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CHAPTER 155

AN ACT to amend 59.38 of the statutes, relating to the appointment of a calendar deputy clerk of the circuit court in counties having a population of 250,000 or more.

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

59.38 of the statutes is amended to read:

59.38 CLERK OF COURT; DEPUTIES; CHIEF DEPUTY; CALENDAR DEP-UTY CLERK IN CERTAIN COUNTIES. Every clerk of the circuit court shall appoint one or more deputies, men or women, which appointments shall be approved by the judge of the circuit court, but be revocable by the clerk at pleasure; such appointments and revocations shall be in writing and filed in his office; such deputies shall aid the clerk in the discharge of his duties, and in his absence from his office or from the court they may perform all his duties; or in case of a vacancy by resignation, death, removal or other cause the deputy appointed shall perform all such duties until such vacancy is filled. In counties having a population of 250,000 or more the clerk shall appoint one chief deputy clerk, a calendar deputy clerk and one or more deputy clerks, men or women, as the county board shall authorize. Such deputy clerks shall aid the clerk in the discharge of his duties under the supervision of the clerk or the chief deputy clerk. The appointment of such chief deputy clerk and such calendar deputy clerk shall be in writing and filed in the clerk's office; shall be approved by the judges of said circuit, but be revocable at the pleasure of the clerk. Such chief deputy clerk shall have all powers and duties of deputy clerks, shall have supervision over all deputy clerks, and in the absence of the clerk from his office or from the court he may perform all said clerk's duties; or in case of a vacancy by resignation, death, removal or other cause the chief deputy clerk shall perform all such duties until such vacancy is filled. Such calendar deputy clerk shall have the duties prescribed by the judges of the circuit court in the county.

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