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Madison, WI

2009-2010 Session:				
Bills	Text, Sponsors and Analysis	Status and Fiscal Estimate	Position	Comments and Supporting Materials
Assembly Bill 17 requiring ignition interlock devices for certain motor vehicle violations, granting rule-making authority, making an appropriation, and providing a penalty. (FE)	●	●	↑	
Assembly Bill 66 pricing of retail sales of alcohol beverages.	●	●	↑	
Assembly Bill 67 alcohol beverages operators' licenses, managers' licenses, and retail licenses, and persons responsible for the operation of certain retail licensed premises. (FE)	●	●	↑	
Assembly Bill 106 underage persons possessing, consuming, or being provided alcohol beverages on licensed premises when accompanied by a parent, guardian, or spouse.	●	●	↑	
Assembly Bill 215 determining the value of billboards for personal property tax purposes. (FE)	●	●	↓	
Assembly Bill 260 extraterritorial plat approval on basis of land's use.	●	●	↓	
Assembly Bill 284 special identification cards issued by the Department of Transportation providing parking privileges for persons with physical disabilities and providing a penalty.	●	●	↑	
Assembly Bill 287 increasing the tax on fermented malt beverages to fund law enforcement grants and alcohol and drug abuse treatment and prevention programs, granting rule-making authority, and making appropriations. (FE)	●	●	↑	
Assembly Bill 606 the regulation of video service providers and interim cable operators, granting rule-making authority, making an appropriation, and providing a penalty. (FE)	●	●	↑	
Assembly Bill 619 county, city, town, and village authority to create local elections boards and to regulate the financing of campaigns for county, city, town, and village offices; duties of municipal and county boards of election commissioners; and granting rule-making authority. (FE)	●	●	↑	
Assembly Bill 638 the format and fees for obtaining copies of public records.	●	●	↔	
Assembly Bill 643				

waiving certain federal bond limitations allocated to cities and counties and requiring the Department of Commerce to develop a system for reallocating the bond limitations to other state and local units of government. (FE)	●	●	↓	
Assembly Bill 649 goals for reductions in greenhouse gas emissions, for construction of zero net energy buildings and for energy conservation; information, analyses, reports, education, and training concerning greenhouse gas emissions and climate change; energy efficiency and renewable resource programs; renewable energy requirements of electric utilities and retail cooperatives; requiring electric utilities to purchase renewable energy from certain renewable facilities in their service territories; authority of the Public Service Commission over nuclear power plants; motor vehicle emission limitations; a low carbon standard for transportation fuels; the brownfield site assessment grant program, the main street program, the brownfields grant program, the forward innovation fund, grants to local governments for planning activities, the transportation facilities economic assistance and development program, a model parking ordinance; surface transportation planning by the Department of Transportation and metropolitan planning organizations to reduce greenhouse gas emissions; environmental evaluations for transportation projects; idling limits for certain vehicles; energy conservation codes for public buildings, places of employment, one- and two-family dwellings, and agricultural facilities; design standards for state buildings; energy efficiency standards for certain consumer audio and video devices, boiler inspection requirements; greenhouse gas emissions and energy use by certain state agencies and state assistance to school districts in achieving energy efficiencies; creating an exception to local levy limits for amounts spent on energy efficiency measures; creating an energy crop reserve program; identification of private forest land, promoting sequestration of carbon in forests, qualifying practices and cost-share requirements under the forest grant program established by the Department of Natural Resources; air pollution permits for certain stationary sources reducing greenhouse gas emissions; allocating a portion of existing tax-exempt industrial development revenue bonding to clean energy manufacturing facilities and renewable power generating facilities; requiring a report on certain programs to limit greenhouse gas emissions; granting rule-making authority; requiring the exercise of rule-making authority; and providing a penalty. (FE)	●	●	↑	
Assembly Bill 654 requiring local units of government to use the qualifications-based selection process for certain public works consulting contracts. (FE)	●	●	↔	💬
Assembly Bill 721 public, educational, and governmental access channel requirements for video service providers and interim cable operators. (FE)	●	●	↑	
Assembly Bill 892 electronic voter registration and proof of residence for voting in an election and granting rule-making authority. (FE)	●	●	↑	
Assembly Bill 923 parking on the streets adjacent to the state capitol park.	●	●	↑	
Senate Bill 30 underage persons possessing, consuming, or being provided alcohol beverages on licensed premises when accompanied by a parent, guardian, or spouse.	●	●	↑	
Senate Bill 117 extraterritorial plat approval on basis of land's use.	●	●	↓	
Senate Bill 145 determining the value of billboards for personal property tax purposes. (FE)	●	●	↓	
Senate Bill 412 changing certain administrative procedures under the tax incremental financing program. (FE)	●	●	↔	
Senate Bill 426 the format and fees for obtaining copies of public records.	●	●	↔	

<p>Senate Bill 440 waiving certain federal bond limitations allocated to cities and counties and requiring the Department of Commerce to develop a system for reallocating the bond limitations to other state and local units of government. (FE)</p>	●	●	↓	
<p>Senate Bill 442 requiring local units of government to use the qualifications-based selection process for certain public works consulting contracts. (FE)</p>	●	●	↔	💬
<p>Senate Bill 450 goals for reductions in greenhouse gas emissions, for construction of zero net energy buildings and for energy conservation; information, analyses, reports, education, and training concerning greenhouse gas emissions and climate change; energy efficiency and renewable resource programs; renewable energy requirements of electric utilities and retail cooperatives; requiring electric utilities to purchase renewable energy from certain renewable facilities in their service territories; authority of the Public Service Commission over nuclear power plants; motor vehicle emission limitations; a low carbon standard for transportation fuels; the brownfield site assessment grant program, the main street program, the brownfields grant program, the forward innovation fund, grants to local governments for planning activities, the transportation facilities economic assistance and development program, a model parking ordinance; surface transportation planning by the Department of Transportation and metropolitan planning organizations to reduce greenhouse gas emissions; environmental evaluations for transportation projects; idling limits for certain vehicles; energy conservation codes for public buildings, places of employment, one- and two-family dwellings, and agricultural facilities; design standards for state buildings; energy efficiency standards for certain consumer audio and video devices, boiler inspection requirements; greenhouse gas emissions and energy use by certain state agencies and state assistance to school districts in achieving energy efficiencies; creating an exception to local levy limits for amounts spent on energy efficiency measures; creating an energy crop reserve program; identification of private forest land, promoting sequestration of carbon in forests, qualifying practices and cost-share requirements under the forest grant program established by the Department of Natural Resources; air pollution permits for certain stationary sources reducing greenhouse gas emissions; allocating a portion of existing tax-exempt industrial development revenue bonding to clean energy manufacturing facilities and renewable power generating facilities; requiring a report on certain programs to limit greenhouse gas emissions; granting rule-making authority; requiring the exercise of rule-making authority; and providing a penalty. (FE)</p>	●	●	↑	
<p>Senate Bill 565 parking on the streets adjacent to the state capitol park.</p>	●	●	↑	
<p>Senate Bill 582 public, educational, and governmental access channel requirements for video service providers and interim cable operators</p>	●	●	↑	
<p>Senate Bill 645 electronic voter registration and proof of residence for voting in an election and granting rule-making authority. (FE)</p>	●	●	↑	
<p>Budget Bill Subjects</p>				<p>Comments and Supporting Materials</p>
<p>Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Administration: Agency Services</p>				?
<p>Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Administration: Land Information</p>				?
<p>Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Administration: Office of Justice Assistance</p>				?
<p>Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to</p>				?

Bonding Authorization		
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Building Commission		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Commerce: Building and Environmental Regulation		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Commerce: Departmentwide and Economic Development		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Health and Family Services: Community Aids and Supportive Living		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Natural Resources: Air, Waste and Contaminated Land		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Natural Resources: Departmentwide		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Natural Resources: Water Quality		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Shared Revenue and Property Tax Relief: Direct Aid Payments		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Shared Revenue and Property Tax Relief: Local Revenue Options		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Shared Revenue and Property Tax Relief: Other Credits		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Shared Revenue and Property Tax Relief: Property Tax Credits		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Shared Revenue and Property Tax Relief: Property Taxation		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Transportation: Local Transportation Aid		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Transportation: Local Transportation Projects		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to Transportation: Transportation Finance		?
Biennial budget bill treatment of matters relating to University of Wisconsin System		?
Proposed Administrative Rules	Position	Comments and Supporting Materials
Financial Institutions (DFI-CCS 20, relating to video service.) DFI-CCS 20, relating to video service. Register Date: 2/1/2008 Register No: 625	↔	
Topics	Action intended to affect	Comments and Supporting Materials
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to Pursue an amendment of s. 343.52, Stats., to clarify language regarding the unlawful use of special identification cards.	Legislative matter	
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to Enabling legislation for the creation of regional transportation authorities	Legislative matter	🗨
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to Removal of policy language in budget bill relating to review police disciplinary decisions made by the Police and Fire Commission.	Legislative matter	🗨
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to	Legislative matter	🗨

LRB 1318. Property Tax Exemption for Leased Residential Housing		
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to Tax exemption for low income housing providers.	Legislative matter	
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to forfeitures for snow on sidewalks	Legislative matter	
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to property taxes on billboards	Legislative matter	
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to increase state caps for liquor licenses	Legislative matter	
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to LRB 0945/7, the Cable Consumer Repair Bill. The City of Madison supports this bill.	Legislative matter	
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to Ability for municipalities to regulate moped parking	Both Legislative matter and rule	
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to Matters relating to municipal regulation of alcohol licenses	Legislative matter	
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to shift of property assessments and valuations to county governments	Legislative matter	
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to moped parking regulations and authority	Legislative matter	
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to Matters relating to electronic voter registration	Legislative matter	
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to Issues affecting federal funding of high speed rail.	Legislative matter	