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**CHAPTER 22.**

AN ACT to amend subsection (1) of section 59.46, and to create paragraph (1) of subsection (1) of section 16.33 of the statutes, relating to district attorneys in counties containing a city of the first class, and to the exemption from civil service of deputy district attorneys in counties containing two hundred thousand inhabitants or more.

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

SECTION 1. Subsection (1) of section 59.46 of the statutes is amended to read: (59.46) (1) The district attorney of any county containing a city of the first class may appoint \* \* \* two deputy district attorneys, a corporation counsel, and such \* \* \* assistants as may be authorized by the county board. *The corporation counsel, as to civil, and the deputies according to rank, as to all other matters, shall have full authority to perform all the duties of the district attorney, under his direction, and in the absence or disability of the district attorney such corporation counsel, as to civil, and such deputies according to rank, as to all other matters, may do and perform all the acts required by law to be performed by the district attorney. Such \* \* \* deputies shall each have practiced law in this state at least two years prior to such appointment, \* \* \* and shall hold office during the pleasure of the district attorney. Such assistants, when appointed, shall have full authority to perform all the duties of the district attorney, under his direction, except the signing of indictments and informations.*

SECTION 2. A new paragraph is added to subsection (1) of section 16.33 of the statutes to read: (16.33) (1) (1) Deputy district attorneys.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Approved April 12, 1927.