

11m. Before any such claim is paid the owner, or owners, or his authorized agent, shall sign a statement agreeing to test the entire herd sufficiently often to protect the same against the spread of tuberculosis in it. The frequency of such tests shall be determined by the department of agriculture; but in no case shall more than two years intervene between such tests.

SECTION 4. Subsection (2) of section 20.60 of the statutes is repealed; and a new subsection is added to said section, to be numbered and to read: (20.60) (2) Such sums as may be necessary for payment of indemnities to the owners of diseased animals condemned and slaughtered by order of the live stock sanitary board, subject to the conditions prescribed in sections 1492b and 1492j, as follows: For each animal condemned and ordered slaughtered, one-half of its appraised value. The department of agriculture shall dispose of reacting animals in a manner most advantageous to the state, and from any moneys received as net proceeds may pay for temporary care, pasturage, feeding of such animals and for renting and handling farm lands to be used for that purpose.

SECTION 5. Subsection 13 of section 1492b is repealed.

SECTION 6. This act shall take effect on June 1, 1917.

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## CHAPTER 505

AN ACT to create subsection (8) of section 20.60 of the statutes, relating to the suppression of hog cholera, and making an appropriation.

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

SECTION 1. A new subsection is added to section 20.60 of the statutes, to be numbered and to read: (20.60) (8) Annually beginning July 1, 1917, two thousand dollars for field work in combating hog cholera.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 1917.

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