

1977 Senate Bill 251

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AN ACT to repeal 801.50 (11); and to amend 801.50 (5) of the statutes, relating to place of trial in actions against insurance companies growing out of negligence.

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

SECTION 1. 801.50 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:

801.50 (5) AGAINST INSURANCE COMPANIES. Of an action against an insurance company, to recover on a policy of insurance, the county in which the defendant has its principal office or in which the plaintiff resides or, if brought by a person in a representative capacity by appointment of a court, in the county in which ~~such~~ the appointment was had, provided, however, that in the event an insurance company is sued or made a party to an action growing out of ~~the negligent operation of a motor vehicle negligence by the insured,~~ the proper place of trial shall be in the county where the cause of action arose or where the person or persons, covered by an insurance policy by reason of which ~~such~~ the insurance company is sued or made a party to ~~said~~ the action, resides.

SECTION 2. 801.50 (11) of the statutes is repealed.
