or mailed to him, addressed to the address so filed, within 5 days after the first publication of such notice. An affidavit of such service or mailing shall be filed with the proof of publication of such notice.

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## CHAPTER 275.

AN ACT to create 46.06 (12) of the statutes, relating to the conveyance of lands by the state department of public welfare to Fond du Lac county for the purpose of erecting a radio transmitter station.

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

46.06 (12) of the statutes is created to read:

46.06 (12) (a) The state department of public welfare is authorized and directed to convey, for the purposes of erecting a radio transmitter station, without receiving any consideration therefor, to Fond du Lac county, the following described lands: a part of the south one-half of the northwest one-fourth of section 5, town 15, north, range 18, east, more particularly described as follows to wit: commencing at the northwest corner of section 5, town 15, north, range 18, east, and using the north line of said section 5 as an east and west base line for the purpose of computing courses, running thence east along the north line of said section 5 a distance of 1318.10 feet, thence south 3°-08' east a distance of 1364.30 feet to a large (14 inch square) concrete post set at the intersection of the south line of county trunk AA and a line parallel to and 1378.08 feet east of the west line of said section 5 (being the east line of lands now owned by the state of Wisconsin as shown on map recorded in volume 7 of plats, page 3-1/2 in the office of the register of deeds, Fond du Lac county, Wisconsin) thence south 0°-37' east and parallel with the west line of said section 5 a distance of 365.60 feet to the place of beginning for this description, thence continuing south 0°-37' east 208 feet; thence westerly and at right angles with last described line 208 feet; thence north 0°-37' west and parallel with the west line of said section 5, 208 feet; thence

easterly at right angles to last described line 208 feet to the place of beginning; being a square piece of land and containing one acre of land more or less. Together with a right of way from the northwest corner of the above described tract to the centerline of said county trunk AA, being a strip of land 15 feet wide at right angles to its side lines and having its west side parallel to and 208 feet west of the east line of the above described tract. All lying in lands now owned by the state of Wisconsin in the town of Taycheedah, county of Fond du Lac, Wisconsin.

(b) Such county is given a reasonable time to utilize the tract for the purposes for which conveyed. In the event that within such reasonable time the tract is not so utilized or in the event that it is so utilized and later such use is abandoned then the title to the tract shall revert to the state.

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## CHAPTER 276.

AN ACT to amend 76.30 (1) and to create 76.30 (3) of the statutes, relating to taxation of domestic stock fire insurance companies.

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

Section 1. 76.30 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

76 30 (1) Every company transacting the business of insurance against fire, marine or sprinkler leakage loss, other than companies excepted under subsections (2) and (3) hereof, shall pay to the state on or before March 1 in each year, a tax of 2-3/8 per cent on the amount of the gross premiums received for direct insurance, less return premiums and cancellations on direct insurance, by such company during the preceding year, in this state. Direct insurance shall include all insurance other than reinsurance. In case any company shall discontinue business in this state and reinsure the whole or a part of its risks without making payment of this tax, the company accepting such reinsurance shall pay the tax; and if several companies shall make such reinsurance the tax shall be apportioned between such