

CHAPTER 8.

[S. B. 37.]

APPROPRIATION—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
AND INDUSTRIES.

AN ACT appropriating fifty thousand dollars to the department of labor and industries for the payment of appeals costs including attorneys' fees and court costs; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. For the biennium ending March 31, 1953, there is hereby appropriated from the accident fund the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars and from the medical aid fund the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars for the department of labor and industries for the payment of appeals costs, including attorneys' fees and court costs. Appropriation.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the support of the state government, and shall take effect immediately. Emergency.

Passed the Senate January 21, 1953.

Passed the House February 4, 1953.

Approved by the Governor February 9, 1953.

CHAPTER 9.

[H. B. 38.]

ALIEN LAND LAW.

AN ACT relating to the Alien Land Law; granting certain Canadian citizens and certain corporations the right to own or lease land within this state; and amending chapter 64.16, RCW, by adding a new section thereto.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 64.16, RCW, as derived from chapter 50, Laws of 1921, as last amended by chap- Amendment.

ter 220, Laws of 1937, is amended by adding a new section thereto as follows:

Canadian
citizens.

Canadian
stockholders.

Canadian
corporations.

In accordance with public policy of the state of Washington herein declared, the right to own or lease land within this state is hereby granted (1) to citizens of such of the provinces of the Dominion of Canada as do not expressly or by implication prohibit ownership of provincial lands by citizens of this state, and (2) to corporations organized under the laws of this or any other state, a majority of whose capital stock is owned by citizens of such provinces of Canada, and/or by one or more separate and distinct corporations organized by special act of the Parliament of Canada or under the laws of the Dominion of Canada or of such provinces of the Dominion of Canada and/or by any combination of the foregoing with other persons eligible to own land in this state.

Passed the House January 27, 1953.

Passed the Senate February 5, 1953.

Approved by the Governor February 10, 1953.

CHAPTER 10.

[H. B. 4.]

ALIEN LAND LAW.

AN ACT relating to the Alien Land Law; redefining alien as such term refers to corporations; and amending section 64.16.010, RCW, as derived from section 1, chapter 50, Laws of 1921; and repealing section 23.08.110, RCW.

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

Amendment.

SECTION 1. Section 64.16.010, RCW, as derived from section 1, chapter 50, Laws of 1921, as amended by chapter 220 of the Laws of 1937, is amended to read as follows:

Definitions.

In this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires: