

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Shared Revenue, Elections and Consumer Protection

Senate Bill 291

Relating to: an election official's personal information, battery against election officials, whistleblower protection for municipal clerks, county clerks, and election officials who witness and report election fraud or irregularities, and providing a penalty.

By Senators Jacque, Taylor, Quinn and Tomczyk; cosponsored by Representatives Goeben, Ortiz-Velez, Sortwell, Allen, Binsfeld, Gustafson, Kitchens, Myers, O'Connor, Nedweski, Murphy, Baldeh, Behnke, Michalski, Maxey, Schmidt, Steffen, Subeck and Wichgers.

May 15, 2023 Referred to Committee on Shared Revenue, Elections and Consumer Protection

September 26, 2023 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (5) Senator Knodl; Senators Feyen, Quinn, Spreitzer and Smith.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Sen. Andre Jacque
- Rep Joy Goeben

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Government Affairs Associate Marcie Rainbolt - Wisconsin Counties Association

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

October 03, 2023 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (5) Senator Knodl; Senators Feyen, Quinn,
Spreitzer and Smith.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Spreitzer, seconded by Senator Smith that
Senate Bill 291 be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (5) Senator Knodl; Senators Feyen, Quinn,
Spreitzer and Smith.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

William Neville
Committee Clerk