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AN ACT to renumber 318.06 (8); and to create 318.06 (8) (b) of the statutes, relating to the assigning of the residue of estates and the disposition of money or other property where payment or transfer is prohibited.

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

SECTION 1. 318.06 (8) of the statutes is renumbered 318.06 (8) (a).

SECTION 2. 318.06 (8) (b) of the statutes is created to read:

318.06 (8) (b) Whenever payment of a legacy or a distributive share cannot be made to the person entitled thereto, or it shall appear that such person may not receive or have the opportunity to obtain said legacy or distributive share, the court may, on petition of an interested party or in its discretion, order that the money be deposited in the state school fund until such time as the court may determine, upon the claim of a person asserting a right to such funds, that he is entitled thereto. Such claim shall be made in the manner provided in s. 318.03 (4), except that there shall be no limit upon the time within which such a claim may be filed. When a claimant to such funds resides outside of the United States or its territories, the court in its discretion, in order to assist in establishing such claimant's identity, his right and opportunity to receive such fund, may require the personal appearance of such claimant before the court.

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