

than one year, or by fine not exceeding one thousand dollars, or both.

SECTION 2. In the event that those portions of sections 79.01 to 79.17, providing for the raising of a portion of the fund for the construction of the improvement referred to in said sections from the towns, villages and cities constituting the drainage area are finally determined to be invalid, said sections 79.01 to 79.17 shall nevertheless remain in full force and effect with the following changes:

(1) The member of the flood control board who would otherwise be appointed by the governor from the drainage area shall be a resident of a town, village or city containing property found by the commission to be benefited by the improvement.

(2) Any findings and final order made by the commission prior to the determination of such invalidity shall be forthwith modified by the commission to conform to this section, without notice or hearing, and all proceedings thenceforth shall be conducted in conformity with such modified findings and order.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 482.

AN ACT to amend paragraph (a) of subsection (6) of section 29.574; and to create section 29.573 of the statutes, relating to game birds raised on game bird farms, and providing a penalty.

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

SECTION 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (6) of section 29.574 of the statutes is amended to read: (29.574) (6) (a) Such game birds on said farm shall be killed only by the licensee or his employes and each * * * game bird * * * killed shall be distinctly tagged with a tag to be furnished by the conservation commission to the licensee at a cost not exceeding five cents each. Live * * * birds may be sold and transported, pro-

vided that each container carrying such live * * * birds * * * *be tagged with a tag as above.*

SECTION 2. A new section is added to the statutes to read: 29.573 (1) The conservation commission is hereby authorized to issue licenses for shooting preserves and the releasing, shooting, possession and use of pheasants thereon when in the judgment of the commission operations under such licenses will result in a net increase in the supply of pheasants in the state, and will otherwise be in the public interest. A fee of five dollars shall be collected for each such license when the area for which the license is granted shall be three hundred twenty acres or less, and the fee shall be ten dollars when the area is in excess of three hundred twenty acres. All such licenses shall expire on June thirtieth of each year.

(2) No license shall be granted unless the applicant shall own or have under lease the area for which the license is granted. Boundaries of the area licensed shall be clearly defined by at least one strand of wire and such posting as shall be described by the conservation commission.

(3) The conservation commission shall determine the minimum number of pheasants to be released for shooting purposes on the licensed premises and fix the time limits during which said birds may be hunted.

(4) (a) Until the release of said pheasants shall have been certified to and accepted by the commission it shall be unlawful to shoot, attempt to shoot or to otherwise take pheasants on premises licensed under this section, but when said release shall have been certified and accepted by the commission, and when such persons are otherwise lawfully entitled to hunt small game, the licensee and such other persons as he may designate may hunt on the licensed premises, have in possession, and dispose of such pheasants by gift.

(b) A full record covering each item of pheasant shot on the licensed premises shall be kept by the licensee or his designated agent, and a copy of this record under oath shall be filed with the conservation commission not later than June thirtieth of each year, and no such license shall be renewed until such records for the preceding year shall have been filed with and accepted by the commission.

(c) No pheasant of the species licensed shall be removed from the said licensed premises until there shall have been securely attached to each bird a metallic seal, the type and design of which shall be designated by the commission, and such seal shall remain attached to said birds until they are finally prepared for consumption. Such seal shall be supplied by the commission at a cost of five cents each.

(5) Only dead birds which have been killed by shooting shall be removed from premises licensed under this section, and it shall be unlawful to sell or attempt to sell or to buy or attempt to buy any such birds.

(6) (a) The conservation commission is authorized to make such rules and regulations as shall be necessary to carry out the intents and purposes of this section.

(b) Any person violating any of the above provisions shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than three hundred dollars for each offense or by imprisonment in the county jail for a period not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 483.

AN ACT to repeal subsections (8) and (9) of section 76.02, sections 76.05, 76.06, and 76.10, subsection (2) of section 76.28, and sections 76.39 to 76.46; to renumber subsection (5a) of section 76.02, section 76.04, subsection (4) of section 76.08, subsection (2) of section 76.16, and subsection (1a) of section 76.28; to renumber and amend subsections (5), (6), and (7) of section 76.02, sections 76.03 and 76.07, subsections (1) to (3) of section 76.08, sections 76.09, and 76.11 to 76.15, and subsection (1) of section 76.16; to amend paragraph (d) of subsection (1) of section 71.05, sections 76.01, 76.21, and 76.27, subsection (1) of section 76.28, and subsection (1) of section 76.29; to create subsections (5), (6), and (11) of section 76.02,