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CHAPTER 363.

AN ACT to repeal 70.13 (4) of the statutes, relating to assessment of personal property.

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

70.13 (4) of the statutes is repealed.

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CHAPTER 364.

AN ACT to renumber 20.49 (4) to be 20.49 (4) (a) and to create 20.49 (4) (b), (c) and (d) of the statutes, relating to a nonlapsible state trunk highway trust fund to insure retirement of highway bonds and to finance construction of state trunk highways and making an appropriation.

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

SECTION 1. 20.49 (4) of the statutes is renumbered to be 20.49 (4) (a).

SECTION 2. 20.49 (4) (b), (c) and (d) of the statutes are created to read:

20.49 (4) (b) The balance remaining on June 30, 1943, and annually on July 1 of each year, all moneys available to meet the provisions of section 84.03 (3) and (4), as allotted to counties, shall be placed in a separate nonlapsible trust fund to be designated "State Trunk Highway Fund," which shall be to the credit of the several counties for the exclusive purpose of insuring retirement of county bonds and payment of all other expenditures authorized under section 84.03 (3) and (4).

(c) Whenever any costs are incurred, part or all of which are properly chargeable to the state trunk highway fund, the state highway commission may direct the payment thereof from funds available under subsection (9), and in such case the commission shall periodically, or upon the completion of particular

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improvements, determine the amounts of such payments chargeable to the state trunk highway fund and issue transfer vouchers; and the secretary of state shall credit the appropriation from which the payments were made and charge the state trunk highway fund with the amounts as directed in such transfer vouchers.

(d) The same authority shall exist to invest money of the state trunk highway fund in war bonds as exists in connection with the investment of money from the general fund in war bonds and any war bonds in the general fund may be transferred to the state trunk highway fund on June 30, 1943, and on July 1 of each year in lieu of the cash transfers provided for in paragraph (b).

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CHAPTER 365.

AN ACT to create 14.80 of the statutes, relating to a war bond purchase plan for state officers and employes.

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

14.80 of the statutes is created to read:

14.80 WAR BOND PURCHASE PLAN FOR STATE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYES. (1) Any state officer or employe may make request through the department in which he is employed that a part of his salary, designating it, shall be paid by the state to a trustee for the purchase of United States war bonds in his behalf. The request shall be made to the department in such form and manner and contain such directions and information as to the name of the beneficiary and other matters as shall be prescribed by each department consistent with United States treasury department regulations. The request may be withdrawn or the amount designated to be paid to the trustee may be changed by notifying the department to that effect, except that no such withdrawal or change shall affect a pay roll certification already prepared.

(2) The department shall designate an officer or employe thereof who shall serve as trustee. The trustee shall serve without compensation as such. The department shall furnish the

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