

1993 Assembly Bill 44

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1993 WISCONSIN ACT 163

AN ACT to amend 48.30 (1) of the statutes, relating to: increasing the period between the issuance of the citation or petition and the hearing in juvenile cases in municipal court.

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

SECTION 1. 48.30 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

48.30 (1) ~~The~~ Except as provided in this subsection, ~~the~~ hearing to determine the child's plea to a citation or a petition under s. 48.12, 48.125 or 48.13 (12), or to determine whether any party wishes to contest an allegation that the child is in need of protection or services, shall take place on a date which allows reasonable time for the parties to prepare but is within 30 days of after the filing of a petition or issuance of a citation for a child who is not

being held in secure custody or within 10 days of ~~after~~ the filing of a petition or issuance of a citation for a child who is being held in secure custody. In a municipal court operated jointly by 2 or more cities, towns or villages under s. 755.01 (4), the hearing to determine the child's plea shall take place within 45 days after the filing of a petition or issuance of a citation for a child who is not being held in secure custody.

SECTION 2. Initial applicability. This act first applies to citations or petitions filed on the effective date of this SECTION.

SECTION 3. Effective date. This act takes effect on the first day of the 2nd month beginning after publication.