

regard to his qualifications as fully as if this section did not exist. *Every person summoned as a juror for any term shall be paid and discharged whenever it appears that he is a party to any action triable by jury at such term.*

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage and publication.

Approved May 1, 1913.

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CHAPTER 154.

AN ACT to create section 1970o, of the statutes, relating to the protection of policyholders in insurance companies.

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 1970o. Whenever the commissioner of insurance shall be satisfied that any insurance company theretofore licensed to transact business in this state, whose license has expired or has been revoked, does or omits to do any act whereby the rights of policyholders of such company, who are citizens of this state or who hold contracts issued or delivered in this state, are adversely affected, or whereby its ability to carry out its contracts with such policyholders is adversely affected, or refuses or neglects to make the settlements with or payments to such policyholders, or any class of such policyholders fairly required under its contracts, or in any other respect fails to carry out the agreements in its contracts with all or any class of such policyholders, he may, with the written consent of the governor and attorney-general, made after such company shall have had notice of and an opportunity for a full hearing before the governor, attorney-general and commissioner of insurance, bring an action in the name of the state of Wisconsin for and in behalf of all policyholders so situated for the purpose of enforcing the rights of all such policyholders. The attorney-general shall act as attorney for the state in every such action, and the action shall be prosecuted and the expenses borne as in other civil actions in behalf of the state. The company shall be required forthwith to file with the commissioner of insurance a list giving the names and addresses of all policyholders who are citizens of this state or who hold contracts issued or delivered in this state, and who are affected by such action. A notice of the bringing of such action shall be forwarded by mail by the commissioner of insurance to every such policyholder, or in like manner by the company to every such policyholder, when the commissioner

of insurance shall so order. Any policyholder affected by such action may intervene and appear therein in person or by attorney. A statement of every action so brought shall be made in the annual report of the commissioner of insurance.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 155.

AN ACT to repeal sections 1906, 1906a, 1945d, 1945g, 1946, 1978f, 1978g, 1978h, 1978i, 1978j, 1978k, 1978l, and 1978m of the statutes, relating to insurance.

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

SECTION 1. Sections 1906, 1906a, 1945d, 1945g, 1946, 1978f, 1978g, 1978h, 1978i, 1978j, 1978k, 1978l, and 1978m of the statutes are repealed.

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

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CHAPTER 156.

AN ACT to create subsection 12 of section 4560a—12 of the statutes, relating to closed season for fishing in Eagan's Lake in Waushara county.

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

SECTION 1. There is added to section 4560a—12 of the statutes a new subsection to read: (Section 4560a—12.) 12. It shall be unlawful for any person to take, catch, or kill in any manner or by any device, any game or rough fish of any kind or variety, in or from Eagan's Lake, situated in the town of Marion in Waushara county, prior to the first day of June, 1916.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage and publication.

Approved May 1, 1913.