

CHAPTER 47.

[H. B. 274.]

COMMISSION CITIES—COMPENSATION OF OFFICERS.

AN ACT relating to cities operating under the commission form of government, and amending chapter 35.17, R.C.W., by adding a new section thereto, and declaring an emergency.

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

Amendment.

SECTION 1. Chapter 35.17, R.C.W., as derived from chapter 116, Laws of 1911, as amended, is amended by adding a new section thereto to read as follows:

Cities of 7,000 to 14,000 operating public utilities.

In cities having a population of seven thousand and less than fourteen thousand and operating public utilities having a gross annual income of three hundred thousand dollars, the annual salary of the mayor shall be two thousand five hundred dollars, the annual salary of the commissioner of finance and accounting shall be three thousand dollars, and the annual salary of the commissioner of public works shall be two thousand five hundred dollars.

The salaries of the mayor and the commissioners shall be payable on a monthly basis.

Emergency.

SEC. 2. 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 House February 21, 1951.

Passed the Senate March 6, 1951.

Approved by the Governor March 12, 1951.