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CHAPTER 232

AN ACT to amend 16.51 (7) of the statutes, relating to payment of claims by counties for the return of prisoners.

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

16.51 (7) Receive, examine, determine and audit claims, duly certified and approved by the state department of public welfare, from the county clerk of any county in behalf of such county, which are presented for payment to reimburse such county for certain expenses incurred or paid by it on and after July 1, 1937, in reference to all matters growing out of the return of escaped convicts * * * from the state prisons as defined in s. 53.01. Expenses shall only include such amounts as were necessarily incurred and actually paid and shall be no more than the legitimate cost would be to any other county had the offense or crime occurred therein.

Approved August 2, 1963.