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## CHAPTER 97

AN ACT to amend 69.41 of the statutes, relating to the making of certificates of death by coroners.

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

69.41 of the statutes is amended to read:

69.41 Any coroner who holds an inquest on the body of any deceased person \* \* \* or investigates the death of any deceased person under s. 366.20 may make and sign a certificate of death of such person stating the nature of the disease, or the manner of death, and if from external causes or violence whether "probably" accidental, suicidal or homicidal, as determined by the inquest or investigation; and shall furnish such information as may be required by the state registrar to classify the death. Where the cause of death of a member of the armed forces of the United States is also investigated by competent military authority, the certified statement thereof as to cause of death may be filed with the register of deeds who shall attach such statement to the coroner's certificate.

Approved May 10, 1955.