



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

One-Hundred and Fifth Regular Session

2:09 P.M.

THURSDAY, November 11, 2021

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by Chief Clerk Queensland, pursuant to Senate Rule 5 (4)(b).

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (6), the Chief Clerk made the following entries under the above date.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read and referred:

Senate Joint Resolution 75

Relating to: proclaiming November 2021 as Runaway Prevention Month in Wisconsin.

By Senators Agard, Johnson, Carpenter, Bewley, Ballweg, Larson, Darling and Roys; cosponsored by Representatives Snyder, Ohnstad, Cabral-Guevara, Milroy, S. Rodriguez, Penterman, Murphy, Hebl, Horlacher, Sinicki, Conley, Moses, Bowen, Subeck, Drake, Hesselbein, Spreitzer, Mursau, Shelton, Stubbs and Shankland.

To the committee on **Senate Organization**.

Senate Joint Resolution 77

Relating to: recognizing November as Native American Heritage Month.

By Senators Bewley, Agard, Carpenter, Erpenbach, Johnson, Larson, Pfaff, L. Taylor, Roys and Smith; cosponsored by Representatives Conley, B. Meyers, Andraca, Baldeh, Bowen, Brostoff, Cabral-Guevara, Cabrera, Considine, Doyle, Drake, Emerson, Goyke, Hebl, Hong, Milroy, Moore Omokunde, Neubauer, Ohnstad, Pope, Shankland, Shelton, Snodgrass, Sinicki, Spreitzer, Stubbs, Subeck, S. Rodriguez, Vining and Vruwink.

To the committee on **Senate Organization**.

Read first time and referred:

Senate Joint Resolution 76

Relating to: reserving to the people the power of referendum to reject acts of the legislature and the power of initiative to propose and approve at an election laws and constitutional amendments (first consideration).

By Senators Smith, Agard and Wirch; cosponsored by Representatives Hebl, Doyle, Hong, Ohnstad, Shankland, Shelton, Sinicki, Subeck and Vruwink.

To the committee on **Veterans and Military Affairs and Constitution and Federalism**.

Senate Bill 679

Relating to: law enforcement officer suicide prevention and reporting and making an appropriation.

By Senators Jacque and Nass; cosponsored by Representatives Cabral-Guevara, Rozar, Andraca, Armstrong, Brandtjen, Dittrich, Gundrum, Horlacher, James, Mursau, Sortwell, Subeck, Thiesfeldt and Tusler.

To the committee on **Labor and Regulatory Reform**.

Senate Bill 680

Relating to: changing the conditions of liability for worker's compensation benefits for emergency medical services practitioners.

By Senators Jacque, Wanggaard, Bewley, Agard, Ringhand and Smith; cosponsored by Representatives Horlacher, Considine, Emerson, Allen, Andraca, Armstrong, Billings, Brandtjen, Cabral-Guevara, Conley, Dittrich, Drake, Edming, Hebl, Kerkman, Kitchens, B. Meyers, Milroy, Mursau, Neubauer, Ohnstad, Plumer, Pope, Riemer, Rozar, Shankland, Shelton, Skowronski, Snodgrass, Stubbs, Subeck, Thiesfeldt, Vining, Vruwink, Spreitzer and Sinicki.

To the committee on **Labor and Regulatory Reform**.

Senate Bill 681

Relating to: changing the conditions of liability for worker's compensation benefits for emergency medical services practitioners, emergency medical responders, volunteer fire fighters, correctional officers, emergency dispatchers, coroners and coroner staff, and medical examiners and medical examiner staff.

By Senators Jacque, Marklein, Agard, Ballweg, Bewley and L. Taylor; cosponsored by Representatives Armstrong, Brandtjen, Doyle, Milroy, Mursau, Plumer, Ramthun, Subeck and Schraa.

To the committee on **Labor and Regulatory Reform**.

Senate Bill 682

Relating to: creating an exception to the 40-year recording requirement for recorded access easements.

By Senators Jacque, Stroebel and Ballweg; cosponsored by Representatives Murphy, Allen, Horlacher, Moses and Ramthun.

To the committee on **Housing, Commerce and Trade**.

Senate Bill 683

Relating to: hunter education requirements for persons under the age of 18 and granting rule-making authority.

By Senators Stroebel and Cowles; cosponsored by Representatives Born, Cabral-Guevara, Dittrich, Gundrum,

Horlacher, Kurtz, Milroy, Oldenburg, Penterman, Ramthun, Skowronski, Wichgers, Zimmerman and Knodl.

To the committee on **Sporting Heritage, Small Business and Rural Issues**.

Senate Bill 684

Relating to: definition of youth center for purposes of placing a sexually violent person on supervised release and notification requirements for such placements.

By Senators Jacque and L. Taylor; cosponsored by Representatives Sortwell, Thiesfeldt, Wichgers and Moses.

To the committee on **Judiciary and Public Safety**.

Senate Bill 685

Relating to: the University of Wisconsin System freshwater collaborative.

By Senators Jacque and Ballweg; cosponsored by Representatives Behnke, Edming, Ramthun, Subeck and Tusler.

To the committee on **Universities and Technical Colleges**.

Senate Bill 686

Relating to: postadoption contact agreements.

By Senator Jacque; cosponsored by Representatives Dittrich, Doyle, Gundrum, Mursau, Tusler, Snyder and Thiesfeldt.

To the committee on **Human Services, Children and Families**.

Senate Bill 687

Relating to: hospital services provided in a home setting.

By Senator Kooyenga; cosponsored by Representative Loudenbeck.

To the committee on **Health**.

Senate Bill 688

Relating to: practice of certain skilled health services by military medical personnel and granting rule-making authority.

By Senators Jacque, Wirch, Agard, Carpenter, Feyen, Kooyenga, L. Taylor and Testin; cosponsored by Representatives Summerfield, Sinicki, Edming, Considine, Andraca, Bowen, Doyle, Gundrum, Krug, Milroy, Moses, Petryk, Rozar, Snodgrass, Sortwell, Subeck, Thiesfeldt, Vruwink, Billings, Knodl and Murphy.

To the committee on **Veterans and Military Affairs and Constitution and Federalism**.

Senate Bill 689

Relating to: rare disease advisory council.

By Senators Jagler and Cowles; cosponsored by Representatives Dittrich, Loudenbeck, Sinicki, Thiesfeldt, Shelton, Murphy and Duchow.

To the committee on **Government Operations, Legal Review and Consumer Protection**.

Senate Bill 690

Relating to: an income and franchise tax exemption for restaurant revitalization grants.

By Senators Roth, Wanggaard, Ballweg, Bernier, Darling and Jacque; cosponsored by Representatives Wittke, Katsma, Kuglitsch, Macco, Zimmerman, Allen, Armstrong,

Brandtjen, Dittrich, Doyle, Duchow, Edming, Horlacher, Kurtz, Moses, Mursau, Novak, Oldenburg, Penterman, Rozar, Schraa, Snodgrass, Swearingen, Thiesfeldt, Vruwink, Wichgers, Spreitzer, Knodl, Hong and Subeck.

To the committee on **Financial Institutions and Revenue**.

Senate Bill 691

Relating to: student loans for postsecondary education, requirements related to student loan servicers, creating an office of the student loan ombudsman in the Department of Financial Institutions, and granting rule-making authority.

By Senators Smith, Erpenbach, Roys, Wirch, Agard, Ringhand, Larson, Johnson and Carpenter; cosponsored by Representatives Hesselbein, Drake, Emerson, S. Rodriguez, Shelton, Conley, Andraca, Vruwink, Spreitzer, Neubauer, Hebl, Ohnstad, Milroy, Cabrera, Bowen, Considine, Stubbs, Shankland, Subeck, Hong, Baldeh, L. Myers and Pope.

To the committee on **Financial Institutions and Revenue**.

Senate Bill 692

Relating to: loans and repayment assistance by a political subdivision for certain improvements to properties and collection of the debt by special charge.

By Senator Cowles; cosponsored by Representatives Thiesfeldt and Ramthun.

To the committee on **Government Operations, Legal Review and Consumer Protection**.

Senate Bill 693

Relating to: coverage of infertility services under health policies and plans and granting rule-making authority.

By Senators Roys, Agard, Erpenbach, Johnson, Larson, Pfaff, Smith and L. Taylor; cosponsored by Representatives Emerson, Vining, Anderson, Andraca, Baldeh, Billings, Bowen, Brostoff, Cabrera, Conley, Drake, Goyke, Hebl, Hesselbein, Hong, Neubauer, Shankland, Shelton, Sinicki, Spreitzer, Stubbs and Subeck.

To the committee on **Insurance, Licensing and Forestry**.

Senate Bill 694

Relating to: a property tax exemption for a community health center.

By Senators Kooyenga, Carpenter, Agard, Darling and Felzkowski; cosponsored by Representatives Katsma, Skowronski, Wichgers, Bowen, Brandtjen, Dittrich, Drake, J. Rodriguez, Loudenbeck, Mursau, Novak, Ortiz-Velez, Rozar, Sinicki, Subeck, Thiesfeldt and Andraca.

To the committee on **Financial Institutions and Revenue**.

Senate Bill 695

Relating to: the number of independent charter schools authorized by the College of Menominee Nation or the Lac Courte Oreilles Ojibwa Community College.

By Senators Kooyenga, Bernier and Darling; cosponsored by Representatives Steffen, Allen, Dittrich, Edming, Knodl, Kuglitsch, Murphy, Mursau and Thiesfeldt.

To the committee on **Education**.

Senate Bill 696

Relating to: congressional redistricting.

By Senators Smith and Bewley; cosponsored by Representative Hintz.

To the committee on **Government Operations, Legal Review and Consumer Protection**.

Senate Bill 697

Relating to: legislative redistricting.

By Senators Smith and Bewley; cosponsored by Representative Hintz.

To the committee on **Government Operations, Legal Review and Consumer Protection**.

Senate Bill 698

Relating to: extending the expenditure period for a tax incremental district in the city of Westby.

By Senator Marklein; cosponsored by Representative Oldenburg.

To the committee on **Government Operations, Legal Review and Consumer Protection**.

Senate Bill 699

Relating to: authorizing the Wisconsin Propane Education and Research Council to levy an assessment.

By Senators Petrowski, Cowles, Bewley, Feyen and Pfaff; cosponsored by Representatives Spiros, Callahan, Considine, Behnke, Bowen, Cabral-Guevara, Milroy, Murphy, Mursau, Novak, Ramthun, Rozar, Shankland, Spreitzer, Steffen, Swearingen, Tauchen, Thiesfeldt, Tusler, Vruwink and Subeck.

To the committee on **Natural Resources and Energy**.

Senate Bill 700

Relating to: modifying administrative rules related to home health agencies.

By Senators Ballweg, Cowles and Felzkowski; cosponsored by Representatives Rozar, Brooks, Krug, Moses, Subeck and Wichgers.

To the committee on **Labor and Regulatory Reform**.

Senate Bill 701

Relating to: rehired annuitant teachers in the Wisconsin Retirement System.

By Senators Smith, Bewley, Roys, Ringhand, Agard and Larson; cosponsored by Representatives Pope, Emerson, B. Meyers, Andraca, Conley, Considine, Shankland, Vruwink, Subeck, Hesselbein, Spreitzer, Doyle, Stubbs, Bowen, Sinicki and Shelton.

To the committee on **Government Operations, Legal Review and Consumer Protection**.

Senate Bill 702

Relating to: exemption from public utility regulation regarding renewable electricity.

By Senators Cowles, Stroebel and Roys; cosponsored by Representatives Cabral-Guevara, Armstrong, Knodl, Mursau, Oldenburg and Penterman.

To the committee on **Utilities, Technology and Telecommunications**.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Murphy added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 603**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Murphy added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 606**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Murphy added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 607**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Murphy added as a coauthor of **Assembly Bill 609**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Senator Larson added as a coauthor of **Senate Bill 317**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Conley added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 569**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Murphy added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 619**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Armstrong added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 627**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Murphy added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 629**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Murphy added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 631**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Murphy added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 671**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representatives Spreitzer, Vining, Conley, Ohnstad, Emerson and Tusler added as cosponsors of **Senate Bill 677**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representatives Spreitzer, Vining, Conley, Ohnstad, Emerson and Tusler added as cosponsors of **Senate Bill 678**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Murphy added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 679**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Tusler added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 688**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Tusler added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 694**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Tusler added as a cosponsor of **Senate Bill 695**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Tusler added as a cosponsor of **Senate Joint Resolution 75**.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 17 (5), Representative Tusler added as a cosponsor of **Senate Joint Resolution 77**.

ADJOURNMENT

Chief Clerk Queensland, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate stand adjourned pursuant to **Senate Joint Resolution 1**.

Adjourned.

2:10 P.M.