

CHAPTER 182.

AN ACT to renumber 340.605 to be 340.605 (1); to amend 29.63 (3) (c) and (d); and to create 29.63 (3) (e) and 340.605 (2) of the statutes, relating to reckless discharge of firearms, and providing a penalty.

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

SECTION 1. 29.63 (3) (c) and (d) of the statutes are amended to read:

29.63 (3) (c) In addition to all other penalties provided, every license issued pursuant to this chapter to any person convicted of a violation of subsection (1) (e) or any order of the commission made pursuant thereto * * * shall be forthwith revoked, and no license shall be issued under this chapter to such person for a period of 3 years thereafter.

(d) In addition to all other penalties provided, every license issued pursuant to this chapter to any person convicted of a violation of * * * *section 340.271 (3) or 340.605 (1)* shall be forthwith revoked, and no license shall be issued under this chapter to such person * * * *for such period as may be fixed by the court.*

SECTION 2. 29.63 (3) (e) of the statutes is created to read:

29.63 (3) (e) Every license issued under this chapter to a person convicted of violating section 340.605 (2) shall be revoked for the period fixed by the court, and no license shall be issued under this chapter to such person for the period fixed by the court.

SECTION 3. 340.605 of the statutes is renumbered to be 340.605 (1).

SECTION 4. 340.605 (2) of the statutes is created to read:

340.605 (2) No person shall so handle a gun, pistol or other firearm as to cause its discharge carelessly or heedlessly, in willful or wanton disregard of the rights or safety of others. Any person violating this subsection shall be fined not more than \$100 or imprisoned not to exceed 6 months, or both, and in addition the court may revoke any license issued to him under chapter 29 and may further provide that no license shall be issued to him under chapter 29 for such fixed period of time as the court may deem just.

Approved May 26, 1949.
