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### CHAPTER 154

AN ACT to amend 253.18 (1), (2), (3) and (4) of the statutes, relating to docketing and recording in county court.

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

253.18 (1), (2), (3) and (4) of the statutes are amended to read:

253.18 (1) A court record in which the judge shall cause every matter or proceeding had in said court to be entered under a proper title, with a brief statement of the nature thereof, and of all papers filed, which in anywise relate to the same, with the date of filing and a reference to the page and volume of the minute book where any minute record shall have been made in any such matter or proceeding, *and a reference to the page and volume of the record book or to the microfilm file where any document has been recorded in any such matter or proceeding*, so that such record shall be a complete index or brief history of the matter or proceeding from the beginning to the final disposition thereof.

(2) A minute book in which shall be entered a brief statement of all the proceedings of the court during its sessions, and show all motions made and by whom, and all orders granted in open court or otherwise and the names of all witnesses sworn or examined in any matter or proceeding in such court. *If this information is all included in the court record, the judge may direct that the minute book be no longer kept.*

(3) A record book or books in which shall be recorded in full all wills admitted to probate with the certificate of probate \* \* \*, all letters and all \* \* \* judgments \* \* \* rendered. *The judge may require any other documents to be recorded therein. Any documents may be recorded on microfilm instead of in a record book.*

(4) An alphabetical index to \* \* \* *the court record and the file containing the original documents or microfilm copies thereof.*

Approved May 14, 1953.

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