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CHAPTER 415.

AN ACT to amend 48.12 (3) (a) of the statutes, relating to detention homes for children.

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

48.12 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

48.12 (3) (a) A detention home established as an agency of the court shall be furnished and conducted, as far as possible, as a family home in charge of a superintendent. *Such home, when approved by the state department of public welfare, may be a part of a public building in which there is a prison, jail, lockup or police station if it is so physically segregated from such prison, jail, lockup or police station that children detained in the home cannot communicate with or view adult prisoners convicted of, under arrest for or charged with crime.* The judge may appoint a superintendent and other necessary personnel for the personal care and education of the children in such home, subject to civil service regulations in counties having civil service. In counties having a population of 500,000 or over, the office of superintendent of the detention home shall be combined with that of chief probation officer of the juvenile court as provided for in section 48.02 (1) of the statutes whenever the county board of such county shall so determine.

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CHAPTER 416.

AN ACT to amend 201.18 (1) of the statutes, relating to insurance reserves.

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

201.18 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

201.18 (1) The unearned premium or reinsurance reserve for every insurance company when no other statutory provision is made therefor, shall be computed by the commissioner by setting up 50 per cent of the premiums received on all risks

that have one year or less to run, and pro rata of all premiums on risks that have more than one year to run. *Where policies are written for a period of more than one year and the premium is paid on an annual basis, the reserve shall be computed at 50 per cent of the premium received each year. In the case of perpetual risks or policies, * * * not less than 90 per cent of the premium deposit shall be set up as a reserve. Every such company shall show its reserve, computed upon this basis, as a liability in the annual statement required by section 201.50.*

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CHAPTER 417.

AN ACT to renumber 348.07 to be 348.07 (1) and to create 348.07 (2) of the statutes, relating to sale of gaming devices, and providing a penalty.

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

SECTION 1. 348.07 of the statutes is renumbered 348.07 (1).

SECTION 2. 348.07 (2) of the statutes is created to read:

348.07 (2) Any person who shall sell or have in his possession with intent to sell any roulette wheel, slot machine, punch board, numbers jar or other machine, construction or device of whatsoever kind or nature constituting a gambling device per se shall be punished as prescribed in subsection (1). Proof of possession of any such device under circumstances not constituting a violation of subsection (1) or of section 348.09 is prima facie evidence of intent to sell the same.

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