

support of the state government and its existing public institutions and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the Senate March 5, 1937.

Passed the House March 9, 1937.

Approved by the Governor March 12, 1937.

CHAPTER 59.

[H. B. 108.]

CIVIL SERVICE IN FIRE DEPARTMENTS.

AN ACT relating to civil service in cities and towns, defining the terms, and amending section 9558-24 of Remington's Revised Statutes.

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

SECTION 1. That section 9558-24 of Remington's Revised Statutes be, and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

Amends
§ 9558-24 Rem.
Rev. Stat.
(§ 896-54
P. C.)

Section 9558-24. As used in this act, the following mentioned terms shall have the following described meanings:

"Commis-
sion."

The term "commission" means the civil service commission herein created, and the term "commissioner" means any one of the three commissioners of that commission;

"Appointing
power."

The term "appointing power" includes every person or group of persons who, acting singly or in conjunction, as a mayor, city manager, council, common council, commission, or otherwise, is or are, vested by law with power and authority to select, appoint, or employ any person to hold any office, place, position or employment subject to civil service;

"Appoint-
ment."

The term "appointment" includes all means of selection, appointing or employing any person to hold any office, place, position or employment subject to civil service;

The term "city" includes all cities, towns and municipalities having a full paid fire department; "City."

The term "full paid fire department" means that the officers and firemen employed in such are paid regularly by the city and devote their whole time to fire fighting: *Provided*, That the term "full paid fire department," whenever used in this act, shall also mean "full paid firemen." "Full paid fire department."

Passed the House February 2, 1937.

Passed the Senate March 3, 1937.

Approved by the Governor March 13, 1937.

CHAPTER 60.

[H. B. 143.]

SCHOOL PHYSICIANS AND NURSES.

AN ACT authorizing any school district of the second or third class to employ physicians and nurses.

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

SECTION 1. The board of directors of any school district of the second or third class, in addition to other powers and duties, may employ a regularly licensed physician or a licensed public health nurse, for the purpose of protecting the health of the children in said district.

Passed the House February 9, 1937.

Passed the Senate March 3, 1937.

Approved by the Governor March 13, 1937.