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CHAPTER 314

AN ACT to amend 28.13 of the statutes, relating to sale of timber by public auction.

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

28.13 of the statutes is amended to read:

28.13 Every timber sale shall be based on the tree scale, or the scale, measure or count of the cut products as reported by a scaler acceptable to the county board committee charged with the administration of county forests. Any timber sale in excess of \$500 shall be by sealed bid *or public auction* after publication of notice of sale in a newspaper having a general circulation in the county. Timber sale contracts with an estimated value below \$500 may be authorized by the committee. Any sale with an estimated value of \$500 or more shall require indorsement of the county finance committee and where such estimated value exceeds \$1,000, the approval of the conservation director shall also be required.

Approved June 22, 1955.