

CHAPTER 94.

[Sub. H. B. 33.]

PORT DISTRICTS—INLAND AREAS.

AN ACT relating to port districts; adding a new section to chapter 92, Laws of 1911 and to chapter 53.04 RCW; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. There is added to chapter 92, Laws of 1911 and to chapter 53.04 RCW a new section to read as follows:

New
section.

In those counties of this state wherein port districts may not otherwise be established due to inability to provide harbor improvements because of the lack of appropriate bodies of water within such counties, port districts for the acquisition, construction, maintenance, operation, development and regulation of a system of commercial transportation and industrial improvements, including air, land and water transfer and terminal facilities therein are hereby authorized to be established under the laws of this state, as set forth in Title 53 RCW as now or hereafter amended, with all the powers, privileges and immunities conferred upon such port districts by law. Such port districts as are established under the authority of this section shall have the same power and right regarding municipal airports as other port districts now have or may hereafter be granted.

Inland
port districts
authorized.

SEC. 2. Section 1 of this amendatory act shall not be construed to repeal, amend or modify any law heretofore enacted providing a method of harbor improvement, regulation or control; acquisition, maintenance and operation of municipal airports; or industrial development; but shall be held to be an additional and concurrent method providing such purposes.

Act supple-
mental.

Elections under act.

SEC. 3. All elections with respect to any such port districts authorized by this act shall be held, conducted and the results canvassed in the same manner and at the same time as now or hereafter provided by law for other port districts.

Emergency.

SEC. 4. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the peace, health and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the House February 20, 1959.

Passed the Senate March 4, 1959.

Approved by the Governor March 10, 1959.

CHAPTER 95.

[H. B. 170.]

STATUTE LAW COMMITTEE.

AN ACT relating to the statute law committee; amending section 1, chapter 157, Laws of 1951 as last amended by section 1, chapter 235, Laws of 1955, and RCW 1.08.001; amending section 2, chapter 157, Laws of 1951 as last amended by section 2, chapter 235, Laws of 1955, and RCW 1.08.003; amending section 11, chapter 157, Laws of 1951 and RCW 1.08.025; amending section 9, chapter 257, Laws of 1953 and RCW 1.08.026; amending section 17, chapter 157, Laws of 1951 as amended by section 3, chapter 5, Laws of 1955, and RCW 1.08.050; and declaring an emergency.

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

RCW 1.08.001 amended.

SECTION 1. Section 1, chapter 157, Laws of 1951 as last amended by section 1, chapter 235, Laws of 1955, and RCW 1.08.001 are each amended to read as follows:

Permanent statute law committee created.

There is created a permanent statute law committee consisting of twelve lawyer members as follows: A lawyer member of the legislative council, ex officio, designated by the speaker of the house of