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**CHAPTER 530**

AN ACT to amend 160.01 (1) and 160.03 (1) to (4) of the statutes, pertaining to the annual fees for hotels, restaurants and tourist rooming houses.

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

SECTION 1. 160.01 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

160.01 (1) "Hotel" means all places wherein sleeping accommodations are offered for pay to transients, in 5 or more rooms, and all places used in connection therewith. "Hotelkeeper", "motelkeeper" and "innkeeper" are synonymous and "inn", "motel" and "hotel" are synonymous.

*(a) The board may classify any hotel as herein defined as a "motel" on written request of the hotel operator on forms furnished by the board, provided that the operator of the hotel furnishes on-premise parking facilities for the motor vehicles of the hotel guests as a part of the room charge, without extra cost.*

SECTION 2. 160.03 (1) to (4) of the statutes are amended to read:

160.03 (1) The annual fee for all places coming under the definition of a hotel shall be \* \* \* \$10 for those having 30 or less sleeping rooms and \* \* \* \$20 for those with more than 30 sleeping rooms.

(2) The annual fee for all places coming under the definition of a tourist rooming house shall be \$5 \* \* \* .

(3) The annual fee for all places coming under the definition of a restaurant shall be \* \* \* \$20.

(4) An additional penalty fee of \$5 shall be required for each permit whenever the annual fee for renewal is not paid \* \* \* *prior to expiration* of the permit.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 1962.

Approved September 27, 1961.

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