Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Utilities and Housing

Senate Bill 689

Relating to: making various changes to statutes administered by the Public Service Commission and requiring investor-owned energy utilities to fund a consumer advocate.

By Senator LeMahieu; cosponsored by Representative Kuglitsch, by request of Public Service Commission.

January 16, 2020 Referred to Committee on Utilities and Housing

January 23, 2020 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (5) Senator LeMahieu; Senators Feyen, Wanggaard, L. Taylor and Bewley.

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

Appearances For

- Senator Devin LeMahieu
- Representative Mike Kuglitsch
- Chairperson Rebecca Cameron Valcq Public Service Commission
- Bill Skewes Wisconsin Utility Association
- Scott Smith Madison Gas & Electric
- Tom Content Citizens Utility Board
- Corey Singletary Citizens Utility Board

Appearances Against

• None.

Appearances for Information Only

• None.

Registrations For

- Bill Smith National Federation of Independent Business
- Tom Moore WPPI Energy
- Tim Hoven Next Era Energy
- Matthew Spencer Madison Gas & Electric
- Elise Nelson Alliant Energy
- Kristin Gilkes Customers First Coalition
- Matt Pagel XCEL Energy
- Joel Haubrich WEC Energy Group

• Bob Bartlett - Alliant Energy

Registrations Against

• None.

Registrations for Information Only

• None.

February 06, 2020 Executive Session Held by Paper Ballot

Present: (5) Senator LeMahieu; Senators Feyen, Wanggaard, L. Taylor and Bewley.

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

Moved by that Senate Bill 689 be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (5) Senator LeMahieu; Senators Feyen, Wanggaard, L. Taylor and Bewley.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Brian Radday Committee Clerk