

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

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CHAPTER 50.

AN ACT to create section 2851a of the statutes relating to juries in circuit courts.

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

SECTION 1. A new section is added to the statutes to read: Section 2851a. If any jury issue shall require trial at a time when the panel of jurors for the then current term is not in attendance, a jury may, in the discretion of the trial judge, be obtained in the following manner: at least three days before the day fixed by the presiding judge for such trial, the clerk of the court shall, in the presence of the presiding judge, and the attorneys for the respective parties, who shall be first given reasonable notice in time to attend, draw from the panel of jurors for the current term a number of jurors such as the court may specify so that not less than fourteen nor more than eighteen will remain after the exercise of all the peremptory challenges to which the parties are entitled under section 2851 of the statutes; said challenges shall be then and there exercised as provided in said section; the remaining jurors shall be summoned to attend at the time fixed for the trial and if after examination and all excuses for cause there shall remain more than twelve jurors, the first twelve on the list shall constitute the trial jury; if less than twelve remain the court may require the return of bystanders to fill the vacancy, unless the parties stipulate to try the case with a jury of less than twelve.

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

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CHAPTER 51.

AN ACT to amend subsection (1) of section 20.07 of the statutes, relating to the state treasury agent, and making an appropriation.