

CHAPTER 16.

[ S. B. 43. ]

TOWNS—VALIDATION OF  
INCORPORATION, ANNEXATION.

AN ACT Relating to municipal corporations of the fourth class commonly known as towns, validating certain incorporations thereof and annexations of territory thereto; repealing section 5, chapter 277, Laws of 1961; and declaring an emergency.

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

Incorporations,  
annexations,  
validated.

SECTION 1. Any incorporation of a municipal corporation of the fourth class and any annexation of territory to a municipal corporation of the fourth class prior to the effective date of this act, which is otherwise valid except for compliance with the limitation to the area of one square mile as prescribed by section 15, page 141, Laws of 1889-90, is hereby validated and declared to be a valid incorporation or annexation in all respects.

Repeal.

SEC. 2. Section 5, chapter 277, Laws of 1961 is hereby repealed.

Emergency.

SEC. 3. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the Senate March 25, 1961.

Passed the House March 26, 1961.

Approved by the Governor March 31, 1961.