

## Senate

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Energy, Biotechnology, and Consumer Protection**

##### **Assembly Bill 229**

Relating to: repealing a prohibition on certain nonessential uses of natural gas.

By Representatives Honadel, Brooks, Craig, Kooyenga, Marklein, Mursau, Petersen, Rivard and Spanbauer; cosponsored by Senator Grothman.

October 21, 2011      Referred to Committee on Energy, Biotechnology, and Consumer Protection.

November 17, 2011    **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present:    (5)      Senators Cowles, Kedzie, Wanggaard, Wirch and Hansen.

Absent:     (0)      None.

Excused:   (0)      None.

##### Appearances For

- Mark Honadel — Rep., 21st Assembly District
- Elise Nelson — Public Service Commission
- John Lorence — Public Service Commission

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- None.

##### Registrations Against

- None.

##### Registrations for Information Only

- None.

January 31, 2012    **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Cowles, Kedzie, Wanggaard, Wirch  
and Hansen.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Cowles, seconded by Senator Wirch that  
**Assembly Bill 229** be recommended for concurrence.

Ayes: (5) Senators Cowles, Kedzie, Wanggaard, Wirch  
and Hansen.

Noes: (0) None.

CONCURRENCE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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Ryan Smith  
Committee Clerk