

STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Senate Journal

## One-Hundred and Fourth Regular Session

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WEDNESDAY, March 11, 2020

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The Chief Clerk made the following entries under the above date.

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### REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Agriculture, Revenue and Financial Institutions** reported and recommended:

#### **Assembly Bill 683**

Relating to: expanding applicability of the room tax, making substantive and technical changes to the local room tax, and providing a penalty.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 9 - Senators Marklein, Petrowski, Testin, Jacque, Bernier, Smith, Ringhand, Risser and Larson.

Noes: 0 - None.

#### **Senate Bill 646**

Relating to: expanding applicability of the room tax, making substantive and technical changes to the local room tax, and providing a penalty.

Senate Substitute Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 9 - Senators Marklein, Petrowski, Testin, Jacque, Bernier, Smith, Ringhand, Risser and Larson.

Noes: 0 - None.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 9 - Senators Marklein, Petrowski, Testin, Jacque, Bernier, Smith, Ringhand, Risser and Larson.

Noes: 0 - None.

*HOWARD MARKLEIN*

Chairperson

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The committee on **Economic Development, Commerce and Trade** reported and recommended:

#### **Assembly Bill 869**

Relating to: creating a private event venue permit issued by the Department of Revenue; the issuance by the Department of Revenue of retail alcohol beverage permits for motor vehicle racetrack grounds and for the state fair park; authorizing caterers to make retail sales of alcohol beverages on racetrack grounds; closing hours for certain alcohol beverage retailers and wineries and hours for retail sales by brewers; and providing a penalty.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Feyen, Testin, Petrowski, Ringhand and Carpenter.

Noes: 0 - None.

#### **Senate Bill 157**

Relating to: the creation of a local exposition district by the City of Superior.

Senate Amendment 1 adoption.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Feyen, Testin, Petrowski, Ringhand and Carpenter.

Noes: 0 - None.

Passage as amended.

Ayes: 5 - Senators Feyen, Testin, Petrowski, Ringhand and Carpenter.

Noes: 0 - None.

*DAN FEYEN*

Chairperson

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The committee on **Utilities and Housing** reported and recommended:

**ALLEN, MELISSA N.**, of Milwaukee, as a Public Member on the Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority, to serve for the term ending January 1, 2023.

Confirmation.

Ayes: 5 - Senators LeMahieu, Feyen, Wanggaard, L. Taylor and Bewley.

Noes: 0 - None.

**LAUER, ELIZABETH ANNE**, of Madison, as a Real Estate Broker Representative on the Real Estate Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2022.

Confirmation.

Ayes: 5 - Senators LeMahieu, Feyen, Wanggaard, L. Taylor and Bewley.

Noes: 0 - None.

#### **Assembly Bill 544**

Relating to: workforce housing tax credits and economic development revolving loan funds.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 5 - Senators LeMahieu, Feyen, Wanggaard, L. Taylor and Bewley.

Noes: 0 - None.

**Assembly Bill 655**

Relating to: regulation of home inspectors, extending the time limit for emergency rule procedures, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority.

Concurrence.

Ayes: 5 - Senators LeMahieu, Feyen, Wanggaard, L. Taylor and Bewley.

Noes: 0 - None.

*DEVIN LEMAHIEU*

Chairperson

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**REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF  
COMMITTEE REPORTS CONCERNING  
PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES**

The committee on **Transportation, Veterans and Military Affairs** reported and recommended:

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 18-065**

Relating to the administration of grant programs to administer federal and state funds for local public transit services.

No action taken on March 6, 2020.

Referred to the joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules**, March 11, 2020.

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 19-074**

Relating to ambulance inspection.

No action taken on March 7, 2020.

Referred to the joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules**, March 11, 2020.

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 19-144**

Relating to rate setting at Wisconsin veterans homes.

No action taken on March 6, 2020.

Referred to the joint committee for review of **Administrative Rules**, March 11, 2020.

*JERRY PETROWSKI*

Chairperson