

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Human Services, Children and Families

Senate Bill 418

Relating to: annual reports to and hearings by the legislative standing committees on child abuse and neglect.

By Joint Legislative Council.

June 14, 2021 Referred to Committee on Human Services, Children and Families

October 14, 2021 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (5) Senator Jacque; Senators Ballweg, Wimberger, Johnson and Agard.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Administrator, DCF Division of Safety and Permanence
Wendy Henderson - Dept. of Children and Families
- Amanda Merkwae - Department of Children & Families
- Representative Pat Snyder - 85th Assembly District
- Senator Kathy Bernier - 23rd Senate District
- Amanda Merkwae - Department of Children and Families

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Kris Moelter - Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention Board
- Emily Coddington - WAFCA

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

October 19, 2021 **Executive Session Held by Paper Ballot**

Present: (5) Senator Jacque; Senators Ballweg, Wimberger,
Johnson and Agard.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by that **Senate Bill 418** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (5) Senator Jacque; Senators Ballweg,
Wimberger, Johnson and Agard.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Bill Cosh
Committee Clerk