Senate Bill 309

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CHAPTER 207, LAWS OF 1967

AN ACT to amend 6.85 of the statutes, relating to absentee voting by members of a sequestered jury.

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

SECTION 1. 6.85 of the statutes is amended to read:

6.85 An absent elector is any otherwise qualified elector who is or expects to be absent from the municipality in which he is a qualified elector on election day whether by reason of active service in the U.S. armed forces or for any other reason, or who because of sickness, physical disability, jury duty or religious reasons cannot appear at the polling place in his precinct. Any otherwise qualified elector who changes his residence within this state after registration closes but who fails to change his registration may vote an absentee ballot in the precinct where qualified to vote before moving. Any elector qualifying under this section may vote by absentee ballot under ss. 6.86 to 6.89.

Section 2. This act shall take effect on July 1, 1967, or on its passage and publication, whichever occurs later.

Approved November 6, 1967.