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CHAPTER 69.

AN ACT to create section 4438j of the statutes, prohibiting false statements or false show of assets by officers or employes of insurance corporations, fraternal or mutual benefit societies, and other insurers, and providing a penalty.

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

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 4438j. Any officer, director, attorney in fact, manager, or employee of any insurance corporation, Lloyds association, inter-insurer, fraternal or mutual benefit society, or other insurer, who shall wilfully and knowingly subscribe to, make, or cause to be made, any false entry in the books thereof, or shall knowingly subscribe to or exhibit false papers, with the intent to deceive any person or persons authorized to examine into its affairs, or shall knowingly make, state, or publish any false report or statement of any such insurance corporation, Lloyds association, inter-insurer, fraternal or mutual benefit society, or other insurer, shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than five thousand dollars or by imprisonment in the state penitentiary not less than one nor more than ten years, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

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

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CHAPTER 70.

AN ACT to create section 1927m of the statutes, validating the action of town mutual insurance companies under section 1927 of the statutes, in making amendments to their articles of organization.

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

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 1927m. The action of any town mutual insurance company organized under section 1927 of the statutes taken, prior to March 1st, 1915, attempting to amend its articles of organization, is hereby validated. The commissioner of insurance and the attorney-general are authorized to approve such

amendments made prior to said day, and the same may be filed and recorded as provided by law, notwithstanding any informality or insufficiency in the petition, notice, time of meeting, voting, or any other respect, or in the certification thereof, provided it shall appear by the certificate of the president and secretary to the satisfaction of the commissioner of insurance and of the attorney-general, expressed by their approval thereof under this section, that notice of intention to amend the articles was given not less than one week prior to action thereon, and that at such meeting or adjourned session thereof, such amendment was duly voted upon and adopted by four-fifths of the votes cast upon the question.

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

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CHAPTER 71.

AN ACT to amend the sixteenth paragraph (Fifteenth Circuit) of section 113.06 of the statutes, relating to judicial circuits.

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

SECTION 1. The sixteenth paragraph (Fifteenth Circuit) of section 113.06 of the statutes is amended to read: 113.06. (Sixteenth paragraph) Fifteenth Circuit. In the county of Ashland on the * * * *first* Monday in * * * *February* and on the * * * *fourth* Monday in * * * *August*; in the county of Bayfield on the * * * *second* Monday in May and the * * * *fourth* Monday in October; in the county of Iron on the second Monday in * * * *January* and the * * * *second* Monday in * * * *June*; in the county of Price on the second Monday in * * * *April* and the * * * *fourth* Monday in November; in the county of Taylor on the * * * *second* Monday in March and the fourth Monday in * * * *September*.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon August 1, 1915.

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