

1987 Senate Bill 349

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1987 Wisconsin Act 288

AN ACT to renumber and amend 101.14 (2) (c); and to create 101.14 (2) (c) 2 of the statutes, relating to fire inspection intervals in 1st class cities.

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

SECTION 1. 101.14 (2) (c) of the statutes is renumbered 101.14 (2) (c) 1 and amended to read:

101.14 (2) (c) 1. ~~Such~~ Except as provided under subd. 2, such inspection shall be made at least once in 6 months in all of the territory served by such fire department, and not less than once in 3 months in such territory as the common council has designated or thereafter designates as within the fire limits or as a congested district subject to conflagration, and oftener as the chief of the fire department orders. Each 6-month period shall begin on January 1 and

July 1, and each 3-month period on January 1, April 1, July 1 and October 1 of each year.

SECTION 2. 101.14 (2) (c) 2 of the statutes is created to read:

101.14 (2) (c) 2. In 1st class cities, the fire chief may establish the schedule of fire inspections in that city. The fire chief shall base the frequency of the inspections on hazardous classification, the proportion of public area, the record of fire code violations, the ratio of occupancy to size and any other factor the chief deems significant. Property other than residential property with 4 dwelling units or less shall be inspected at least once annually.