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**CHAPTER 94.**

**AN ACT** to create section 2587m of the statutes, relating to the practice of law without a license.

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

**SECTION 1.** There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 2587m. No person shall in any manner hold himself out as an attorney, counsellor, lawyer, solicitor, or proctor, or represent himself either verbally or in writing, directly or indirectly, as authorized to practice law in this state, unless such person is regularly licensed to practice in the courts of this state. The use of the words attorney-at-law, lawyer, solicitor, counsellor, attorney and counsellor, proctor, law office, or other equivalent words by any person in connection with his own name or any sign, advertisement, business card, letter-head, circular, notice, or other writing, document or design, the evident purpose of which is to induce others to believe and understand such person to be regularly licensed to practice law in the courts of this state, is a holding out within the meaning of this section. Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than five hundred dollars, or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

**SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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**CHAPTER 95.**

**AN ACT** to authorize cities of the first class to establish a bureau of information in relation to building plans.

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

**SECTION 1.** Cities of the first class are authorized in connection with architects, associations or otherwise to establish a bureau of building plans for public and private buildings for the use of citizens of such cities contemplating erecting buildings

to the end that uniformly good architectural plans may be secured for all buildings public and private, such bureau to conform in its functions as near as may be to plans adopted in Europe in like cases.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 96.

AN ACT to amend section 1987 of the statutes, relating to fire and police department relief associations.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1987 of the statutes is amended to read: Section 1987. 1. The members of the paid fire or police department in any city heretofore or hereafter organized, who comply with the constitution and by-laws of \* \* \* *the associations hereinafter mentioned*, are constituted a body corporate in such city under the name of "The Firemen Relief Association of the city of ....." or "The Policemen Relief Association of the city of ....." as the case may be, for the purpose of giving relief to the sick and disabled members of such association, and their families, and to the persons dependent upon the deceased members thereof, but no others. In case any member of \* \* \* *the Policemen Relief Association* shall cease to act with the fire or police department of which he has been a member, after five years of service, he shall continue to enjoy all the advantages and benefits of the association as long as he complies with the rules, regulations and by-laws of the same and pays his dues, unless the connection of such person with \* \* \* *said department* was discontinued for the good of the service, provided that all persons becoming members of such *Policemen Relief Association* on and after the first day of May, 1899, shall not be entitled to any of the advantages and benefits of \* \* \* *such association* from and after the time when they cease to be active members of \* \* \* *such police* \* \* \* *department* of any city as aforesaid.

2 *In case any member of the Firemen Relief Association shall cease to be a member of such fire department after a period of ten years service therein, he shall be entitled to all the advan-*