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Senator Kapenga Appointed Chairman of Senate Committee on Public Benefits, Licensing, & State-Federal Relations

Madison – On Wednesday, Senator Chris Kapenga (R-Delafield) was appointed to chair the Senate Committee on Public Benefits, Licensing, & State-Federal Relations for the 2017-18 Legislative Session.

“I am ready to get to work as the Chairman of the Committee on Public Benefits, Licensing, & State-Federal Relations for the upcoming Legislative Session. With recent changes at the federal level, we have a unique opportunity to have more authority delegated back to the states, especially when it comes to the delivery of public benefit programs. The committee will be tasked with delivering solutions that help people regain their purpose and transition from public assistance into the workforce,” said Senator Kapenga.

“It is also my hope that this committee can continue the discussion of how to re-balance the power from Washington D.C. back to Wisconsin; where government is more accountable to the people and can deliver legitimate government services in a more responsive and efficient manner.”

Senator Kapenga was also appointed to serve as Vice-Chair of the Committee on Elections & Utilities; and to serve on the Joint Legislative Audit Committee and the Committee on Government Operations, Technology, and Consumer Protection.

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