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CHAPTER 481.

AN ACT authorizing the governor of this state to execute patents in certain cases.

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

Governor authorized to issue certain patents.

SECTION 1. Whenever the governor shall have executed and delivered to any railway or other corporation, a patent from the state of any land enuring to such corporation under or through any grant from the congress of the United States and the laws of the state, and subsequent to the delivery of any such patent, the United states shall patent or certify said land or any thereof to the state as enuring under such grants, the governor may in his discretion execute and deliver to such corporation a new patent of said land by way of further assurance of title to the same, reciting the fact of the execution and delivery of said prior patent and the subsequent issue by the United States of a patent or certified list of the said land, and that the said new patent is made by virtue of the provisions of this act and for the purposes aforesaid, and the additional patent shall be entitled to the same force and effect as a conveyance and as evidence as other state patents have by law.

Repeal.

SECTION 2. All acts or parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 14, 1887.