

## CHAPTER 56.

[ H. B. 219. ]

## STANDARDS OF QUALITY OF DAIRY FOODS.

AN ACT relating to the standards of quality of dairy products and the powers of the Director of the State Department of Agriculture with reference thereto during the war emergency; and amending section 92, chapter 7, Laws of 1921 (section 10850, Remington's Revised Statutes; section 4-92, Pierce's Code); and declaring an emergency.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:*

Amendments. SECTION 1. Section 92, chapter 7, Laws of 1921 (section 10850, Remington's Revised Statutes; section 4-92, Pierce's Code), is amended to read as follows:

Duty of Director of Agriculture. Section 92. The Director of Agriculture shall have the power, and it shall be his duty, through and by means of the division of dairy and live stock:

Destroy diseased animals. (1) To exercise all the powers and perform all the duties relating to diseases among domestic animals, the quarantine and destruction of diseased animals, now vested in, and required to be performed by, the Commissioner of Agriculture;

Regulate dairies and milk products. (2) To exercise all the powers and perform all the duties relating to milk, milk products, and dairies and dairy products, now vested in, and required to be performed by, the Commissioner of Agriculture;

Registration of stallions and jacks. (3) To exercise all the powers and perform all the duties relating to the registration of stallions and jacks, now vested in, and required to be performed by, the Commissioner of Agriculture;

Enforce livestock laws. (4) To enforce and supervise the administration of all laws relating to dairies, dairy products, live stock, and dairy and live stock interests: *Provided, however,* That during the present war emergency the Director of Agriculture, through and by the means of the Division of Dairy and Live Stock may cause to be maintained the federal standards of qual-

War emergency standards.

ity and manufacture of milk and milk products notwithstanding other and different standards heretofore maintained by virtue of any administrative regulation or statutory requirement of the State of Washington.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the peace, health and welfare of the state and its institutions and in furtherance of its contribution to the war effort and shall take effect immediately, but shall expire not later than April 1, 1945, unless re-enacted.

Effective  
Immediately.

Expires  
April 1, 1945.

Passed the House February 12, 1943.

Passed the Senate February 27, 1943.

Approved by the Governor March 3, 1943.

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## CHAPTER 57.

[ H. B. 191. ]

### CONSTRUCTION, OPERATION AND REPAIR OF IRRIGATION DITCHES.

AN ACT relating to irrigation districts, to the maintenance, operation, repair, construction and reconstruction of ditches, laterals, pipe lines and other water conduits which are used or will be used to carry water for irrigation purposes to irrigate lands located within the boundaries of a city or town, providing for the payment of the cost thereof by the city or town, and providing for the withholding of the delivery of water until the charges are paid, amending section 7417-2 of Remington's Compiled Statutes of Washington, as amended by section 1, chapter 31, Laws of 1933, and declaring that this act shall take effect immediately.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:*

SECTION 1. That section 7417-2, Remington's  
Compiled Statutes as amended by section 1, chapter 31, Laws of 1933, be amended to read as follows:

Amendments.

Section 7417-2. Any irrigation district, operating and maintaining an irrigation system, in addition to other powers conferred by law, shall have authority:

Irrigation  
district  
authority.