Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Judiciary and Ethics

Assembly Bill 189

Relating to: increasing the amount of the homestead exemption.

By Representatives Hebl, Black, Berceau, Pope-Roberts, Turner, A. Williams, Zepnick, Fields, Spanbauer and Molepske Jr.; cosponsored by Senators Taylor, Holperin, Lehman, Miller, Decker, Erpenbach, Wirch and Vinehout.

April 02, 2009 Referred to Committee on Judiciary and Ethics.

April 14, 2009 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (9) Representatives Hebl, Colon, Kessler, Cullen, Richards, Gundrum, Kerkman, Kramer and

Zipperer.

Absent: (1) Representative Turner.

Appearances For

- Bob Anderson, Madison Legal Action of Wisconsin
- Len Leverson, Milwaukee State Bar of Wisconsin
- Claire Ann Resop State Bar of Wisconsin
- Sarah Orr, Madison UW Law School Consumer Law Clinic
- Gary Hebl, Madison Rep, 46th Assembly District

Appearances Against

• None.

Appearances for Information Only

• None.

Registrations For

• Mary Fons, Stoughton

Registrations Against

• Jeremey Shepherd, Madison — WI Bankers Assoc

Registrations for Information Only

• None.

April 21, 2009 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

(10)Representatives Hebl, Colon, Kessler, Cullen, Present: Richards, Turner, Gundrum, Kerkman, Kramer, Zipperer.

None. Absent: (0)

Moved by Representative Richards, seconded by Representative Cullen that **Assembly Bill 189** be recommended for passage.

> (6) Representatives Hebl, Colon, Kessler, Ayes: Cullen, Richards and Turner.

(4) Representatives Gundrum, Kerkman, Kramer Noes: and Zipperer.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 4

Traci Bussan Committee Clerk