

WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

<u>AGENDA</u> SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC BIOFUELS (Senator Pat Kreitlow, Chair)

March 11, 2009

Room 412 East State Capitol

- 10:00 a.m.* CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL.
- 10:05 a.m. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE DECEMBER 16, 2008 MEETING.

10:10 a.m. DESCRIPTION OF MATERIALS DISTRIBUTED:

- WLC: 0356/2, relating to financial assistance related to bioenergy feedstocks, biorefineries, and conversion to biomass energy.
- WLC: 0357/2, relating to the definition of "agricultural use" for purposes of determining the assessed value of a parcel of land.
- WLC: 0358/2, relating to requiring a strategic bioenergy feedstock assessment.
- WLC: 0359/1, relating to creation of a bioenergy advisory council.
- WLC: 0360/2, relating to the agricultural diversification program.
- WLC: 0361/1, relating to a biofuels training assessment.
- WLC: 0362/1, relating to creation of a biofuels production facility regulation review council (distributed at meeting).
- WLC: 0363/1, relating to marketing orders and agreements for bioenergy feedstocks (distributed at meeting).
- WLC: 0364/3, relating to exempting personal biodiesel fuel production and use from state taxes, fees, inspection requirements, and licensing requirements (distributed at meeting).

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^{*}All of the times listed in the agenda are approximations.

- WLC: 0365/2, relating to an income tax credit for installing or retrofitting pumps that mix motor vehicle fuels from separate storage tanks.
- WLC: 0367/2, relating to offering unblended gasoline to motor fuel dealers.
- WLC: 0368/4, relating to state renewable motor vehicle fuels sales goals, required sales of renewable motor vehicle fuels, granting rule-making authority, making an appropriation and providing penalties.
- WLC: 0369/2, relating to decreasing the use of petroleum-based transportation fuels by state vehicles, promoting the use of alternative fuels in flex fuel vehicles owned by the state, and promoting public alternative fuel refueling facilities.
- WLC: 0370/2, relating to duties of the office of energy independence.
- Memo No. 8, *Background Information on the State Renewable Fuels Program in WLC: 0368/4* (March 11, 2009).
- Draft letters to Congressional Delegation and Governor Jim Doyle.
- Minutes from the December 16, 2008 meeting.
- 10:15 a.m. DISCUSSION OF COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT.
- 12:00 p.m. LUNCH BREAK.
- 1:00 p.m. DISCUSSION CONTINUED.

ADJOURNMENT, UPON COMPLETION OF THE COMMITTEE'S BUSINESS.

Other committee members: Sens. Cowles and Jauch; Reps. Suder, Friske and Sheridan; and Public Members Blanchard, Bohl, Christensen, Fortenbery, Giegerich, Goodfellow, Graham, Guay, Johnson, Loehr, Salden, Taglia, and Tomasi.