

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

Section 1. Section 3, chapter 125, Laws of 1951 as last amended by section 5, chapter 83, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 2.08.061 are each amended to read as follows:

There shall be in the county of King ~~((twenty-six))~~ twenty-nine judges of the superior court; in the county of Spokane ~~((seven))~~ eight judges of the superior court; in the county of Pierce ten judges of the superior court.

Sec. 2. Section 5, chapter 125, Laws of 1951 as last amended by section 1, chapter 83, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 2.08.063 are each amended to read as follows:

There shall be in the county of Lincoln one judge of the superior court; in the county of Skagit, two judges of the superior court; in the county of Walla Walla, two judges of the superior court; in the county of Whitman, one judge of the superior court; in the county of Yakima ~~((four))~~ five judges of the superior court; in the county of Adams, one judge of the superior court; in the county of Whatcom, two judges of the superior court.

Sec. 3. Section 7, chapter 125, Laws of 1951 as last amended by section 2, chapter 83, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 2.08.065 are each amended to read as follows:

There shall be in the counties of Douglas and Grant jointly, two judges of the superior court; in the counties of Ferry and Okanogan jointly, one judge of the superior court; in the counties of Mason and Thurston jointly, ~~((three))~~ four judges of the superior court; in the counties of Pacific and Wahkiakum jointly, one judge of the superior court; in the counties of Pend Oreille and Stevens jointly, one judge of the superior court; and in the counties of San Juan and Island jointly, one judge of the superior court: PROVIDED, That this act shall only take effect in the event the legislature shall appropriate funds for the 1973-75 biennium to carry out the purpose of this 1973 act.

Passed the Senate March 24, 1973.

Passed the House April 5, 1973.

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CHAPTER 28

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2312]

PUBLIC PRINTING--LEGAL NOTICES--

RATES INCREASED

AN ACT Relating to rates for printing; amending section 36.72.050,

chapter 4, Laws of 1963 as amended by section 1, chapter 43, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 36.72.050; and amending section 4, chapter 99, Laws of 1921 as last amended by section 1, chapter 57, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and RCW 65.16.090.

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Section 1. Section 36.72.050, chapter 4, Laws of 1963 as amended by section 1, chapter 43, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 36.72.050 are each amended to read as follows:

The county auditor, at least five weeks, but not more than eight weeks, before the meeting of the ((board of county commissioners)) county legislative authority in April of each year, shall advertise for proposals for the public printing, for the term of one year, beginning on the first day of July following, which advertisement shall be inserted for four consecutive weeks in the official newspaper of the county, or if there is no official newspaper, then in some other newspaper published in the county, or in a county adjacent to such county, and having a general circulation therein.

The ((board of county commissioners)) county legislative authority shall not be compelled in any event to accept any bid for a greater price than ((three)) four dollars and twenty cents per folio of one hundred words for the first insertion, and ((two dollars and forty)) three dollars and fifteen cents per folio of one hundred words for each subsequent insertion, or its equivalent in number of words.

Sec. 2. Section 4, chapter 99, Laws of 1921 as last amended by section 1, chapter 57, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and RCW 65.16.090 are each amended to read as follows:

Where publication of legal notices is required or allowed by law, the person or officer desiring the publication shall pay on a basis of ((three)) four dollars and twenty cents per folio of one hundred words for the first insertion and ((two dollars and forty)) three dollars and fifteen cents per folio of one hundred words for each subsequent insertion, or its equivalent in number of words: PROVIDED, That a newspaper having a circulation of over fifteen thousand copies each issue may charge such additional rate as it deems necessary and just and any person or officer authorizing the publication of a legal notice in such newspaper may legally pay such rate as is charged by it: PROVIDED FURTHER, That this section shall not apply to the amount to be charged for the publication of a legal notice or advertisement for a school district, city, town, county, state, municipal, or quasi municipal corporation or the United States

government.

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CHAPTER 29

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2840]

PUBLIC WORKS EMPLOYMENT--BORDER STATES--

RECIPROCAL RESIDENCY EXEMPTION

AN ACT Relating to employees on public works; and amending section 1, chapter 28, Laws of 1972 ex. sess. and RCW 39.16.005.

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

Section. 1. Section 1, chapter 28, Laws of 1972 ex. sess. and RCW 39.16.005 are each amended to read as follows:

In all contracts let by the state, or any department thereof, or any county, city, or town for the erection, construction, alteration, demolition, or repair of any public building, structure, bridge, highway, or any other kind of public work or improvement, the contractor or subcontractor shall employ ninety-five percent or more bona fide Washington residents as employees where more than forty persons are employed, and ninety percent or more bona fide Washington residents as employees where forty or less persons are employed (~~except that any contractor or subcontractor may employ not more than five persons without regard to the residency requirements stated herein in the performance of any such contract: PROVIDED; That the state of the residence of the contractor or subcontractor provides reciprocal rights to Washington contractors or subcontractors~~). The contractor shall pay the standard prevailing wages for the specific type of construction as determined by the United States department of labor in the city or county where the work is being performed. The term "resident", as used in this chapter, shall mean any person who has been a bona fide resident of the state of Washington for a period of ninety days prior to such employment: PROVIDED, That in contracts involving the expenditure of federal aid funds this chapter shall not be enforced in such manner to conflict with or be contrary to the federal statutes, rules, and regulations prescribing a labor preference to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors, and marines, or prohibiting as unlawful any other preference or discrimination among the citizens of the United States: PROVIDED FURTHER, That this section shall not apply to any employees who are residents of any state bordering on the state of Washington if such bordering state