Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Judiciary, Corrections, and Housing

Senate Bill 497

Relating to: assistant district attorney positions and making an appropriation.

By Senators Sullivan, Taylor, Carpenter, Erpenbach, Darling, Plale, Kanavas, Harsdorf, Risser and Roessler; cosponsored by Representatives Staskunas, Hraychuck, Soletski, Richards, Jeskewitz, Nelson, Zepnick, A. Ott, Cullen, Berceau, Sinicki, Molepske and Hintz.

February 15, 2008 Referred to Committee on Judiciary, Corrections, and Housing.

February 26, 2008 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Taylor, Sullivan, Vinehout, Lazich

and Grothman.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Adam Gerol WDAA
- Jeff Greipp ADA, ADA
- John Chisolm District Attorney, Milwaukee DA Office
- Josh Freker, Madison policy Director, WI Coalition Against Domestic Violence
- Carmen Pitre, Milwaukee Task Force on family Violence
- Angela Mancuso, Milwaukee Milwaukee Commission on DV & SA
- Ralph Utike DA, WI DA's Assn
- Tim Baxter DA, WI District Attorney's Assn

Appearances Against

• None.

Appearances for Information Only

• None.

Registrations For

- Cale Battles, Madison State Bar of Wisconsin
- Mike Murray, Madison WI Coalition Against Sexual Assault
- William Ward, Milwaukee MPA
- Thomas Fisher, Milwaukee MPA
- Mark Wadium, Appleton Outgamie County

- Jennifer Gonda, Milwaukee City of Milwaukee
- Doug Pettit Oregon Police Chief, WI Chiefsof Police Assn
- Alice OConnor WI Chief os Police Assn
- Mark Rinehart Legislative Liaison, Attorney General Van Hollen and WI DOJ

Registrations Against

• None.

Registrations for Information Only

• None.

February 27, 2008 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Taylor, Sullivan, Vinehout, Lazich

and Grothman.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Taylor, seconded by Senator Vinehout that **Senate Bill 497** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (3) Senators Taylor, Sullivan and Vinehout.

Noes: (2) Senators Lazich and Grothman.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2

Michelle Bryant Committee Clerk