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CHAPTER 490.

AN ACT to create subsection (6) of section 40.355 of the statutes, relating to supply of textbooks by district boards.

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

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes subsection (6) of section 40.355 to read: (Section 40.355) (6) Nothing in this section shall be construed to repeal or in any way affect the provisions of sections 40.31 to 40.34, inclusive, of the statutes.

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

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CHAPTER 491.

AN ACT to create sections 1747—155 and 20.595 of the statutes, relating to the inspection and measurement of pulpwood, providing for the appointment of a supervisor, and making an appropriation.

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

SECTION 1. A new section is added to the statutes to read: Section 1747—155. 1. The office of supervisor of pulp wood scaling is hereby created. Such supervisor shall be appointed by the governor, by and with the advice and consent of the senate, for a term of two years from the date of his appointment and until his successor qualifies. Vacancies occurring from any cause shall be filled for the remainder of the term by the governor, with the advice and consent of the senate, if it shall be in session, or if it is not in session, subject to approval at the session next held after such appointment is made, if the term for which it was made has not expired. Said supervisor shall take and file the official oath, and execute and file his official bond in the sum of five thousand dollars, with sureties approved by the governor.

2. It shall be the duty of the said supervisor to have inspected and scaled all pulp wood when the same is bought in quantities equal to car lots or more in any one shipment. Whenever a car lot or more of pulp wood is delivered at any mill, or at any other place of delivery, the purchaser shall have the same scaled by an official scaler appointed by such supervisor. Such official scalers shall be selected from persons in the employ

of the purchasers of pulp wood and shall be licensed by the supervisor, but shall receive no compensation for their services from the state. Said supervisor may revoke the license of any such scaler at any time. Every such official scaler shall make quadruplicate reports of the amounts and condition of the pulp wood sold and delivered, transmit one such report to the supervisor, one to the purchaser, one to the seller, and preserve one for his own use. The person buying such pulp wood shall pay the supervisor ten cents for each car scaled, which sum the supervisor shall pay to the state treasurer. Said supervisor shall appoint two assistant scalers for not to exceed six months in any one year, whose duty it shall be to supervise the work performed by the official scalers, but such assistants shall receive not to exceed the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars per month salary, and their actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties. Such supervisor shall as often as required by the governor, and at least once annually, file with the secretary of state a detailed sworn statement of all work performed by him, expenses incurred and fees collected under the provisions of this section. Such supervisor shall be paid an annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars, and his actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of the duties of his office. He shall maintain his office at some convenient place in the pulp wood district, and the same shall be provided with all necessary furniture, supplies and stationery by the superintendent of public property.

3. All moneys received by such supervisor for the scaling of pulp wood shall be paid, within one week after receipt, into the general fund.

SECTION 2. There is added to the statutes a new section to be numbered and to read: 20.595 There is appropriated from the general fund, to the supervisor of pulp wood scaling, annually, beginning July 1, 1919, nine thousand dollars, to carry out the provisions of section 1747—155.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Approved July 3, 1919.