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CHAPTER 12.

AN ACT to amend 11.59 of the statutes, relating to the execution of affidavit of an absent voter.

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

11.59 of the statutes is amended to read:

11.59 Such absent or sick or disabled voter shall make and subscribe to the affidavit provided for in s. 11.58 of the statutes, before the clerk to whom the ballot is returned * * *, before any other officer authorized by law to administer oaths *or before any master of a vessel plying the Great Lakes*, and such voter shall thereupon in the presence of such officer and of no other person, mark such ballot or ballots, but in such manner that such officer cannot know how such ballot is marked, and such ballot or ballots shall then in the presence of such officer be folded by such voter so that each ballot will be separate and so as to conceal the marking, and be, in the presence of such officer, deposited in such envelope, together with any unused portion of the ballot, and the envelope securely sealed. Said envelope shall be mailed by such voter, postage prepaid, to the officer issuing the ballot, or if more convenient it may be delivered in person.

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