58.56 APPLICATION OF TERMS. In the event that the county department of public welfare administers aid to dependent children, old-age assistance or blind pensions, section 49.50 (2) shall then be applicable to said department and the term "county department of public welfare" shall be deemed to have the same relationship to the words "county court", "county judge" or "juvenile judge" in any statute relating to such forms of assistance as the term "county pension department" has to said words as provided in section 49.51 (5).

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CHAPTER 384.

AN ACT to amend 141.01 (1), (3), (4) and (9) of the statutes, relating to local boards of health.

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

141.01 (1), (3), (4) and (9) of the statutes are amended to read:

141.01 (1) The board or council of every town, village and city * * in which the appointment of a health officer is not otherwise provided for shall within 30 days after each * * * election of officers or at such other time as may be provided for by statute, organize as a board of health or appoint wholly or partially from its own members, a suitable number of competent persons as a board of health for such town, village or city.

- * * * (4) Whenever any * * * previously mentioned health official shall fail to perform the duties of his office and assist the state board of health, the appointing board or council, either upon its own initiative or upon recommendation of the state board of health, shall discharge such official and immediately select a new official.
- * * *(3) The board of health shall elect a chairman, a clerk and a health officer who shall be ex officio a member of such board with voting power and its executive officer and take the oath of office. The health officer shall hold office for 2 years. If a vacancy occurs the board of health shall immediately fill the same. Such local board shall immediately report to the secretary

of the state board of health the names, post-office addresses and occupations of the officers thereof, and any changes therein.

(9) The health officer and the clerk shall each * * * report to the state board of health their transactions and such facts as shall be required * * * and at such times as required, and shall also make special reports when required.

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CHAPTER 385.

AN ACT to repeal 85.475 and 85.49 (1); to renumber 85.49 (2) and (3) to be 85.49 (1) and (2); to amend 85.45 (2) (a) and (b) and 194.32; to repeal and recreate 85.47 and 85.48 of the statutes, relating to size and weight limitations on the highways.

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

SECTION 1. 85.45 (2) (a) and (b) of the statutes are amended to read:

- 85.45 (2) (a) No vehicle including any load thereon shall exceed a total outside width of 8 feet, except that the width of a farm tractor shall not exceed 9 feet and that the limitations as to the size of vehicles stated in this section shall not apply to implements of husbandry temporarily propelled or moved upon the highway or to those vehicles operating under special permits issued in accordance with section 85.53; and except further that such total width of motor trucks operated prior to July 1, 1929, on solid tires shall not exceed 8 feet 6 inches when equipped with dual pneumatic tires; and except further that the total width of urban passenger busses, busses operated as auxiliary to or as a part of a street railway system in counties of 500,000 population or more and trackless trollies shall not exceed 8 feet 8 inches, and the total width of load of pulp wood shall not exceed 8 feet 4 inches.
- (b) The over-all length of a vehicle shall not exceed * * * 35 feet * * *. The over-all length of a semitrailer shall be measured from the rear thereof to the rear of the vehicle to which it is attached.