1987 Assembly Bill 692

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1987 Wisconsin Act 201

AN ACT to amend 885.06 (1) of the statutes, relating to prepayment of witness fees.

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

SECTION 1. 885.06 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

885.06 (1) Except when subpoenaed on behalf of the state, of a municipality in a forfeiture action, or of an indigent respondent in a paternity proceeding, no person shall be obliged is required to attend as a witness in any civil action, matter or proceeding unless the person's witness fees are paid or tendered, in cash or by check, share draft or other draft, to the person for one day's attendance and for travel; provided that tender of witness fees in the form of a check, share draft or other draft drawn by the state, a political subdivision of the state, a municipal corporation of the state or a department or officer of any of them which is payable to bearer or payable to the order of the person named in such subpoena shall oblige the person named in such subpoena to attend as a witness in accordance with the lawful requirements of such subpoena.