008
Senate Bill 514	Act 209	April 7, 2008
Senate Bill 517	Act 211	April 7, 2008
Senate Bill 551	Act 213	April 7, 2008
Senate Bill 545	Act 216	April 7, 2008
Senate Bill 549	Act 219	April 7, 2008
Senate Bill 493	Act 220	April 7, 2008
Senate Bill 396	Act 222	April 7, 2008
Respectfully submitted, <i>UM DOYLE</i>		

JIM DOYLE Governor

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

#### State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

April 7, 2008

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint MACARENO, AMELIA, of Milwaukee, as a member of the Banking Review Board, to serve for the term ending May 1, 2013.

Respectfully submitted, JIM DOYLE Governor PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin

Senate

April 8, 2008

The Honorable, The Senate:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 20, Senator Carol Roessler is temporarily replacing Senator Ted Kanavas on the State Building Commission. This replacement is effective for Wednesday, April 16, 2008.

Sincerely, RUSS DECKER Senate Majority Leader

#### State of Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services

March 31, 2008

The Honorable, The Legislature:

The Department of Health and Family Services (DHFS) is submitting the attached State Annual Performance Report for the Birth to 3 Program to meet the requirement in s. 51.44 (5)(c) to report on the Department's progress on implementing the Birth to 3 Program. The enclosed report, which covers the federal fiscal year 2006, was submitted to the federal government, to meet federal requirements.

The report highlights the very positive outcomes produced by the Birth to 3 Program. As intended, the vast majority, over 95%, of children are served in their homes or other settings for typically developing children, such as child care centers. Parent satisfaction with the program remains high; in particular, parents report increased capacity to help their children develop and learn and to communicate their children's needs as a result of early intervention services.

In the past year, the state and counties have engaged in a broad array of measures to improve the quality of the program. These efforts will continue to ensure that children with disabilities and their families are well served by Wisconsin's Birth to 3 Program.

Please contact Carol Noddings Eichinger of my staff at 608–267–3270 if you have questions regarding this report.

With warm regards, *KEVIN R. HAYDEN* Secretary

#### State of Wisconsin Government Accountability Board

April 3, 2008

The Honorable, The Senate:

The following lobbyists have been authorized to act on behalf of the organizations set opposite their names.

For more detailed information about these lobbyists and organizations and a complete list of organizations and people authorized to lobby the 2007–2008 session of the legislature, visit the Government Accountability Board's web site at http://ethics.state.wi.us/

Alston, Garth	Philip Morris USA Inc., by its
	service company Altria Client
	Services, Inc.
Fahey, Joe	Institute for Wisconsin's Future
Kennedy, Bryan	AFT – Wisconsin

Petersen, Eric J	Property Council of Australia (PCA)
Seligman, Noah	Wisconsin Customers for Affordable Local and Long Distance Service
Tyre, Scott	Wisconsin Bankers Association
Wycoff, Shanna	Community Financial Services Association of America

Also available from the Wisconsin Government Accountability Board are reports identifying the amount and value of time state agencies have spent to affect legislative action and reports of expenditures for lobbying activities filed by organizations that employ lobbyists.

Sincerely, KEVIN KENNEDY Director and General Counsel