Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Labor

Assembly Bill 894

Relating to: prohibiting abusive work environments and permitting a person who has been subject to such an environment to bring a civil action.

By Representatives Roys, Sinicki and Berceau; cosponsored by Senator Coggs.

March 24, 2010 Referred to Committee on Labor.

April 7, 2010 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:	(6)	Representatives Sinicki, Jorgensen, Parisi,
		Toles, Soletski and Nass.
Absent:	(3)	Representatives Van Akkeren, Honadel and Knodl.

Appearances For

- Kelda Roys, Madison Rep, 81st AD
- Gary Namie, Bellingham Workplace Bullying Institute
- Monica Walker, Mazomanie
- Cathy Hawkins, San Antonio
- Jodie Bostroick, Naples Jodie's Legacy
- Jean Jones, Spring Hill Jodie's Legacy
- Scott Jones, Lancaster Jodie's Legacy
- Corliss Olson, Madison School for Workers
- Susan Stiede, Seymour
- Todd Stiede, Seymour
- Deborah Lemke, Oshkosh
- Stephanie Endres, Waunakee
- A. Steven Porter, Madison State Bar of WI, Individual Rights and Responsibilities Section

Appearances Against

- Pete Hanson, Madison Lobbyist, Wisconsin Restaraunt Association
- James Buchen, Madison Lobbyist, WMC
- Andrew Cook, Madison Lobbyist, Wiconsin Civil Justice Council

Appearances for Information Only

• Frances Huntly-Cooper — DWD Workers Compensation Division

Registrations For

- Spencer Coggs State Senator, State Senate, 6th District
- Kabura Mukasa, Middleton
- Louise Ebben, Appleton
- Lisa Jeckel, Madison
- Aileen Gray, Madison
- Katherine Kemnitz, Beloit
- Linda Ketcham, Madison
- Wendy Anderson, Madison
- Dianne Graham, Madison
- Susan McMurray Lobbyist, AFSCME

Registrations Against

- Brian Mitchell, Oconomowoc Wisconsin Cast Metals Association
- Jerry Deschaue, Madison Wisconsin Builders Association
- Andy Franken, Madison Lobbyist, Wisconsin Insurance Alliance
- Mike Metz, Madison Wisconsin Independent Businesses WIB
- Cindy Detiege, Sheboygan Watry Incorporated
- Mary Ann Gerard, Madison Wisconsin Auto and Truck Dealers Association
- Brandon Scholz, Madison Wisconsin Grocers Association
- Bill Smith, Madison National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB)
- Paul Merline, WI Hospital Association WI Hospital Association

Registrations for Information Only

- None.
- April 22, 2010 Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.

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