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CHAPTER 60.

AN ACT to amend 192.56 (2); and to create 192.56 (6) of the statutes, relating to removal of depot buildings and station facilities at nonagency points.

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

SECTION 1. 192.56 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

192.56 (2) *At a station where agency service is provided* the application to said commission for such authorizing order shall set forth the facts showing the necessity for such action by the railroad company, and if the commission finds that the application is sufficient presumptively to justify the order prayed for, it shall enter an order fixing

the time and place of hearing on said application, which time shall not be less than 20 days after the posting provided for in sub. (3).

SECTION 2. 192.56 (6) of the statutes is created to read:

192.56 (6) At a station where no agency service is provided, the application to the commission for such authorizing order shall set forth the facts showing the necessity for such action by the railroad company. Notice of proposed removal or abandonment shall be given by the commission by posting notice in 5 conspicuous places in the town or village concerned; and if within 20 days after the posting of notice no objections in writing are filed with the commission by persons directly affected, an order authorizing the abandonment of the station may be issued by the commission. If such objections to the granting of the order are filed with the commission, the commission shall proceed to hold a hearing in the matter as provided in subs. (4) and (5).

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