

committed a misdemeanor and will not be apprehended unless immediately arrested or that further personal and property damage may likely be done unless immediately arrested.

(2) **ARREST UNDER WARRANT NOT IN OFFICER'S POSSESSION.** An arrest by a peace officer acting under a warrant is lawful even though the officer does not have the warrant in his possession at the time of the arrest, but, if the person arrested so requests, the warrant shall be shown to him as soon as practicable. An arrest may lawfully be made by a peace officer when advised by any other peace officer in the state that a warrant has been issued for the individual.

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CHAPTER 489.

AN ACT to amend 84.06 (2) of the statutes, relating to bids and contracts for highway construction.

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

84.06 (2) of the statutes as amended by section 125 of chapter 334, laws of 1943 (bill No. 289, S.) is amended to read:

84.06 (2) All such highway improvements shall be executed by contract based on bids unless the commission finds that another method as provided in subsection (3), (4) or (5) would be more feasible and advantageous. Bids shall be advertised for in the manner determined by the commission, and the contract shall be awarded to the lowest competent and responsible bidder, unless his bid shall be found by the commission to be unreasonable, or if federal aid is to be utilized, shall be beyond the estimate approved by the proper federal authorities, in which event the contract shall be awarded to the next lowest competent and responsible bidder whose bid is not unreasonable or beyond such estimate; or all bids may be rejected and further bids may be advertised for by the commission. The commission shall, so far as reasonable, follow uniform methods of advertising for bids and may prescribe and require uniform forms of bids and contracts. The contract shall be entered into on behalf of the state by

the commission * * *. Every such contract is excepted from the provisions of sections 15.26 to 15.40 and sections 15.79 and 15.81. *Any such contract involving an expenditure of \$1,000 or more shall not be valid until approval of the governor is endorsed thereon. The commission may require the attorney-general to examine any contract and any bond submitted in connection therewith and report as to the sufficiency of the form and execution thereof. The bond required by section 289.16 for any such contract including an expenditure of less than \$1,000 is exempt from approval by the governor and shall be subject to approval by the commission. The provisions of this subsection shall also apply to contracts with private contractors based on bids for maintenance under section 84.07.*

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CHAPTER 490.

AN ACT to amend and renumber various provisions of the statutes for the purpose of repelling unintended repeals, reconciling conflicts, renumbering for better location, correcting references, correcting errors, supplying omissions, clarifying language and repealing obsolete provisions.

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

SECTION 1. 14.57 (5a) is amended to read:

(14.57) (5a) STATE SCHOOLS FOR BLIND AND DEAF. He shall maintain and govern the Wisconsin school for the blind and the Wisconsin school for the deaf * * *.

SECTION 2. 16.055, as amended by chapter 275 (Bill No. 40, S.), laws of 1943, is amended to read:

16.055 ASSISTANCE TO COUNTIES, CITIES AND VILLAGES. The bureau of personnel shall, when requested by the proper authorities, render service in accordance with the provisions of this chapter to *counties*, cities and villages which have adopted civil service systems under the provisions of section 66.19 or 59.074, and shall charge the cost of such service to the city * * *, village or county for which it is performed.