

1989 Assembly Bill 531

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1989 WISCONSIN ACT 164

AN ACT to amend 601.73 (2) (b) of the statutes, relating to: delivery of service of process by the commissioner of insurance or secretary of state (suggested as remedial legislation by the office of the commissioner of insurance).

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

LAW REVISION COMMITTEE PREFATORY NOTE: This bill is a remedial legislation proposal, requested by the office of the commissioner of insurance and introduced by the law revision committee under s. 13.83 (1) (c) 4., stats. After careful consideration of the various provisions of this bill, the law revision committee has determined that this bill makes minor substantive changes in the statutes, and that these changes are desirable as a matter of public policy.

SECTION 1. 601.73 (2) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

601.73 (2) (b) *Process mailed.* The commissioner or secretary of state shall send immediately by certified mail

to the person served, at the person's last-known principal place of business or residence or post-office address or at an address designated in writing by the person, one copy of any process received and shall retain the other copy.

NOTE: Section 601.73 (2) (b), stats., sets forth the places to which the commissioner of insurance or secretary of state may send a copy of process served on a person through the commissioner or secretary. This bill adds the address designated by an insurance company, or an agent, as one of the alternative places to which the commissioner or secretary may send a copy of process.