

# STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Senate Journal

## Ninety–Seventh Regular Session

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WEDNESDAY, August 9, 2006

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

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### CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries dated Tuesday, August 8, 2006.

**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor**

August 3, 2006

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint CARLI, ANN MEIER, of Green Bay, as a member of the Optometry Examining Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Sincerely,  
*JIM DOYLE*  
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Health, Children, Families, Aging and Long Term Care**.

**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor**

August 3, 2006

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint NESBIT, JAMES, of Phillips, as a member of the Athletic Trainers Affiliated Credentialing Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Sincerely,  
*JIM DOYLE*  
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Health, Children, Families, Aging and Long Term Care**.

**State of Wisconsin  
Office of the Governor**

August 3, 2006

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint ROBERTSON, JAMES, of Madison, as a member of the Examining Board of Professional

Geologists, Hydrologists and Soil Scientists, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2010.

Sincerely,  
*JIM DOYLE*  
Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Natural Resources and Transportation**.

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### Senate Clearinghouse Rule 06–033

Relating to definitions, experience, educational courses, continuing education, conduct and renewal for real estate appraisers.

Submitted by Department of Regulation and Licensing.  
Report received from Agency, August 4, 2006.

Referred to committee on **Job Creation, Economic Development and Consumer Affairs**, August 8, 2006.

### Senate Clearinghouse Rule 06–051

Relating to nutritional counseling certification.

Submitted by Department of Regulation and Licensing.  
Report received from Agency, August 4, 2006.

Referred to committee on **Health, Children, Families, Aging and Long Term Care**, August 8, 2006.

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## PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

**State of Wisconsin  
Ethics Board**

August 8, 2006

The Honorable, The Senate:

The following lobbyists have been authorized to act on behalf of the organizations set opposite their names.

For more detailed information about these lobbyists and organizations and a complete list of organizations and people authorized to lobby the 2005–06 session of the legislature, visit the Ethics Board's web site at <http://ethics.state.wi.us/>

Adams, Anthony	United Council of UW Students
Camp, Max	United Council of UW Students
Jensen, Eric	Amylin Pharmaceuticals
Yomantas, Cynthia	Pettit National Ice Center, Inc.

Also available from the Wisconsin Ethics Board are reports identifying the amount and value of time state agencies have spent to affect legislative action and reports of expenditures for lobbying activities filed by organizations that employ lobbyists.

Sincerely,  
*R. ROTH JUDD*  
Executive Director

**State of Wisconsin  
Department of Administration**

August 2, 2006

The Honorable, The Legislature:

In compliance with Wisconsin statute 16.548, please find the Wisconsin Office of Federal/State Relations quarterly report to be submitted to the Legislature for the second quarter of 2006. This report provides information on the activities of the office and the status of federal legislation of concern to the State of Wisconsin.

Please contact me if you have any questions about this material.

Sincerely,

**STEPHEN E. BABLITCH**

Secretary

**State of Wisconsin  
Department of Natural Resources**

August 4, 2006

The Honorable, The Legislature:

I'm pleased to announce the availability a new publication entitled *Wisconsin's Brownfields Initiative: 2006 Report To The State Legislature*, a joint publication from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR), Department of Commerce and Department of Administration.

The report, required by statute (S. 292.255, Wis. Stats.), provides a summary of the legislative, financial and policy initiatives created and implemented by the State of Wisconsin since the passage of the Land Recycling Act in 1994 (Wisconsin Act 453). These initiatives have aided communities all across the state in the investigation, cleanup and redevelopment of hundreds of brownfields – abandoned, idle or underused properties where the reuse is hindered by real or perceived contamination.

The report will be available on the Remediation and Redevelopment's web pages at the following link: <http://dnr.wi.gov/org/aw/rr/rbrownfields/index.htm>. If you would like additional copies of the report, please contact Andrew Savagian at 608-261-6422, or [andrew.savagian@dnr.state.wi.us](mailto:andrew.savagian@dnr.state.wi.us).

Sincerely,

**SCOTT HASSETT**

Secretary

**State of Wisconsin  
Legislative Audit Bureau**

August 8, 2006

The Honorable, The Legislature:

As requested by the Joint Legislative Audit Committee, we have completed a review of the State's economic development programs. The Department of Commerce is the State's lead agency for economic development. It administered 88 of the 152 programs we identified to encourage the establishment and growth of businesses, including creating and retaining jobs. Seven other state agencies administered the remaining programs.

The 152 programs we identified provided financial assistance and direct services to businesses, individuals, local governments, and nonprofit and other organizations from fiscal year (FY) 2001-02 through FY 2004-05. During the period we reviewed, these programs awarded \$180.9 million in grants and loans, as well as \$56.3 million in targeted tax credits, \$240.4

million in bonding authorization, and \$64.4 million in loan guarantees.

We make a number of recommendations to streamline economic development programs by clarifying their purposes, consolidating statutory requirements, and standardizing eligibility criteria. In addition, accountability could be enhanced by strengthening agency reporting requirements and disclosing project costs and benefits to the public.

We appreciate the courtesy and cooperation extended to us by the Department of Commerce and the other agencies we reviewed. A response from Commerce follows the appendices.

Respectfully submitted,

**JANICE MUELLER**

State Auditor

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

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 06-054**

Relating to required examinations for licensure as a professional counselor.

Submitted by Department of Regulation and Licensing.

Report received from Agency, August 8, 2006.

Referred to committee on **Health, Children, Families, Aging and Long Term Care**, August 9, 2006.

**Senate Clearinghouse Rule 06-055**

Relating to psychotherapeutic counseling by professional counselors.

Submitted by Department of Regulation and Licensing.

Report received from Agency, August 8, 2006.

Referred to committee on **Health, Children, Families, Aging and Long Term Care**, August 9, 2006.

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**Motions Under Senate Rule 98 and Joint Rule 7  
for the Month of July 2006**

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Roessler, for ACNielsen, on the occasion of 50 years of excellence in the Fond du Lac community.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for George and Rose Bousley, on the occasion of celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Schultz, for Lloyd Byxbe, on the occasion of celebrating his 75th Birthday.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Roessler, for Erna Cartwright, on the occasion of the celebration of her 100th Birthday shared with family and friends.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for David Dorak, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Erpenbach, for Erik Peter Duhn, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Erpenbach, for Ms. Lavon Edge, on the*

*occasion of her 30 years of dedicated service to the Belleville Senior Program.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Grothman, for the community of Fillmore, on the occasion of celebrating its 150th anniversary.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Grothman, for the First Baptist Church, on the occasion of celebrating its 50th anniversary.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Decker, for Flambeau River Papers LLC, on the occasion of celebrating its grand reopening.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Roessler, for Fond du Lac High School's basketball coach, Dick Diener, on the occasion of his outstanding career and commitment to the Fond du Lac basketball team.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Katrina Galka, on the occasion of receiving the Rotary International 2006 Service Above Self Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Erpenbach, for Joseph J. Ganshert, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Ellis, for Jeremy Gerhart, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Decker, for Toua Her, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Cowles, for Adam Hietpas, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for Richard J. Helm III, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for the Holy Cross Sisters, on the occasion of celebrating their 150th anniversary.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for the Jaco Company and the Jacobus Family, on the occasion of celebrating 50 years in business.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Emily Joerres, on the occasion of receiving the Rotary International 2006 Service Above Self Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Roessler, for Nathan Kraft, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Mildred and John Lanser, on the occasion of celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Fitzgerald, for the Lebanon Fire Department, on the occasion of celebrating its 75th anniversary.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Decker, for Vatou Ly, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of condolence by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Decker, for the family, friends and colleagues of Staff Sergeant Patrick Lybert, on the occasion of honoring his remarkable life.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Mary Lou La Macchia, on the occasion of being named a 2006 Woman of Influence by the Milwaukee Business Journal.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Eric Martell, on the occasion of receiving the Rotary International 2006 Service Above Self Award.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Decker, for Jason Meinhardt, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Grothman, for Maxwell Meyer, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Harsdorf, for Ms. Barbara Nelson, on the occasion of her retirement after 22 years of dedicated service to the citizens of Pierce and St. Croix counties.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for PSJ Engineering, Inc., on the occasion of 20 years of dedication in service.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Erpenbach, for Terri L. Potter, on the occasion of his retirement from Meriter Health Services after years of dedicated service.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Coggs, for the Riverside Class of 1966 from Riverside University High School, on the occasion of celebrating their 40th Class Reunion.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Leibham, for the Rockwell Lime Company, on the occasion of its 100 years of business.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Grothman, for Samuel Schoenberg, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Hansen, for Monica and Jim Schulz, on the occasion of celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Michael Sendik, on the occasion of receiving the Rotary International 2006 Service Above Self Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Coggs, for Reverend Doctor Donnie Sims, on the occasion of his retirement after 17 years of dedicated leadership.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Ellis, for Mike Sindahl, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kanavas, for Andrew Singer, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Jauch, for Art W. Tainter, on the occasion of his lifetime of service and the betterment of the lives of people around him.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Telsmith, Inc., on the occasion of celebrating its 100th anniversary in business.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for Three Lakes, Wisconsin, on the occasion of celebrating its 125th anniversary.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Brown, for Trempealeau County*

*Community Television, on the occasion of providing 25 years of quality programming.*

*A certificate of condolence by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Decker, for the family, friends and colleagues of Staff Sergeant Nathan Vacho, on the occasion of honoring his remarkable life.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Christopher Walloch, on the occasion of receiving the Rotary International 2006 Service Above Self Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lasee, for the Wisconsin Coalition Against Domestic Violence and the National Coalition Against Domestic Violence, on the occasion of recognizing October 2006 as Domestic Violence Awareness Month.*

*A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Kanavas, for Michael Yunker, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.*

*A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Roessler, for Senior Chief Thomas E. Zaborski, on the occasion of his retirement from the United States Coast Guard and Coast Guard Reserve.*