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AGENDA

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Date: February 20, 2017 Time: 3:00 P.M. Room: HR A

Work Session

Possible Introduction of Committee Measures

Informational Meeting

Invited Testimony Only

CareWorks

Laura Dresser, Associate Director, COWS, University of Wisconsin

Public Hearing

SB 398

Requires pay stub summary to include notice of potential availability of earned income tax credit to employee. SB 92

Allows Director of Department of Consumer and Business Services to set civil penalties for violations of state occupational health and safety statutes, not to exceed maximum penalties or fall below certain minimum penalties under federal Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970. **Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

SB 93 **

Increases from \$250,000 to \$1 million maximum amount credited to Workers' Memorial Scholarship Account from civil penalties recovered for violations of occupational health and safety standards. **Subsequent Referral(s) to Judiciary

SB 298 **

Makes permanent Commissioner of Bureau of Labor and Industries' discretion to prepare formal charges and pursue certain matters in court.

Note Change: SB 296 and SB 139 have been removed and SB 298 has been added to the agenda.

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