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Senator Stroebel Takes First Votes in State Senate *State Senate Passes Ride-Sharing and Pro-Gun Legislation*

Madison, WI – State Senator Duey Stroebel (R-Cedarburg) issued the following statement on his first votes as a member of the State Senate.

Uber and Lyft AB143:

I am pleased the Senate voted to send the Uber and Lyft bill to Governor Walker's desk. The bill encourages a free market approach to transportation technology benefiting Wisconsinites and visitors alike. This industry is growing nationally and internationally, allowing visitors to navigate our cities with ease. This is another transportation option for consumers. Additionally, this business model provides another avenue for job growth throughout the State.

Handgun Waiting Period SB35:

As a strong supporter of our 2nd amendment rights, I supported removal of the mandatory 48-hour waiting period for law-abiding citizens to purchase handguns. I encourage my colleagues in the Assembly to send the law to Governor Walker's desk. Wisconsin still requires background checks for handgun purchases. Often checks are completed within 48-hours. The moment a check clears no law-abiding citizen should be prohibited from taking possession of their firearm. In fact, current Wisconsin law does not have a waiting period for rifles and shotguns.

Senator Duey Stroebel represents the 20th Senate District which includes parts of Ozaukee, Washington, Fond du Lac, Calumet and Sheboygan Counties. He lives in Cedarburg with his wife Laura and eight children.

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