

(7) Pursuant to rules, regulations, and standards prescribed by the state board of vocational and adult education, the board may * * * provide maintenance cost during actual training * * * to handicapped persons registered for rehabilitation services, except * * * that no maintenance cost shall be provided to persons receiving maintenance cost under section 102.61 of the workmen's compensation * * * act * * *.

SECTION 2. 41.71 (13) of the statutes is created to read:

41.71 (13) It shall be unlawful, except for purposes directly connected with the administration of the vocational rehabilitation program, and in accordance with rules and regulations prescribed by the state board, for any person or persons to solicit, disclose, receive, or make use of, or authorize, knowingly permit, participate in, or acquiesce in the use of any list of, or names of, or any information concerning, persons applying for or receiving vocational rehabilitation, directly or indirectly derived from the records, papers, files, or communications of the state or subdivisions or agencies thereof, or acquired in the course of the performance of official duties. Any person who shall violate any provision of this section or rules and regulations prescribed thereunder, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine not exceeding \$500, or by imprisonment not exceeding 6 months, or both.

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CHAPTER 55.

AN ACT to amend 44.01 of the statutes, relating to powers of the state historical society.

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

44.01 of the statutes is amended to read:

44.01 The state historical society of Wisconsin, organized under an act of the legislature approved on March 4, 1853, shall continue to possess the powers and privileges thereby conferred, subject to the * * * provisions of this chapter and such laws as shall hereafter be enacted, and its acceptance of the benefits herein granted and renewed shall be conclusively deemed

its complete acquiescence therein. Said society shall be the trustee of the state, and as such shall faithfully expend and apply all money received from the state to the uses and purposes directed by law, and shall hold all its present and future collections and property for the state; and shall not sell, mortgage, transfer or dispose of in any manner, or remove, except for temporary purposes, from * * * *its building or buildings* any article therein without authority of law; * * * *except that the society * * * may sell * * * or * * * exchange its publications, * * * and may sell, exchange or otherwise * * * dispose of duplicate books * * *, periodicals or museum objects, or books, periodicals or museum objects outside of its field of collection to other public libraries, schools, museums or other educational or charitable institutions * * * or their agents.* There shall continue to be a board of curators of said society, constituted with substantially the same powers as at present, of which the governor, secretary of state and state treasurer shall be ex officio members and take care that the interests of the state are protected. The society *may acquire property, real or personal, by gift, bequest or otherwise, in any amount and may sell for such price and upon such conditions as its finance committee may deem best for its interests, and convey real estate acquired by it by gift or bequest or through the foreclosure of any mortgage.*

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CHAPTER 56.

AN ACT to repeal and recreate 44.02 of the statutes, relating to duties of the state historical society.

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

44.02 of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

44.02 HISTORICAL SOCIETY: DUTIES. It shall be the duty of the state historical society:

(1) To serve as trustee of the state in the preservation and care of all records, both printed and written, and all articles and other materials of historic interest and significance placed