## **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