

fuses or neglects to make the settlements with or payments to such policyholders, or any class of such policyholders fairly required under its contracts, or in any other respect fails to carry out the agreements in its contracts with all or any class of such policyholders, he may, with the written consent of the governor and attorney-general, made after such company, *society or insurer*, shall have had notice of and an opportunity for a full hearing before the governor, attorney-general and commissioner of insurance, bring an action in the name of the state of Wisconsin for and in behalf of all policyholders so situated for the purpose of enforcing the rights of all such policyholders. The attorney-general shall act as attorney for the state in every such action, and the action shall be prosecuted and the expenses borne as in other civil actions in behalf of the state. The company, *society or insurer*, shall be required forthwith to file with the commissioner of insurance a list giving the names and addresses of all policyholders who are citizens of this state or who hold contracts issued or delivered in this state, and who are affected by such action. A notice of the bringing of such action shall be forwarded by mail by the commissioner of insurance to every such policyholder, or in like manner by the company, *society or insurer*, to every such policyholder, when the commissioner of insurance shall so order. Any policyholder affected by such action may intervene and appear therein in person or by attorney. A statement of every action so brought shall be made in the annual report of the commissioner of insurance.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 256.

AN ACT to create section 1900f of the statutes, relating to the provisions in policies of insurance.

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

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 1900f. 1. A policy or contract of insurance may, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the statutes, contain in the policy or in a rider attached thereto:

a. A provision that the insured shall bear the first part of any loss as provided therein to a specified percentage not exceeding five per centum of the amount of insurance.

2. In any case of loss, the company or insurer shall pay the excess after deducting from the adjustment the part aforesaid. No such provision shall be valid unless there be stamped, written or printed upon the filing back of the policy, an indorsement hereby authorized, which shall read: "Rate reduced from \$.. to \$.., in consideration of the insured bearing the first part of any loss as herein provided." Both blanks must be filled.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 257.

AN ACT to repeal section 1347b—1 of the statutes, relating to the manufacture and sale of sleighs.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1347b—1 of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 258.

AN ACT to amend sections 1532, 1535 and 2274 and to create subdivision (21) of section 1022—30 of the statutes, relating to illegitimate children.

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

SECTION 1. Sections 1532, 1535 and 2274 of the statutes are amended to read: Section 1532. If the accused person shall pay or secure to be paid to the female complaining such sum of money or other property as she may agree to receive in full satisfaction and as shall be approved by the supervisors of the town, of which agreement and approval the justice shall make a memorandum on his docket, and shall also give bonds with sufficient sureties, to be approved by the justice, to the town in which she shall reside, or if she shall reside in a county which has abolished the distinction between county poor and town poor, to such county, conditioned to secure and indemnify such town (or county, as the case may be) from all charges for the