# **Assembly**

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# **Committee on Family Law**

#### **Assembly Bill 565**

Relating to: placement of a child with a relative under the Children's Code or the Juvenile Justice Code.

By Representatives Ramthun, Snyder, Dittrich, Felzkowski, Horlacher, James, Katsma, Kulp, Kurtz, Magnafici, Milroy, Murphy, Mursau, Tusler, Thiesfeldt, Tranel, Born and Tittl; cosponsored by Senators Olsen, Darling and Cowles.

October 23, 2019 Referred to Committee on Family Law

October 29, 2019 **Public Hearing Held** 

Present: (9) Representative Rodriguez; Representatives

James, Duchow, Tauchen, Plumer,

Pronschinske, Doyle, Brostoff and Emerson.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

## Appearances For

- Rep. Timothy Ramthun 59th Assembly District
- Sen. Luther Olsen 14th Senate District
- Adriana Hayes

#### Appearances Against

- Jeff Pertl Department of Children and Families
- Fredi Bove Department of Children and Families
- Danielle Karnopp Department of Children and Families
- Loa Porter
- Adam Plotkin State Public Defender
- Diane Rondini State Public Defender
- Attorney Michelle Gordon Oneida Nation
- Eve Dorman Dane Country Corporation Counsel
- Nicole Homer Ho-Chunk Nation
- Rep Hinu Smith Ho-Chunk Nation
- Samantha Skenandore

### Appearances for Information Only

- Nancy Rottier Director of State Courts
- Bridget Bauman Children's Court Improvement Program
- Shelley Gaylord Judicial Committee with CCIP

• Kristen Wetzel - Children Court Improvement Program

### Registrations For

- Rep. Dave Murphy
- Julaine Appling WI Family Action
- Myra Miller
- Otis Miller

#### Registrations Against

None.

## Registrations for Information Only

- Christine Tenuta
- Phyllis Greenberger Disability Rights WI

### December 17, 2019 Executive Session Held

Present: (9) Representative Rodriguez; Representatives
James, Duchow, Tauchen, Plumer,
Pronschinske, Doyle, Brostoff and Emerson.

Absent: (0) None. Excused: (0) None.

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

Ayes: (9) Representative Rodriguez; Representatives James, Duchow, Tauchen, Plumer, Pronschinske, Doyle, Brostoff and Emerson.

Noes: (0) None.

ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Tauchen, seconded by Representative Duchow that **Assembly Bill 565** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (7) Representative Rodriguez; Representatives James, Duchow, Tauchen, Plumer, Pronschinske and Doyle.

Noes: (2) Representatives Brostoff and Emerson.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 2

Nick Bentz
Committee Clerk