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## CHAPTER 195.

AN ACT to amend 57.04 (1) of the statutes, relating to probation of misdemeanants and persons convicted under section 351.30, and providing a penalty.

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

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

57.04 (1) When a person is convicted of a misdemeanor or of a violation of section 351.30 the court having jurisdiction (whether a court of record or otherwise) may, by order, withhold sentence or impose sentence and stay its execution and in either case place him on probation for a period not less than one year nor more than 2 years (except that in counties having a population of over 500,000 a shorter minimum period of probation may be ordered) and may, as a condition of such order or continuing it, require him to pay a fine or make restitution, or both, as the court determines, and the court may authorize the probation officer to accept payment in instalments.

Approved May 28, 1949.