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CHAPTER 287.

AN ACT to amend chapter 52 of the statutes of 1898, by adding thereto a section to be known as section 1275b, providing for the laying out of highways in certain cases.

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

Highway from enclosed land in one town to adjoining town, how laid out. SECTION 1. A new section is hereby added to the statutes of 1898, to be numbered and to read as follows: Section 1275b. When any person shall own land that is shut out from all highways by being surrounded on all sides by real estate belonging to other persons, and on account of hills or other natural causes, it is impracticable to lay out a road from said land to a public highway in the town where said land is situate, and it is practicable to lay out a highway from said land to a highway in an adjoining town, said person shall execute an affidavit in duplicate and present one copy to the supervisors of the town where the said land is situated and one copy to the supervisors of the town where the said proposed highway is to be laid out, said affidavit setting forth the facts above stated, together with the facts required in the affidavit provided under section 1275, then the supervisors of the two said towns shall proceed as provided under said section 1275, except that all orders and notices shall be signed by the supervisors of both of said towns and all papers required to be filed shall be made in duplicate and filed with the clerk of each of the said towns; provided, that the amounts assessed as advantages to the applicant shall be paid to the town treasurer of the town where the land of the applicant is situated, before the order laying out such highway shall be filed, and all damages assessed shall be paid by the town where the land of the applicant is situated.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved May 15, 1903.