

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Forestry**

##### **Assembly Bill 735**

Relating to: petitions and management plans for the designation of managed forest land, transferrals of ownership of managed forest land, establishing stumpage values and estimating withdrawal taxes under the managed forest land program, signatures and authentication requirements for orders under the forest croplands program, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

By Representatives Friske, Mursau, Bies, Townsend and Musser; cosponsored by Senators Breske and Hansen.

January 29, 2008      Referred to Committee on Forestry.

February 12, 2008      **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (6)      Representatives Friske, Mursau, A. Ott, M. Williams, Hubler and Sherman.

Absent:     (1)      Representative Boyle.

##### Appearances For

- Donald Friske, Madison — Representative, 35th Assembly District
- Bob Mather, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources - Division of Forestry

##### Appearances Against

- Merlin Becker, Manawa — Wisconsin Woodland Owners Association
- M. Scott Statz, Madison — 810 Woodrow St

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- Roger Breske, Madison — Senator, 12th Senate District
- Gunnar Bergersen, Madison — Lake States Lumber Association and Great Lakes Timber Producers Association

##### Registrations Against

- None.

##### Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 12, 2008

**EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (6) Representatives Friske, Mursau, A. Ott, M. Williams, Hubler and Sherman.

Absent: (1) Representative Boyle.

Moved by Representative Hubler, seconded by Representative Sherman that **Assembly Amendment 1** be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (6) Representatives Friske, Mursau, A. Ott, M. Williams, Hubler and Sherman.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Boyle.

INTRODUCTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Hubler, seconded by Representative Sherman that **Assembly Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (6) Representatives Friske, Mursau, A. Ott, M. Williams, Hubler and Sherman.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Boyle.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Hubler, seconded by Representative Friske that **Assembly Bill 735** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (6) Representatives Friske, Mursau, A. Ott, M. Williams, Hubler and Sherman.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Boyle.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 0

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Tim Gary

Committee Clerk