

shall violate any of the provisions of this section, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than three months, or both.

(b) It shall be the duty of all duly constituted officers of the law of this state, or any political subdivision thereof, to enforce the provisions of this section and to prosecute any persons violating same. The attorney-general of the state or his assistant shall act as legal advisor of the board and render such legal assistance as may be necessary in carrying out the provisions of this section.

(c) If any subsection or subsections of this section shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, this shall not invalidate any other subsection of this section.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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### CHAPTER 487.

AN ACT to appropriate a sum of money therein named for the use and benefit of certain Indians, therein designated, providing for a committee to supervise the distribution of such money and defining the powers and duties of such committee.

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

SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the general fund on July 1, 1931, the sum of thirteen thousand one hundred eighty-six dollars and sixty-two cents for the use and benefit of the Indians of the La Point band, commonly called the Bad River band, at Ashland, Wisconsin, as an emergency appropriation for the purpose of aiding such Indians in agriculture, industry and such other purposes as the committee hereinafter mentioned deems proper. No part of the appropriation shall be paid, directly or indirectly, to any attorneys representing the Indians and not more than five hundred dollars of this appropriation may be used for the payment of expenses incurred by the committee.

SECTION 2. Immediately on the passage of this act the governor shall appoint three persons to act as a committee to supervise and superintend the expenditure and disbursement of such moneys.

SECTION 3. As soon as convenient after their appointment said committee shall meet and organize by the election of a chairman and a secretary.

SECTION 4. Said committee shall make such examination and investigation of the needs and requirements of such band of Indians, and payment of any moneys hereunder shall be on order of such committee in writing, which order shall be signed by the chairman and show that it is approved by a majority of such committee. Upon the presentation of such order to the secretary of state he shall draw a warrant accordingly payable out of the state treasury.

SECTION 5. Said committee in addition to the duties hereinbefore designated shall also investigate what moneys if any are due from the state to any band of Indians, and what Indians now have money in the state treasury and as soon as practicable make a full report to the governor as to such facts. If such facts show that there is in the state treasury belonging to any band or tribe of Indians any sum of money, such sum shall, subject to the approval of the governor, be handled by such committee for the Indians to whom it belongs, in the same manner as is the appropriation provided for in this act.

SECTION 6. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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