

1983 Senate Bill 330

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AN ACT to amend 98.04 (1) of the statutes, relating to authorizing cities and villages to charge a fee for enforcement of weights and measures standards.

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

SECTION 1. 98.04 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

98.04 (1) Each municipality having a population of more than 5,000, according to the latest federal census, shall enforce the provisions of this chapter within its jurisdiction. For this purpose it shall establish a municipal department of weights and measures. Each municipal department of weights and measures shall have such number of qualified sealers or inspectors as will ~~insure~~ ensure compliance with this chapter. Municipal sealers or inspectors shall have the same authority as sealers or inspectors of the department. The selection of municipal sealers or inspectors shall be from a list of applicants whose qualifications have been certified by the state or local civil service agency under the rules of the agency. Such municipality shall procure and keep at all times a complete set of standards of weight and measure conforming to the state standards, and such standards shall be submitted for certification at regular intervals as required by the department. It shall keep a complete record of its work and annually shall file a report thereof with the department. Municipalities may enact ordinances regulating weights and measures not in conflict with this chapter or the rules of the department, ~~but no fees shall be imposed~~ and may assess fees which do not exceed the actual cost of the municipal weights and measures program.
