

if appealed, may be stayed by the board or by the reviewing court upon such terms as is deemed proper.

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CHAPTER 59

[Engrossed House Bill No. 393]
STATE PAYROLLS AND DEDUCTIONS--
STATE PAYROLL REVOLVING FUND

AN ACT Relating to payment of public officers and employees and other payees; amending section 1, chapter 130, Laws of 1891, as amended by section 1, chapter 25, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and RCW 42.16.010; amending section 2, chapter 25, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and RCW 42.16.011; amending section 4, chapter 25, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and RCW 42.16.013; amending section 5, chapter 25, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and RCW 42.16.014; and adding new sections to chapter 41.04 RCW.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

Section 1. Section 1, chapter 130, Laws of 1891, as amended by section 1, chapter 25, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and RCW 42.16.010 are each amended to read as follows:

The salaries of all state officers and employees shall be paid monthly on the last day of each month unless the budget director shall establish different dates in accordance with RCW 42.16.017: PROVIDED, That the budget director may adopt or authorize adoption of semi-monthly or more frequent payment schedules for state agencies, in his discretion: AND PROVIDED FURTHER, That schedules for the payment of compensation more often than semi-monthly may be adopted only upon the written requests of state agencies, and only for the purpose of conforming state payment schedules for classes of employees in specific trades or occupations to customary schedules prevailing in private industries.

Sec. 2. Section 2, chapter 25, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and RCW 42.16.011 are each amended to read as follows:

A state payroll revolving fund and an agency payroll revolving

fund are created in the state treasury, for the payment of compensation to employees and officers of the state and distribution of all amounts withheld therefrom pursuant to law and amounts authorized by employees to be withheld pursuant to ~~((regulations-of-the-budget-director))~~ law; also for the payment of the state's contribution for retirement and insurance and other employee benefits: PROVIDED, That the utilization of the state payroll revolving fund shall be optional except for agencies whose payrolls are ~~((not))~~ prepared ~~((by))~~ under a centralized system established pursuant to regulations of the budget director: PROVIDED FURTHER, That the utilization of the agency payroll revolving fund shall be optional for agencies whose operations are funded in whole or part other than by funds appropriated from the state treasury.

Sec. 3. Section 4, chapter 25, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and RCW 42.16.013 are each amended to read as follows:

The state treasurer shall make such transfers to the state payroll revolving fund in the amounts to be disbursed as certified by the respective agencies: PROVIDED, That if the payroll is prepared ~~((by-the-budget-director))~~ on behalf of an agency from data authenticated and certified by the agency under a centralized system established pursuant to regulation of the budget director, the state treasurer shall make the transfer upon the certification of ~~((the budget-director))~~ the head of the agency preparing the centralized payroll or his designee.

Sec. 4. Section 5, chapter 25, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and RCW 42.16.014 are each amended to read as follows:

Disbursements from the revolving funds created by RCW 42.16.010 through 42.16.017 shall be by warrant in accordance with the provisions of RCW 43.88.160: PROVIDED, That when ~~((the-budget-director-prepares the-payroll-for-an-agency,-disbursement-on-behalf-of-the-agency-shall be-made-upon-his-certification,--in-the-case-of-such-payrolls-prepared by-the-budget-director-for-other-agencies,-disbursements))~~ the payroll is prepared under a centralized system established pursuant to reg-

ulations of the budget director, disbursements on behalf of the agency shall be certified by the head of the agency preparing the centralized payroll or his designee: PROVIDED FURTHER, That disbursements from a centralized paying agency representing amounts withheld, and/or contributions, for payment to any individual payee on behalf of several agencies, may be by single warrant representing the aggregate amounts payable by all such agencies to such payee. The procedure for disbursement and certification of these aggregate amounts shall be established by the budget director.

All payments to employees or other payees, from the revolving funds created by RCW 42.16.010 through 42.16.017, whether certified by an agency or by the budget director on behalf of such agency, shall be made wherever possible by a single warrant reflecting on its face the amount charged to each revolving fund.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. There is added to chapter 41.04 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Any official of the state authorized to disburse funds in payment of salaries and wages of public officers or employees is authorized, upon written request of the officer or employee, to deduct each month from the salaries or wages of the officers or employees, the amount of money designated by the officer or employee for payment of the following:

(1) Credit union deductions: PROVIDED, That the credit union is organized solely for public employees: AND PROVIDED FURTHER, That twenty-five or more employees of a single state agency or a total of one hundred or more state employees of several agencies have authorized such a deduction for payment to the same credit union.

(2) Parking fee deductions: PROVIDED, That payment is made for parking facilities furnished by the agency or by the department of general administration.

(3) U.S. Savings Bond deductions: PROVIDED, That a person within the particular agency shall be appointed to act as trustee. The trustee will receive all contributions; purchase and deliver all

bond certificates; and keep such records and furnish such bond or security as will render full accountability for all bond contributions.

(4) Board, lodging or uniform deductions when such board, lodging and uniforms are furnished by the state, or deductions for academic tuitions or fees or scholarship contributions payable to the employing institution.

(5) Dues and other fees deductions: PROVIDED, That the deduction is for payment of membership dues to any professional organization formed primarily for public employees or college and university professors: AND PROVIDED, FURTHER, That twenty-five or more employees of a single state agency, or a total of one hundred or more state employees of several agencies have authorized such a deduction for payment to the same professional organization.

(6) Labor or employee organization dues may be deducted in the event that a payroll deduction is not provided under a collective bargaining agreement under the provisions of RCW 41.06.150: PROVIDED, That twenty-five or more officers or employees of a single agency, or a total of one hundred or more officers or employees of several agencies have authorized such a deduction for payment to the same labor or employee organization: PROVIDED, FURTHER, That labor or employee organizations with five hundred or more members in state government may have payroll deduction for employee benefit programs.

(7) Accident, health, casualty, or medical, surgical and hospital premiums to a single insurer: PROVIDED, That twenty-five or more officers or employees of a single agency, or a total of one hundred or more officers or employees of several agencies have authorized such a deduction for payment to that insurer.

Deductions from salaries and wages of public officers and employees other than those enumerated in this section or by other law, may be authorized by the budget director for purposes clearly related to state employment or goals and objectives of the agency.

The authority to make deductions from the salaries and wages of public officers and employees as provided for in this section shall be in ad-

dition to such other authority as may be provided by law.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 6. There is added to chapter 41.04 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Any official of the state authorized to disburse funds in payment of salaries and wages of public officers or employees is authorized upon written request of the officer or employee to whom salaries or wages are to be paid, to pay the same to any bank designated by the officers or employees for credit to their accounts: PROVIDED, That designated banks are qualified state depositories: AND PROVIDED FURTHER, That twenty-five or more officers or employees of an agency must authorize direct deposits to the same bank. A single warrant may be drawn in favor of such bank, for the total amount due the officers or employees involved, and written directions provided to such bank of the amount to be credited to the account of each officer or employee. The issuance and delivery by the disbursing officer of a warrant in accordance with the procedure set forth herein and proper indorsement thereof by the bank shall have the same legal effect as payment directly to the officer or employee.

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CHAPTER 60
[House Bill No. 549]
DAIRY PRODUCTS COMMISSION--
ASSESSMENTS ON MILK AND CREAM

AN ACT Relating to agriculture and marketing; levying assessments and establishing procedures for assessments upon milk and cream; amending section 15.44.080, chapter 11, Laws of 1961 as amended by section 1, chapter 44, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. and RCW 15-.44.080; and amending section 15.44.130, chapter 11, Laws of 1961 and RCW 15.44.130.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

Section 1. Section 15.44.080, chapter 11, Laws of 1961 as amended by section 1, chapter 44, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. and RCW 15-.44.080 are each amended to read as follows:

There is hereby levied upon all milk and cream produced in this