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**CHAPTER 380.**

AN ACT to amend section 4390 of the statutes of 1898, relating to doors that shall swing outwardly.

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

**What buildings to have; duty of owner.** SECTION 1. Section 4390 of the statutes of 1898 is hereby amended so it shall read as follows: Section 4390. Every building now or hereafter used, in whole or in part, as a public building, public or private institution, hotel, inn, schoolhouse, church, public hall, place of assemblage, or place of public resort, factory or workshop, opera house or office building must be provided with outer doors that shall open or swing outwardly, and when storm doors are used at the entrance of any such building, either inside or outside, said storm doors shall have a glass therein not less than fifteen inches square, which glass shall be not less than four feet from the floor or approach, unless the commissioner of labor and industrial statistics, the factory inspector or assistant factory inspector in his judgment shall deem it otherwise. Any owner, tenant, corporation, person or persons in charge of any of the above named buildings, who shall fail to comply with this section or provide the same with fire escapes according to law, or any architect who shall prepare plans for any building which is required by law to be provided with such doors or with fire escapes, without providing in such plans for the same shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail not longer than ninety days.

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

Approved May 13, 1901.