

CHAPTER 473.

AN ACT to amend 35.09, 35.11 and 35.14; and to create 35.141 of the statutes, relating to printing of legislative bills, journals, bulletins of proceedings and committee hearings.

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

SECTION 1. 35.09 of the statutes is amended to read:

35.09 Immediately after any bill, or any joint resolution amending the constitution, shall have been finally passed, and, in the case of a bill, before it shall be presented to the governor for approval, the chief clerk of the house where such bill or resolution originated shall present printer's copy thereof to the state printer, and the state printer shall, within one day, print and deliver 10 copies thereof upon 40-pound ledger paper, measuring 7¾ inches wide by 11 inches high, with printed page, 5 inches wide and 8½ inches deep, set in 10 point Roman type on a 12 point base, one of which printed copies shall be used as the enrolled bill, or the enrolled resolution, as the case may be, another copy shall be delivered to the revisor and 4 copies to the secretary of state. * * * 1190 additional copies shall be printed on the kind of paper used for bills. Any bill or resolution so printed except bills proposed by the revisor, shall, when amendatory, indicate omissions by asterisks and new matter by italics.

SECTION 2. 35.11 of the statutes is amended to read:

35.11 The journal of the senate and assembly shall correspond with the journals of the congress of the United States as nearly as may be, as to subject matter and form. The chief clerk of each house shall prepare and deliver to the state printer immediately after the close of each daily session printer's copy of its daily journal with matter relating to bills, resolutions and petitions arranged as nearly as practicable in numerical order under the several orders of business, with reference to bills, resolutions and petitions, by numbers only, except when the yeas and nays are called; provided, that privileged resolutions shall be printed in full at the time of their introduction, except that the printing of a joint resolution or memorial whether privileged or treated as privileged shall not be duplicated by being printed in the journal of each house but such joint resolution or memorial shall appear only in the journal of the house where it originated. Executive pardon communications or reports shall be printed in the senate journal. The report of a joint committee shall be printed in the journal of the house in which the resolution creating the committee originated. Other resolutions and amendments to bills and resolutions (except to privileged resolutions) shall not be printed in the journal. Either house may order any other of its proceedings printed in the journal. Each page shall be 6 inches wide and 8¾ inches deep. Printed pages shall be 7¼ inches high and 4 inches wide, be printed with long primer type, have bill numbers set in black face type, composition in compact order without unnecessary broken lines, a separate paragraph for each distinct subject and page numbers consecutive and continuous from day to day. * * * 400 copies of the daily journal of each house shall be printed on tinted paper for examination and correction, and delivered by 8:45 of the morning, excepting Sunday, next following the session whose proceedings are printed; and after all the errors have been corrected 800 copies of each shall be printed on good white printing paper, folded without stitching, and punched at the inner margin with 2 holes 5½ inches apart, for filing purposes. Three hundred ninety-five further copies of each shall be printed from day to day and be preserved for binding in book form at the end of the session, using best quality S. and S.C. book paper, weighing 50 pounds per ream of sheets 25 inches by 38 inches; and 5 further copies of each shall be printed from day to day on bond paper, 4 of them for the use of the chief clerks and one for binding in the official journal of the houses.

SECTION 3. 35.14 of the statutes is amended to read:

35.14 As soon as possible after the close of the last session of each week, beginning with the third week of the session, all the entries during that week in the journal of each house shall be abstracted by the chief clerk thereof, whereupon each chief clerk shall deliver to the other a copy of so much of his abstract as relates to matter originating in the other house, for incorporation in the other's abstract. Such abstracts shall contain such matter as will, when incorporated and printed with all similar matter previously printed, constitute a separate bulletin to date for each house of the following schedule and lists: A schedule of all bills originating in such house, arranged numerically, setting forth immediately after each bill number its title, the name of the member or committee introducing it, all proceedings affecting it arranged chronologically with the date of each; separate similar schedules for all joint resolutions, for all resolutions, and for all memo-

rials originating in said house; a list of its officers; an alphabetical list of its members with the district represented by each, his place of residence, Madison address, committee assignments and the numbers of bills, resolutions and memorials introduced by him; an alphabetical list of its committees with membership and the numbers of all bills, resolutions and memorials introduced by each and referred to each; and a numerical list of all bills, originating in such house which have been enacted into laws with chapter numbers, and such other matter as either chief clerk shall deem necessary. Said abstracts shall be delivered to the state printer as soon as completed, and the state printer shall incorporate the same with matter previously published as aforesaid, and print and deliver not later than 2 hours before the time fixed for reassembling of the legislature, * * * 800 copies of a wire-stitched pamphlet containing both bulletins, using white print paper, brevier type, black face type for numbers, black face capitals for the names of members, and the names of committees, and making the printed pages correspond in size with the printed journals of the houses. The last issue of the weekly bulletin after final adjournment of the legislature shall be distributed as nearly as practicable as were the former issues. Within 10 days after final adjournment of the legislature, the chief clerks shall deliver to the printer, copy for insertion after each action recorded in the bulletin, of the number of the page of the journal upon which the record of such action appears, and such page numbers shall be inserted by the state printer. * * * 800 copies of such bulletin shall then be printed, using the same style of type as provided for the journal index and the kind of paper used for the bound copies of the journals, to be bound as a part of the journal index.

SECTION 4. 35.141 of the statutes is created to read:

35.141 BULLETINS OF COMMITTEE HEARINGS. The chief clerk of each house shall prior to the beginning of each week prepare a bulletin of committee hearings scheduled for such week in each such house of the legislature. Such bulletin shall contain an index by bill number, date, hour and committee, a schedule of all hearings by committees setting forth the name of the committee, its chairman, the room number or place of such hearing, the time and date and a synopsis of the bill to be heard, designating it by number and author. A list of the standing committees of such house shall also be included. One thousand copies of such bulletins of committee hearings of each house shall be printed.

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