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CHAPTER 58

AN ACT to amend 102.49 (5) of the statutes, relating to compensation for injuries under workmen's compensation.

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

SECTION 1. 102.49 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:

102.49 (5) In each case of injury resulting in death, leaving no person wholly dependent for support, the employer or insurer shall pay into the state treasury such an amount, when added to the sums paid or to be paid on account of partial dependency, as shall equal the death benefit payable to a person wholly dependent, such payment to the state treasury in no event to exceed * * * \$11,000. The payment into the state treasury shall be made in all such cases regardless of whether the dependents or personal representatives of the deceased employe commence action against a third party as provided in s. 102.29. If such payment is not made within 20 days after the commission makes request therefor, any sum payable shall bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect May 1, 1957.

Approved May 1, 1957.
