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AN ACT to amend Chapter 177, laws of 1951, section 10, relating to change of venue from the municipal court for Racine county.

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

Chapter 177, laws of 1951, section 10, is amended to read:

(Chapter 177, Laws of 1951) Section 10. The provisions of law applicable to change of venue in the circuit courts of this state, shall be applicable to said municipal court, except that when the venue of any action shall be so changed, it may be changed to the circuit court of Racine county but such change of venue shall not prevent the granting by said circuit court of a further change of venue as provided in section 261.04 of the statutes of this state, provided that nothing herein contained shall be construed as abrogating the right to the change of venue provided for by section 261.03 of the statutes of this state and when such change of venue shall be made it shall be by said municipal court direct to the proper county for the trial of the action, and provided further that section 261.08 of the statutes of this state so far as applicable shall apply to said municipal court and that the judge thereof shall have the right to call upon a circuit judge to attend, hold court and try such action and while so doing he shall have the same powers as if elected judge of said municipal court. If any person charged upon indictment or information with a criminal offense shall have procured a change of venue said municipal court shall commit or hold the party to bail to appear at the present or next term of the court to which the case shall have been transferred, and the clerk of said municipal court shall transmit all papers and a copy of the record and proceedings in said case properly certified to such court under the seal of said court, which shall then have full jurisdiction of the action. All recognizances previously given in such cases and returned to said municipal court, may be enforced by the court to which the case is transferred, as fully as if they had been originally certified and returned thereto.

Approved August 3, 1951.