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DECKER RELEASES COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS FOR NEXT SESSION

Madison – Senator Russ Decker (D-Weston) today released the 2009-2010 committee assignments for the Senate Democrats.

Agriculture and Higher Education - Chair: Vinehout, Kreitlow, Plale

Children and Families, and Workforce Development -Chair: Jauch,, Lassa, Vinehout

Commerce, Utilities, Energy and Rail - Chair: Plale, Wirch, Erpenbach, Krietlow

Economic Development - Chair: Lassa, Lehman, Vinehout, Kreitlow

Education - Chair: Lehman, Vice Chair: Jauch, Erpenbach, Hansen

Environment - Chair: Miller, Jauch, Wirch

Ethics Reform and Government Operations - Chair: Risser, Robson, Kreitlow

Health, Health Insurance, Privacy, Property Tax Relief and Revenue - Chair: Erpenbach, Vice Chair: Carpenter, Robson, Lassa

Judiciary, Corrections, Insurance, Campaign Finance Reform and Housing - Chair: Taylor, Vice Chair: Sullivan, Erpenbach

Labor, Elections and Urban Affairs - Chair: Coggs, Wirch, Lehman

Public Health, Senior Issues, Long Term Care and Job Creation - Chair: Carpenter, Coggs, Vinehout

Rural Issues, Biofuels and Information Technology - Chair: Kreitlow, Jauch, Holperin

Small Business, Emergency Preparedness, Technical Colleges and Consumer Protection - Chair: Wirch Plale, Holperin

Transportation, Tourism, Forestry and Natural Resources - Chair: Holperin, Sullivan, Plale, Hansen

Veterans and Military Affairs, Biotechnology and Financial Institutions - Chair: Sullivan, Coggs, Carpenter



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State Senator

Joint Committee for Review of Administrative Rules - Co-Chair: Holperin, Lehman, Risser

Joint Legislative Audit Committee - Co-Chair: Vinehout, Jauch, Miller

Joint Review Committee on Criminal Penalties - Co-Chair: Taylor, Erpenbach, Sullivan

Joint Committee on Employment Relations (all Ex-Officio)

Co-Chair: Risser

Decker, Miller, Fitzgerald

Joint Committee on Finance

Co-Chair: Miller

Hansen, Taylor, Lehman, Robson, Lassa

Joint Committee for Information Policy and Technology

Co-Chair: Kreitlow

Jauch, Miller

Joint Legislative Council (Risser, Carpenter, Decker, Miller are Ex-Officio)

Co-Chair: Risser

Carpenter, Decker, Miller, Coggs, Robson

Joint Committee on Legislative Organization (all are Ex-Officio)

Co-Chair: Risser

Decker, Hansen

Joint Committee on Retirement Systems

Co-Chair: Wirch

Carpenter

Joint Committee on Tax Exemptions and Tax Credits

Co-Chair: Erpenbach

Decker

Special Committee on Oversight of Senate Broadcasting

Co-Chair: Kreitlow

Erpenbach, Miller

Building Commission

Plale

Risser: 1/5/09 thru 1/5/10

Kreitlow: 1/6/10 thru end of session