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CHAPTER 160.

AN ACT to amend subsection (2) and to create subsections (8) and (9) of section 6.05 of the statutes, relating to authority of town boards to redistrict election precincts, and validating actions heretofore taken by town boards.

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

SECTION 1. Subsection (2) of section 6.05 of the statutes is amended to read: (6.05) (2) Such division shall be made at least four months prior to the next succeeding general election, *except in cases covered by subsection (8)*, and shall be so made that the districts shall be composed of compact, contiguous territory, no one of which shall contain over five hundred voters, except that in cities of the first class such districts may contain eight hundred registered voters. The order or resolution making such division shall be filed with the proper city, village or town clerk, who shall within five days after such filing transmit a copy thereof to the county clerk, and in towns and villages the clerks thereof shall post copies of such order or resolution in five public places therein.

SECTION 2. Two new subsections are added to section 6.05 of the statutes to read: (6.05) (8) Whenever a part of any town is annexed to a city or village, the town board may redistrict the election precincts in such town, without regard to provisions of subsection (2) as to the time when such division shall be made but subject to the requirements as to compactness of territory, filing of a copy of the order or resolution and posting copies thereof.

(9) Any action heretofore taken by a town board in redistricting election precincts as provided in subsection (8) of this section is hereby validated.

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

Approved May 25, 1927.