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AN ACT to amend 16.75 (7), 16.82 (4) (a), 35.01 (3) and (7), 35.08 (1), as amended by chapter 210, laws of 1961, 35.85 (5) and 35.93 (6) (f); and to repeal and recreate 35.012 and 35.80 of the statutes, relating to the conditions for the procurement of state printing.

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

SECTION 1. 16.75 (7) of the statutes is amended to read:

16.75 (7) Stationery and printing shall be purchased from the lowest responsible bidder without regard to the amount of the purchase, except when the department of administration exercises the discretion vested in it by s. 16.82 (4).

SECTION 2. 16.82 (4) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

16.82 (4) (a) May reproduce printing of classes 3 and 4, class 1 job printing, class 1 book printing not otherwise required to be printed by the contract printer, and excerpts from the statutes under class 2, by machines or processes known as multigraph, multicolor, multilith, mimeograph or photographic or by a combination of them, or by similar machines or processes. Agencies performing work under this section shall make reports as are required to the department of administration which shall compile and prepare such summary reports as the board on government operations requests.

SECTION 3. 35.01 (3) and (7) of the statutes are amended to read:

35.01 (3) Class 3—All book printing required for state agencies, not otherwise classified, except college yearbooks and similar student publications for which there is not sufficient competition, the law review, journal of land and public utility economics, university press publications, the transactions of the Wisconsin academy of sciences, arts and letters, and similar technical or semitechnical publications of the university of Wisconsin, the Wisconsin magazine of history and hard bound books of the state historical society. "Sufficient competition" means 3 or more bidders. (7) Class 7 * * * Printing for state agencies located outside the city

of Madison.

SECTION 4. 35.012 of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

35.012 STATE PRINTING. All printing contracted for under this chapter, except statutes and annotations of the second class and printing of classes 5, 6, 7 and 8, shall be printed in this state.

SECTION 5. 35.08 (1) of the statutes, as amended by chapter 210, laws of 1961, is amended to read:

35.08 (1) There shall be printed 500, or 1,000 copies of each bill or joint resolution and amendments thereto, the quantity to be determined by the chief clerk of the house in which the bill, or resolution, or amendment originates. * * * The chief clerk may print a lesser number of floor amendments which were rejected upon introduction.

SECTION 6. 35.80 of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

35.80 PRINTING FOR OUT-OF-MADISON STATE AGENCIES. (1) Any state agency located outside of the city of Madison may secure competitive bids for printing and submit them to the director with a printing requisition therefor. If the director approves the bid from the lowest responsible bidder he shall issue an official state printing order therefor.

(2) Whenever it becomes advantageous to do so, the department of administration may establish blanket printing contracts in out-of-Madison metropolitan areas. Such contracts shall whenever practical follow the basic patterns established for classes 1 to 4.

SECTION 7. 35.85 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:

35.85 (5) The director may order such further distribution of the statutes, *annotations* and session laws as may be needed for official use by any justice of the supreme court or by any state agency.

SECTION 8. 35.93 (6) (f) of the statutes is amended to read:

35.93 (6) (f) To the attorney general's office, * * * 7 copies;

Approved September 27, 1961.