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CHAPTER 471.

AN ACT to amend 245.36 of the statutes, relating to legitimation of children.

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

245.36 of the statutes is amended to read:

245.36 In any and every case where the father and mother of an illegitimate child or children shall lawfully intermarry, except where the parental rights of the mother were terminated prior thereto, such child or children shall thereby become legitimated and enjoy all the rights and privileges of legitimacy as if they had been born during the wedlock of their parents; and this section shall be taken to apply to all cases prior to its date, as well as those subsequent thereto; provided, that no estate already vested shall be divested by section 237.06 and sections 245.12 to 245.38. The issue of all marriages declared null in law shall, nevertheless, be legitimate.

Approved June 27, 1951.