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CHAPTER 439

AN ACT to amend 20.951 (5) of the statutes, relating to receipts and deposits of the motor vehicle department.

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

20.951 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.951 (5) The motor vehicle department * * * may receive checks in payment of motor vehicle registration fees and such checks shall be deposited to the credit of the state * * * in a duly qualified state depository selected by the state treasurer. Amounts so deposited shall be receipted for by the state treasurer upon proper notification from the depository bank and shall be credited to the state highway fund. Any overpayment on account of any registration fees shall be refunded by the state treasurer from the state highway fund on the certificate and audit of the motor vehicle department. All excess payments not so refunded shall be placed in the revolving fund created in s. 20.560 (76) for the fiscal year 1959–1960 and s. 20.560 (75) for the fiscal year 1960–1961 [and thereafter], from which revolving fund there shall be paid the amount of any check which is returned unpaid. It is the duty of the motor vehicle department

to immediately demand payment of any such unpaid check, and * * * if the same is not paid within 5 days to cancel any motor vehicle registration issued in consideration of such check, and to forward the same to the district attorney of the county * * * of residence of maker for prosecution * * * . This subsection shall control over any other statute on jurisdiction of crimes.

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