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CHAPTER 288

AN ACT to amend 271.04 (2) of the statutes, relating to recoverable amounts of expert witness fees.

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

271.04 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

271.04 (2) All the necessary disbursements and fees of officers allowed by law * * * ; the suit tax * * * ; the compensation of referees * * * ; guardian ad litem fees * * * ; a reasonable disbursement for the service of process or other papers in an action when the same are served by a person authorized by law other than an officer, but in no event shall such item exceed the authorized sheriff's fee for the same service * * * ; amounts actually paid out for certified copies of papers and records in any public office * * * ; postage, telegraphing, telephoning * * * and express; adverse examinations including copies * * * ; plats and photographs, not exceeding \$50 for * * * each such item; an expert witness fee of \$25 for each expert who testifies, exclusive of the standard witness fee and mileage which shall also be taxed for each such expert; and in actions relating to or affecting the title to lands, the cost of procuring an abstract of title to such lands.

Approved August 29, 1963.