Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Elections and Campaign Reform

Assembly Bill 63

Relating to: the scope of regulated activity under the campaign finance law.

By Representatives Dexter, Hebl, Cullen, Zigmunt, Sherman, Barca, Hintz, Black, Hilgenberg, Mason, Toles, Hixson, Pope-Roberts, Pocan and Kaufert; cosponsored by Senators Erpenbach, Kreitlow, Ellis, Vinehout, Hansen, Risser, Lehman, Holperin, Harsdorf, Carpenter, Cowles and Robson.

February 17, 2009 Referred to Committee on Elections and Campaign Reform.

May 27, 2009 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (8) Representatives Smith, Soletski, Kessler, A. Williams, Roys, Stone, Pridemore and Roth.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Kristen Dexter Representative, 68th Assembly District
- Jon Erpenbach Senator, 27th Senate District
- Mike McCabe, Madison Wisconsin Democracy Campaign
- Margot Bouchard, Eau Claire American Association of University Women
- Jay Heck, Madison Common Cause of Wisconsin
- Claire Vanderslice, Grafton League of Women Voters of Ozaukee County
- Robert Edelstein, Hawthorne The Hawthorne Effect
- Mary Voytovich, Eau Claire
- William Rowe, Madison
- Peter Cannon
- Clyde Winter, Grafton
- Bruce Honadel, Eau Claire

Appearances Against

• None.

Appearances for Information Only

• None.

Registrations For

- Lena Taylor, Milwaukee Senator, 4th Senate District
- Gary Hebl, Madison Representative, 46th Assembly District

- Sabrina Gentile, Madison Wisconsin Council on Children and Families
- Marc Herstand, Madison National Association of Social Workers
- Leigh Roberts, Madison Wisconsin Retired Educators Association
- Eric Rosenquist, Eau Claire
- Richard Spindler, Eau Claire
- Sister Mary Francis Gebhard, Eau Claire
- Jacquelyn Christner, Eau Claire
- Joan Lundlin, Madison
- Trish O'Neal, Columbus
- Lucy Moore, Madison
- Lawrence Landwehr, Middleton
- Andrea Kaminski League of Women Voters of Wisconsin Education Fund
- George Penn, Madison
- Mary Bean, Madison
- Alicia Boehme, Madison Disability Rights of Wisconsin

Registrations Against

• Joe Murray, Madison — Wisconsin Realtors Association

Registrations for Information Only

• None.

June 16, 2009 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (7) Representatives Smith, Soletski, Kessler, Roys,

Stone, Pridemore and Roth.

Absent: (1) Representative A. Williams.

Moved by Representative Roys, seconded by Representative Kessler that **Assembly Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (7) Representatives Smith, Soletski, Kessler,

Roys, Stone, Pridemore and Roth.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative A. Williams.

ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Kessler, seconded by Representative Roys that **Assembly Bill 63** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (6) Representatives Smith, Soletski, Kessler, Roys, Pridemore and Roth.

Noes: (1) Representative Stone.

Absent: (1) Representative A. Williams.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 1

Andrea Wahl Committee Clerk