

of the purposes for which the moneys herein appropriated shall have been expended.

SECTION 2. There is added to section 20.49 of the statutes a new subsection to be numbered and to read: (20.49) (6) There having been paid into the general fund from the proceeds of the sales of swamp and overflowed lands granted to the state by the United States a sum of money in excess of the amount hereby appropriated, the state treasurer is directed to transfer from the general fund to the drainage fund nine thousand five hundred dollars; and the same is appropriated from the drainage fund to the state highway commission to carry out the provisions of Bill No. 177, A., Chapter 176 of the laws of 1919.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 177.

AN ACT to amend subdivision (d) of subsection 2 of section 1955o of the statutes, relating to the division of commissions by insurance agents.

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

SECTION 1. Subdivision (d) of subsection 2 of section 1955o is amended to read: ((Section 1955o) (2) (d) *Neither this section, sections 1919a, 1976, nor any other law of this state, shall * * * prevent the payment of the whole or any part of any commission to a domestic corporation, of which the agent writing the insurance shall be an officer or salaried employe, except that no commission shall be so paid where any officer * * * or stockholder of such corporation shall be interested in the property or risk, the insurance on which produces such commission, otherwise than as an agent authorized under section 1976, nor shall the corporation of which such agent is an officer or salaried employe be prohibited by law from collecting and remitting premiums and keeping account thereof, provided, however, that every such corporation other than those required to report to some other state department shall on or before the twentieth day of February of each year, report in writing to the commissioner of insurance the amount of insurance pre-*

miums on which such commission is produced, and the names of the officers and employes licensed as insurance agents.

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

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CHAPTER 178.

AN ACT to amend sections 2394—92, 2394—93 and 2394—94, of the statutes, relating to employment agents.

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

SECTION 1. Sections 2394—92, 2394—93 and 2394—94 of the statutes are amended to read: Section 2394—92. Every applicant for a license to engage in the business of an employment agent shall file with the commission, within a time fixed by the commission, a schedule of the fees or charges made by such employment agent both to applicants for employment and for help for any services rendered to such applicants, together with all rules or regulations that may, in any manner, affect the fees charged or to be charged for any service. *No license shall be issued to such applicant unless such fees and such rules or regulations are reasonable. Such fees and such rules or regulations may be changed only with the approval of the industrial commission and when changed shall be filed with such commission.* It shall be unlawful for any employment agent to charge, demand, collect or receive a greater compensation for any service performed by him than is specified in the schedule filed with the commission, and no employment agent shall charge a registration fee without permission from the industrial commission.

Section 2394—93. It shall be the duty of the industrial commission, and it shall have power, jurisdiction and authority to issue licenses to employment agents, and to refuse to issue such license whenever, after due investigation, the commission or a majority of the members thereof finds that the character of the applicant makes him unfit to be an employment agent, or when the premises for conducting the business of an employment agent is found upon investigation to be unfit for such use, or whenever, upon investigation by the commission, it is found and determined that the number of licensed employment agents or that the employment agency operated by the United States, the state or by the municipality or by two or more thereof jointly in the community in which the applicant for a permit proposes to operate is sufficient to supply the needs of