# CHAPTER 137.

[H. B. 195.]

### CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT RELATING TO HARBORS AND HARBOR AREAS.

AN ACT providing for the amendment of Section 1 of Article XV of the Constitution of the State of Washington relating to harbors and harbor areas.

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

SECTION 1. That at the general election to be Submitted held in this state on the Tuesday next succeeding in November, 1932 the first Monday in November, 1932, there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the state, for their approval or rejection, an amendment to section 1 of article XV of the constitution of the State of Washington, so that the same shall read when so amended as follows:

Section 1. The legislature shall provide for the appointment of a commission whose duty it shall be to locate and establish harbor lines in the navigable waters of all harbors, estuaries, bays and inlets of this state, wherever such navigable waters lie within or in front of the corporate limits of any city, or within one mile thereof on either side. Any harbor line so located or established may thereafter be changed, relocated or re-established by the commission pursuant to such provision as may be made therefor by the legislature. The state shall never give, sell or lease to any private person, corporation, or association any rights whatever in the waters beyond such harbor lines, nor shall any of the area lying between any harbor line and the line of ordinary high water, and within not less than fifty feet nor more than two thousand feet of such harbor line (as the commission shall determine) be sold or granted by the state, nor its rights to con-

Section 1, article XV of constitution.

trol the same relinquished, but such area shall be forever reserved for landings, wharves, streets, and other conveniences of navigation and commerce.

SEC. 2. The secretary of state shall cause the amendment in section 1 of this act to be published for three months next preceding said election in a weekly newspaper in every county where a newspaper is published throughout the state.

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Passed the Senate March 10, 1931.

Filed March 23, 1931, without approval of the Governor.

# CHAPTER 138.

# [H.B.72.]

#### MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSES.

AN ACT relating to the use of public highways, the licensing of motor vehicles, amending Chapter 96 of the Laws of 1921 of the State of Washington as amended by Chapter 99 of the Laws of 1929, and providing penalties for violation thereof, and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. That section 5 of chapter 96 of the Laws of 1921 as amended (being section 6316 of Remington's Compiled Statutes of Washington) be further amended to read as follows:

Vetoed.

Section 5. Application for registration of a motor vehicle for license, or for duplicate license or plates, or correction or transfer of any license, shall be made on oath or affirmation to the director of licenses on blanks to be furnished by him. Such application shall be made by the owner of the vehicle, or his duly authorized agent, over the signature of such owner or agent on oath or affirmation that the statements therein are true. No notary public or other official administering such oath or

Secretary of state to publish.