

ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2010
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LR538

Hearing Date: Thursday April 08, 2010
Committee On: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs
Introducer: Pirsch
One Liner: Provide the Legislature remains committed to seeking a federal balanced budget

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Report to the Legislature for further consideration

Vote Results:
Aye: 8 Senators Avery, Giese, Janssen, Karpisek, Krist, Pahls, Price, Sullivan
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting:

Proponents: Senator Pete Pirsch
Representing: Introducer

Opponents:
Representing:

Neutral:
Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LR 538 provides that the Legislature remain committed to seeking a federal balanced budget.

In 1976, the Legislature passed a resolution proposing to Congress that procedures be instituted to add a new article to the U.S. Constitution that the total of all federal appropriations made by Congress not exceed the total of all estimated federal revenue for that fiscal year. Alternatively, the resolution proposed that Congress call for a constitutional convention for the purpose of proposing a balanced budget amendment.

Bill Avery, Chairperson