

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Energy, Consumer Protection, and Government Reform

Senate Bill 644

Relating to: modifying the duties of a county clerk; the counties in which a board of election commissioners is required; and staffing of a board of election commissioners in populous counties.

By Senators Cowles, T. Cullen, Gudex, Hansen, Lasee, Lehman, Miller, Moulton, Shilling, Vinehout and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Bernier, Nerison, Strachota, Nygren, Ballweg, A. Ott, Tauchen, Thiesfeldt, Petersen, Loudenbeck, Swearingen, Wachs, Berceau, Bernard Schaber, Danou, Ringhand, Pridemore, Ripp, Marklein, Billings, Jorgensen, Krug, Kleefisch, Bies, Kestell, Doyle, Murphy, Tittl, Kulp, Brooks, Hesselbein, Ohnstad, Vruwink, Endsley, Weatherston, T. Larson, Kolste, Kahl, Sargent, Tranel, Schraa, Jacque and Jagler.

March 04, 2014

Public Hearing Held

Present: (5) Senator Cowles; Senators Kedzie, Harsdorf, Hansen and Miller.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Robert Cowles - Senator
- Kathy Bernier - Representative
- Jamie Aulik - WI County Clerks' Association
- Sarah Diedrick-Kasdorf - WI Counties Association
- Jon Dolson - Sheboygan County Clerk

Appearances Against

- Lillian Cheesman - Milwaukee County Election Commission
- Nancy Penn - Milwaukee County Election Commission

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

March 11, 2014

Executive Session Held

Present: (5) Senator Cowles; Senators Kedzie, Harsdorf,
Hansen and Miller.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by that **Senate Bill 644** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (5) Senator Cowles; Senators Kedzie, Harsdorf,
Hansen and Miller.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Ryan Smith
Committee Clerk