

**§202. Oaths and acknowledgments**

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**SECTION HISTORY**

PL 1979, c. 540, §6 (AMD). PL 1981, c. 456, §A5 (AMD). PL 2025, c. 168, §1 (AMD).

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