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SEC. 13. An emergency exists and this act shall take emergency effect immediately.

Passed by the Senate March 4, 1909.
Passed by the House March 10, 1909.
Approved March 12, 1909.

CHAPTER 83.
[S. B. 228.]
RELATING TO ACTIONS FOR TORT.

AN ACT providing that all claims for damages sounding in tort against any city of the first class must set forth a statement of the actual residence of the claimant at the date of presenting such claim and for six months immediately prior to the time such claim for damage accrued, and providing that such claims for damages shall comply in all other respects with valid charter provisions of any such city relating to such claims for damages, and declaring mandatory the provisions hereof.

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

SECTION 1. That whenever a claim for damages sounding in tort against any city of the first class shall be presented to and filed with the city clerk or other proper officer of such city, in compliance with valid charter provisions of such city, such claim must contain, in addition to the valid requirements of such city charter relating thereto, a statement of the actual residence of such claimant, by street and number, at the date of presenting and filing such claim; and also a statement of the actual residence of such claimant for six months immediately prior to the time such claim for damages accrued.

SEC. 2. That nothing in this act shall be construed as in any wise modifying, limiting or repealing any valid provision of the charter of any such city relating to such claims for damages, but the provisions of this act shall be in addition to such charter provisions, and such claims for
damages, in all other respects, shall conform to and comply with such charter provisions.

SEC. 3. That compliance with the provisions of this act is hereby declared to be mandatory upon all such claimants presenting and filing any such claims for damages.

Passed by the Senate February 18, 1909.
Passed by the House March 5, 1909.
Approved March 11, 1909.

CHAPTER 84.
[S. B. 251.]
PROHIBITING WHOLESALE LIQUOR DEALERS FROM OWNING SALOON BUILDINGS.

AN ACT to prohibit any manufacturer of or wholesale dealer in intoxicating liquor from owning, operating or having any financial interest in any saloon or other retail liquor store or in any retail liquor license in the State of Washington or to become surety on any liquor dealer's bond and providing penalties for violation thereof.

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

SECTION 1. That from and after the 31st day of December, 1909, it shall be unlawful for any person, persons, firm or corporation engaged in the manufacture, rectifying or bottling of spirituous, fermented malt or other intoxicating liquors or engaged in buying, selling or disposing of the same in quantities of five gallons or more to own all or any part of or to have any interest in the liquor, stock, fixtures or equipment of any kind whatsoever of any retail liquor store or to pay, advance or loan or become surety for the payment for any other person of the license fee required by any state law or city charter or ordinance, or to hire, engage or employ, directly or indirectly, any person, persons, firm or corporation to manage, conduct, control or operate a place where intox-