

which it was organized or is governed as to the amount of any single risk. against loss or damage by lightning, hail, *wind-storms*, tornadoes, cyclones, * * * hurricanes, *leakage of sprinklers and sprinkler systems, installed or maintained for the purpose of protection against fire and by explosions, whether fire ensues or not; provided the same shall be clearly expressed in the policy, but nothing herein shall be construed to empower such companies to insure against loss or damage to persons or property resulting from explosions of steam boilers.*

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 107.

AN ACT to create section 4141a of the statutes, making the testimony of a deceased witness admissible in judicial proceedings.

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

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 4141a. The testimony of any deceased witness taken in any action shall be admissible in evidence in any other action where the party against whom it is offered shall have had the opportunity to cross examine the deceased witness and where the issue upon which it is offered is substantially the same.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 108.

AN ACT to create section 1948m of the statutes, relating to provisions in policies of life insurance.

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

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 1948m. After the year 1909 no policy, other than a policy of industrial insurance where the premiums are payable monthly or oftener, shall be issued or delivered in this state, unless it contains in substance the following provisions: