

to the person serving such notice for the damages, resulting from such violation which may be recovered in an action at law in any court of competent jurisdiction. There shall be no preference between the persons serving such notice, but all shall be paid pro rata in proportion to the amount under their respective contracts.

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

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CHAPTER 439.

AN ACT to amend section 14.41 of the statutes, relating to the bonding of employes of the state treasurer.

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

SECTION 1. Section 14.41 of the statutes is amended to read: 14.41 The treasurer may appoint, in writing, an assistant state treasurer who may perform and execute any of the duties of the treasurer, except as commissioner of the public lands. The assistant treasurer shall take and subscribe the oath of office prescribed by the constitution and shall give bond to the treasurer, in such sum and with such conditions as the treasurer prescribes, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties. The oath of the assistant treasurer and the certificate of his appointment shall be filed and preserved in the office of the secretary of state. The chief accountant *and such other employes as the treasurer may require* shall give bond to the state of Wisconsin in such sum and with such conditions as the treasurer prescribes, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duty; the cost thereof to be charged to the appropriations made by section 20.05.

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

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