No. 486, A.]

[Published September 3, 1959.

CHAPTER 360

AN ACT to amend 100.03 (2) (b) of the statutes, relating to the payment to growers of canning crops.

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

100.03 (2) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

100.03 (2) (b) Make and file with the department an agreement providing for the "set aside" of the processed produce equivalent to not less than 30 per cent of the produce obtained from producers, in trust for such producers. The agreement shall provide that no part of such "set aside" shall be released by the trustee unless an amount equivalent to the value of such released by the trustee unless an amount equivalent to the value of such released portion * * * has been paid to apply pro rata on the claims of producers or is paid over to the trustee for such payment. The agreement shall designate the individual who shall be responsible for carrying out the agreement on behalf of the applicant, and shall be signed by him and by a trustee approved by the department. Wilful failure of such individual or such trustee to carry out the terms of the agreement to the prejudice of such producers shall be fined not to exceed \$10,000 or imprisoned not to exceed one year, or both. The applicant shall agree to pay all expenses of such trust. The department may release the "set aside" upon the filing of a current financial statement.

Approved August 28, 1959.