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CHAPTER 216.

AN ACT to create subdivisions (4) and (5) of section 658 of the statutes, relating to the issuance of bonds, and authorizing the execution of contracts and the incurring of obligations before such bonds are sold and the cash in hand, in counties having a population of two hundred and fifty thousand or more.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

There are added to section 658 of the statutes Section 1. two new subdivisions to read: (Section 658) (4) In all counties of this state, having a population of two hundred and fifty thousand or more, where bonds are to be issued in accordance with this section or for any other county purpose authorized by law, the contract may be entered into, or the obligation incurred, in contemplation of which the said bonds are to be issued, at any time after the passage of the resolution or ordinance authorizing the same, with like effect as if said bonds had been sold and the cash therefor was in hand, provided that said resolution or ordinance shall determine the amount of the appropriation necessary for said contract or obligation; and for the purpose of entering into any such contract or obligation the amount of bonds issued or to be issued in pursuance of said resolution or ordinance shall be treated as eash in hand.

(5) The bonds referred to under this section, and all bonds authorized by law to be issued for county purposes may, by direction of the county board, be sold in series or at such time and place, and in such manner as the county board shall determine.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 217.

AN ACT to amend sections 3, 5 and 6 of Chapter 318, Laws of 1911, relating to art commissions in cities of the first class.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Sections 3, 5 and 6 of Chapter 318, Laws of 1911, are amended to read: (Chapter 318, Laws of 1911.) Section