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CHAPTER 167

AN ACT to amend 49.12 (7); and to create 49.12 (10) of the statutes, relating to the misuse of relief funds.

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

SECTION 1. 49.12 (7) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.12 (7) Any dependent person who uses money, *checks, vouchers or any other thing of value* furnished him as relief for purposes other than as directed by the county or municipality furnishing such relief shall be punished as provided in sub. (2).

SECTION 2. 49.12 (10) of the statutes is created to read:

49.12 (10) Any person who accepts a relief voucher granted as relief and fails to tender the commodities authorized by the relief authorities to the relief recipient but in lieu thereof refunds to the relief recipient cash or substitutes any intoxicating liquor or malt beverage or cigarettes not authorized by the relief voucher shall be considered to have committed a fraud and the penalties provided in sub. (1) shall apply to said person.

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