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CHAPTER 6.

AN ACT to amend 6.21 (4) and to create 6.21 (3) (c) of the statutes, relating to the printing and publication of official ballots in certain cases where voting machines are used.

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

SECTION 1. Subsection (4) of section 6.21 of the statutes is amended to read: (6.21) (4) Such facsimile ballot notice, when published in a city using voting machines, shall include a sample ballot in the form of a diagram showing the face of the machine with the official ballot thereon, together with instructions to the voter for the proper operation of the machine. *If such ballot includes offices to be voted for, other than offices of the town, city, or village, the cost of publication of such facsimile ballot shall be prorated between the county and the town, city, or village in proportion to the amount of space used for each type of office. In such case the county clerk shall provide for the form of the ballot, placing thereon such town, city, or village offices and the names of persons to be voted for according to information which shall be supplied him by the clerk of the town, city, or village. The county clerk shall order the printing of such ballot and shall bill the town, city, or village for its proper proportionate share of such cost.*

SECTION 2. Paragraph (c) of subsection (3) of section 6.21 of the statutes is created to read: (6.21) (3) (c) In any county where voting machines are used exclusively in one or more towns, cities, or villages, publication of the facsimile of the official voting machine ballot shall be made once in one or more daily or weekly newspapers published in the town, city, or village using such voting machines, if a newspaper be published therein, otherwise in a newspaper of general circulation therein. The newspapers and dates of publication shall be designated by the county clerk.

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

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