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## CHAPTER 386.

AN ACT to amend section 2001, of the revised statutes of the state of Wisconsin, as amended by chapter 94, of the laws of Wisconsin for the year 1879.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section 2001, of the revised statutes of the state of Wisconsin, as amended by chapter 94, of the laws of Wisconsin for the year 1879, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 2001. Every religious or religious educational and charitable society organized or attempted to be organized under chapter 47, of the revised statutes of 1849, or chapter 66, of the revised statutes of 1858, or chapter 91, of the revised statutes of 1878, and the acts amendatory thereof, by filing, or filing and having recorded a certificate of the election of trustees or a certificate of organization designating the name of the church or society with the register of deeds of the proper county, and which, since such filing or recording has acted as a religious, or a religious educational and charitable corporation in pursuance thereof, shall be deemed to be legally incorporated and shall have all the powers and be subject to all the liabilities of religious corporations under the provisions of this chapter. Organizations under sec. 2001, R. S. legalized.

SECTION 2. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect any action or proceeding now pending for or against any such corporation. Not to affect actions now pending.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved April 19, 1895.