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**CHAPTER 382.**

AN ACT to consolidate, revise and renumber chapters 1, 2, 3 and 4 of the statutes, to renumber sections 98 and 98m of the statutes and to repeal the chapter number and title of chapter nine.

*The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section 1 of the statutes is renumbered to be section 1.01.

SECTION 2. Sections 2, 2—1, 2a, 2b, 2c and 4 of the statutes are hereby consolidated, revised and renumbered to be section 1.02, section 1.03 and section 1.04 of the statutes and to read: 1.02 Subject to the conditions mentioned in section 1.03 the legislature hereby consents to the acquisitions heretofore effected and hereafter to be effected by the United States, by gift, purchase or condemnation proceedings, of the title to places or tracts of land within the state; and, subject to said conditions, the state hereby grants, cedes and confirms to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over all such places and tracts. Such acquisitions are limited to the following purposes:

(1) To sites for the erection of forts, magazines, arsenals, dockyards, custom houses, courthouses, post offices, or other public buildings or for any purpose whatsoever contemplated by the seventeenth clause of section eight of article one of the constitution of the United States.

(2) To a tract having an aggregate area of fourteen thousand one hundred and eleven acres of land in townships 17 and 18 north, ranges 2 and 3 west, near Sparta, in Monroe county, to be used for military purposes as a target and maneuver range.

1.03 The conditions mentioned in section 1.02 are the following conditions precedent:

(1) That an application setting forth an exact description of the place or tract so acquired shall be made by an authorized officer of the United States to the governor, accompanied by a plat thereof, and by proof that all conveyances and a copy of the record of all judicial proceedings necessary to the acquisition of an unincumbered title by the United States have been recorded in the office of the register of deeds of each county in which such place or tract may be situated in whole or in part.

(2) That the ceded jurisdiction shall not vest in the United States until they shall have complied with all the requirements on their part of sections 1.02 and 1.03, and shall continue so

long only as the place or tract shall remain the property of the United States.

(3) That the state shall forever retain concurrent jurisdiction over every such place or tract to the extent that all legal and military process issued under the authority of the state may be executed anywhere thereon, or in any building situate in whole or in part thereon, and that any offense against the law of the state committed on such place or tract may be tried and punished by any competent court or magistrate of the state, to the same extent as if such place or tract had not been acquired by the United States.

1.04 Upon full compliance by the United States with the requirements of sections 1.02 and 1.03, relating to the acquisition of any place or tract within the state the governor shall execute in duplicate, under the great seal, a certificate of such consent given and of such compliance with said sections, one of which shall be delivered to such officer of the United States and the other filed with the secretary of state. Such certificate shall be sufficient evidence of such consent of the legislature and of such compliance with the conditions specified. All such places and tracts after such acquisition and while owned by the United States, shall be and remain exempt from all taxation and assessment by authority of the state.

SECTION 3. Section 3 of the statutes is renumbered to be section 1.05 and is amended by striking from the last clause or sentence thereof the word "last" and the words "the preceding" and also by adding to the end thereof the figures "1.03."

SECTION 4. Section 3a of the statutes is renumbered to be section 1.06, without other change except to strike therefrom the last sentence thereof as provided in the next section of this act.

SECTION 5. The matter stricken from section 3a of the statutes by the next preceding section of this act is renumbered and made to read: Section 441m. Any person who shall wilfully deface, injure or remove any signal, monument, building or other property of the United States, constructed or used pursuant to the laws thereof, shall forfeit not exceeding fifty dollars for each offense, and be liable to the United States for all damages sustained by it in consequence thereof.

SECTION 6. That part of section 98 of the statutes declaring what shall be the coat-of-arms of the state of Wisconsin is renumbered to be section 1.07.

SECTION 7. Section 98m of the statutes is renumbered to be section 1.08, and is amended by striking therefrom the words and figures "and design as prescribed in section 98."

SECTION 8. That part of section 98 of the statutes providing for the great seal and a lesser seal of the state is renumbered to be section 138m of the statutes; and that part of said section providing the executive privy seal is renumbered to be section 129m.

SECTION 9. The following chapter number and title, namely: "CHAPTER 9, OF THE PUBLIC SEALS" are stricken from the statutes.

SECTION 10. Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 of the statutes are renumbered to be, respectively, sections 2.01, 2.02, 2.03 and 2.04; subsections 53a to 70, both inclusive, of section 5 are renumbered to be, respectively, subsections (54) to (71), both inclusive; and each subsection number is enclosed in a parenthesis.

SECTION 11. Section 9 of the statutes is renumbered to be section 3.01.

SECTION 12. Sections 10, 11, 11m and 11n of the statutes are renumbered to be, respectively, sections 4.01, 4.02, 4.03 and 4.04; and section 11n is further amended by striking therefrom the section numbers 9, 10 and 11 and by inserting in lieu thereof the section numbers 3.01, 4.01 and 4.02.

SECTION 13. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 383.

AN ACT to renumber the present chapter 5 of the statutes and to renumber and revise the sections of said chapter.

*The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. The number and title of chapter 5 of the statutes are amended to read:

### CHAPTER 6.

#### \* \* \* ELECTORS AND GENERAL ELECTIONS.

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SECTION 2. Section 12 of the statutes is renumbered to be section 6.01.