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CHAPTER 404.

AN ACT to create 180.025 of the statutes, relating to veterans' corporations and protection thereof.

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

180.025 of the statutes is created to read:

180.025 VETERANS; CORPORATIONS. Whenever any corporation shall be formed under chapters 180 and 188 for the purpose of assisting veterans of any war of the United States, or operating social clubs in which the name "veteran" appears, the secretary of state shall investigate the same to ascertain the character thereof, and whether or not the same has been procured by fraudulent representation or concealment of any material fact relating to such veteran's name, purpose, membership, organization, management, or control or other material fact. In the event the secretary of state shall so find, such findings, misrepresentation or concealment shall be reported to the attorney-general, and the attorney-general thereupon shall as provided in section 286.33 bring an action to vacate or annul such corporate charter.

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CHAPTER 405.

AN ACT to amend 196.405 (1) and (2) and to repeal and recreate 196.40 of the statutes relating to orders of the public service commission and rehearings upon such orders.

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

SECTION 1. 196.40 of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

196.40 ORDERS AND DETERMINATIONS; TIME OF TAKING EFFECT. Every decision made by the commission constituting an order or determination shall be in force and effective 20 days after the same has been filed and has been served by personal delivery or by mailing a copy thereof to all parties to the pro-