

CHAPTER 124.

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AN ACT to confirm the consolidation heretofore attempted of railroad companies existing under the laws of Wisconsin, with railroad companies existing under the laws of Illinois, under the name adopted by them.

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

SECTION 1. That in case any railroad company existing as a corporation under the laws of Wisconsin, shall have attempted under previous authority for that purpose had, to effect a consolidation with any railroad company existing as a corporation under the laws of Illinois, under any name adopted by such companies, such attempted consolidation is hereby legalized, ratified and confirmed, and the agreement therefor required by law to be filed in the office of the secretary of state, and all of the provisions thereof are hereby declared to be valid and effectual in all respects for the purposes and according to the terms therein expressed, so far as such companies had previous legal power to make such contract, and such consolidated company shall be known by the name thus designated or adopted. It shall be optional with the consolidated company to conclude and carry out contracts heretofore made with the company existing under the laws of this state, in either the name of such company or of the consolidated company.

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

Approved March 23, 1872.