

CHAPTER 141.

[H. B. 338.]

CHRISTMAS TREE DEALERS.

AN ACT relating to evergreen trees, commonly known as Christmas trees, providing for licensing of dealers therein and shippers thereof, and prescribing penalties for violation of the act.

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

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell, ship and/or transport to a point outside of the State of Washington any evergreen tree, commonly known as a Christmas tree, including fir, hemlock, spruce and pine trees without first obtaining a license so to do, as provided in this act, and no person, firm or corporation, railroad, automobile transportation company, steamship company, or other common carrier shall accept for shipment or transportation, or transport or carry any such trees to any point outside the State of Washington unless the shipper thereof shall exhibit a license issued to the shipper under the provisions of this act.

Unlawful to sell, ship or transport without license.

Common carriers not to accept for shipment.

SEC. 2. Application for such license shall be made to the director of licenses and shall be accompanied by a fee of \$10.00 which shall within twenty-four hours after its receipt be paid to the state treasurer, who shall deposit the same in the forest development fund. Upon receipt of the fee herein provided the director of licenses shall issue to the applicant a license, a copy of which shall be filed with the state supervisor of forestry, which license shall authorize the licensee to sell, ship and/or transport such trees until the first day of January following the date of its issue.

Application for license.

Period.

SEC. 3. Within thirty days after the first day of January of each year every licensee under the pro-

Licensee to report.

visions of this act shall file with the state supervisor of forestry a written report subscribed and sworn to before any officer authorized to take acknowledgment of deeds, showing the number of Christmas trees sold during the period the license was in effect, the name of the person, firm or corporation from whom said trees were acquired and the legal description of the property from which such trees were cut; and in the case of a shipment to a point outside of this state, in addition to such information, the place to which said trees were shipped.

Violation
of act
misdemeanor.

SEC. 4. Violation of the provisions of this act shall constitute a misdemeanor.

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Approved by the Governor March 20, 1929.

CHAPTER 142.

[H. B. 186.]

DELINQUENT LOCAL IMPROVEMENT BONDS AND WARRANTS.

AN ACT relating to delinquent local improvement district bonds or warrants and to property acquired and held in trust by cities and towns through foreclosure of delinquent local improvement assessments; and providing for the liquidation of such bonds or warrants and the sale of such property and the termination of such trusts.

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

Property
acquired by
cities
through
sale of lands
for delin-
quent assess-
ments.

SECTION 1. That whenever any city or town has heretofore acquired or hereafter acquires any property through foreclosure of delinquent local improvement assessments thereon, and holds such property in trust pursuant to the provisions of section 9384 of Remington's Compiled Statutes of Washington as the same read prior to the amend-