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## CHAPTER 266.

AN ACT to amend subsection (3) of section 33.01, subsections (1), (4), (5), (6) and (11) of section 33.03, and subsection (5) of section 34.02 of the statutes, and to create subsections (13), (14) and (15) of section 33.03, and section 33.06, of the statutes, relating to the powers and duties of the superintendent of public property and the state chief engineer.

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

SECTION 1. Subsection (3) of section 33.01, subsections (1), (4), (5), (6) and (11) of section 33.03, and subsection (5) of section 34.02 of the statutes, are amended to read: (33.01) (3) The words "permanent personal property" include furniture and furnishings, typewriters, calculating, numbering and adding machines, apparatus, library and other books, motor vehicles, machinery and equipment, and any and all property which in the opinion of the superintendent will have a life of more than one year.

(33.03) (1) To have charge of the capitol, the executive residence, \* \* the public grounds surrounding the capitol, and the executive residence \* \* \* and all properties occupied by the state outside of the capitol except the light, heat and power plant, and that which is under the control of the Wisconsin national guard, the conservation commission, the veterans' home, the Wisconsin mining school, the university, Stout institute, the normal schools and the state board of control, also to have general supervision of the operation and maintenance of said properties and to keep all of them in a proper state of cleanliness and repair. He may hire, purchase or maintain an automobile to be used for general state purposes.

(4) Acting with the governor and the chief engineer, to assign each state officer entitled by law to be supplied with office room to a suitable room or rooms in the capitol so long as rooms for that purpose are available; and to lease suitable rooms elsewhere in the city of Madison for such officers when rooms for them in the capitol are not available. In assigning officers to rooms in the capitol, preference shall be given to those expressly entitled by law to such rooms over those not so expressly entitled to them. But applications for temporary quarters for committees or other

bodies shall be made to said superintendent, who shall have authority to make assignments therefor. In like manner he shall also lease whenever necessary suitable quarters for carrying out all state functions, except those carried on by the department of engineering, the Wisconsin national guard, the conservation commission, the veterans' home, the Wisconsin mining school, the university, Stout institute, the normal schools and the state board of control.

- (5) To purchase all necessary permanent personal property, janitor and other service, telegraph and telephone service, postage and postal service, express, freight and drayage service, paper, except paper required by law to be furnished by the printing board, and all other necessary materials, supplies and expense of a consumable nature, except light, heat, power and water, required for state use in or about the repair. maintenance or operation of \* \* \* the capitol the executive residence. \* \* \* the public grounds surrounding the capitol, and the executive residence, and \* \* \* or about the necessary preparation for occupancy of all \* properties, except those outside of the capitol under control of the department of engineering, the Wisconsin national guard, the conservation commission, the veterans' home, the Wisconsin mining school, the university, Stout institute, the normal schools. and the state board of control wherever located to which state officers have been lawfully assigned as occupants \* \* \*
- (6) To furnish \* \* \* the capitol, the executive residence. the public grounds surrounding the capitol and the executive residence \* \* \* , and every \* \* \* property to which a state officer has lawfully been assigned as occupant, with necessary permanent personal property, \* \* \* janitor and other service, telegraph and telephone service, postage and postal service, express, freight and drayage service, paper, except paper required by law to be furnished by the printing board, and with all other necessary materials, supplies, and expense of a consumable nature, except light, heat, power and water, for which he shall have received a requisition signed by such officer or by some other person designated by such officer for that purpose: and to furnish upon like requisitions to every officer or agent of the state all supplies, of whatever kind, which he is entitled by law to receive. It shall be his duty to furnish and perform all mimeograph and multigraph work for all said offices or

- officers. \* \* \* All materials, services and other expense furnished to any officer upon requisition pursuant to this subsection shall be charged to the proper appropriation as provided in section 20.10 of the statutes.
- (11) To let concessions for periods not exceeding two years for the operation of a restaurant, barber shop and cigar stand in the capitol under such terms and conditions as will in his judgment be most favorable to the state, and secure efficient and economical service.
- (34.02) (5) On July 1, 1917, all of the powers, duties and functions heretofore conferred and imposed by law upon the capitol commission by chapter 399 of the laws of 1903; chapter 516 of the laws of 1903, as amended by chapter 15, laws of the special session of 1905; chapter 19, laws of 1907; chapter 537, laws of 1907, as amended by chapter 316, laws of 1909, chapter 451 laws of 1911, chapter 760 laws of 1913, and chapters 91 and 215 laws of 1915; and chapter 465 laws of 1915, are hereby transferred to and conferred upon the department of engineering, except as expressly provided in this act. This subsection shall not be construed to include the purchase by the state chief engineer of any furniture or furnishings for the capitol, except as provided in subsection (15) of section 33.03.
- SECTION 2. Three new subsections are added to section 33.03 and a new section is added to the statutes to read: (33.03) (13) To delegate to any state officer the right to purchase any property locally, in such manner and under such terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the state superintendent of public property.
- (14) To act as an ex officio member of the cement purchasing board as provided in section 34.10 and the state printing board as provided in section 35.02.
- (15) The provisions of this section shall not apply to the repair, maintenance and improvement of buildings, attached fixtures, and ground, and the purchase of tools and material for such repair, maintenance and improvement now performed by the department of engineering. The style and design of all furniture and furnishings and fixtures shall be prescribed by the department of engineering.
- 33.06 (1) Within thirty days after the provisions of this section take effect and within the month of June of each even numbered year, each state department shall make and render to the

superintendent of public property an inventory of all permanent personal property in such department in such form as the superintendent of public property may prescribe.

- (2) The superintendent of public property shall keep in his office a perpetual inventory of all permanent personal property of the state.
- (3) On or before July thirty-first of each even numbered year, the superintendent of public property shall file with the governor a full and complete inventory of all permanent personal property of the state so classified as to show separately the amount, kind and value of such property.
- (4) The provisions of this section shall not apply to any property outside of the capitol placed by law in charge of the department of engineering, the Wisconsin national guard, the conservation commission, the veterans' home, the Wisconsin mining school, the university, Stout institute, the normal schools and the state board of control.

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

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## CHAPTER 267.

AN ACT to create section 203.045 of the statutes, relating to appraisals in fire insurance.

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: 203.045 (1) Whenever an appraisal is demanded and an appraiser appointed under the standard fire insurance policy of this state, the other party shall designate an appraiser within ten days after receipt of notice of such demand and appointment.
- (2) Whenever application shall be made for the selection of an umpire pursuant to the provisions relating to appraisals as contained in lines one hundred fifty-nine to one hundred seventy-five of the standard fire insurance policy attached to section 203.01 of the statutes, such application shall be made to a judge of the circuit court of the county in which the property insured