State of Washington unless it is duly authorized to transact a surety bond business by the section of surety bonds of the United States treasury department.

Passed the Senate March 5, 1933.
Passed the House March 8, 1933.
Approved by the Governor March 16, 1933.

CHAPTER 117.
[S. B. 255.]

SEEDING AND REFORESTATION OF STATE LANDS.

An Act relating to and providing for the acquisition, seeding, reforestation and administering lands for state forests and the issuance and disposition of utility bonds therefor.

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

Section 1: That for the purpose of acquiring, seeding, reforestation and administering lands for forests and of carrying out the provisions of chapter 154 of the Laws of 1923, the state forest board is authorized to issue and dispose of utility bonds of the State of Washington in an amount not to exceed two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000) in principal during the biennium expiring March 31, 1935. Purchase of tax-delinquent lands from counties shall be made on the same basis as those purchased from private parties or corporations: Provided, however, That no sum in excess of one dollar ($1.00) per acre shall ever be paid or allowed either in cash, bonds, or otherwise, for any lands suitable for forest growth, but devoid of such, nor shall any sum in excess of three dollars ($3.00) per acre be paid or allowed either in cash, bonds, or
otherwise, for any lands adequately restocked with young growth.

Passed the Senate February 17, 1933.
Passed the House March 1, 1933.
Approved by the Governor March 16, 1933.

CHAPTER 118.
[S. B. 94.]

SEEDING AND REFORESTATION OF STATE LANDS.

An Act relating to and providing for the acquiring, seeding, reforestation and administration of lands for state forests, and amending sections 1 and 6 of chapter 154, of the Laws of 1923.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1 of chapter 154 of the Laws of 1923, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. There is hereby created a state forest board to consist of ex-officio, the governor, commissioner of public lands, dean of forestry of the University of Washington, director of conservation and development, and state supervisor of forestry. The governor shall be chairman and the commissioner of public lands secretary of said board. A vice-chairman, who shall act during the absence or disability of the chairman, may be selected by said board from among its members; and an assistant secretary shall be designated from among the employees of the state division of forestry. The members of said board shall receive no salary or compensation for their services, but shall be reimbursed for expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

SEC. 2. Section 6 of chapter 154 of the Laws of 1923, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 6. There is hereby created a forest development fund of which the state treasurer shall