CHAPTER 133.

[S. S. B. 178.]

HIGHWAYS—STATE COMMISSION ON EQUIPMENT.

An Acr relating to vehicles and the operation thereof upon the public highways of this state; prescribing the powers and duties of the state commission on equipment; amending section 6, chapter 189, Laws of 1937 (section 6360-6, Remington's Revised Statutes, Supplement, Volume 7A); repealing sections 22, 26, 33, and 59, chapter 189, Laws of 1937 (sections 6360-22, 6360-26, 6360-33 and 6360-59, Remington's Revised Statutes, Supplement, Volume 7A); and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. Section 6, chapter 189, Laws of 1937 Amendments. (section 6360-6, Remington's Revised Statutes, Supplement, Volume 7A), is amended to read as follows:

Section 6. There is hereby constituted a state Equipment commission on equipment which shall consist of the created. Director of Licenses, the Director of Highways and the Chief of the Washington State Patrol.

In addition to those powers and duties elsewhere commission granted by the provisions of this act the State Commission on Equipment shall have the power and the duty to adopt, apply and enforce such reasonable rules and regulations (a) relating to proper types of vehicles or combinations thereof for hauling passengers, commodities, freight and supplies, (b) relating to vehicle equipment, and (c) relating to the enforcement of the provisions of this act with regard to vehicle equipment, as may be deemed necessary for the public welfare and safety in addition to but not inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

Sec. 2. Sections 22, 26, 33 and 59, chapter 189, Repeals. Laws of 1937 (sections 6360-22, 6360-26, 6360-33 and 6360-59, Remington's Revised Statutes, Supplement, Volume 7A), are hereby repealed.

Section suspended during war emergency. Sec. 2a. Section 113, chapter 189, Laws of 1937 (section 6360-113, Remington's Revised Statutes, Volume 7A), is hereby suspended during the existence of the present national emergency created by the existing war. Such suspension shall expire and be of no force and effect whatever on and after the formal termination of the existing war by the signing of a treaty of peace or by the proclamation of the President of the United States, but in no event to extend past April 1, 1945.

Effective immediately.

Sec. 3. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the Senate March 11, 1943.

Passed the House March 10, 1943.

Approved by the Governor March 18, 1943.

CHAPTER 134.

DEPOSITARIES FOR PUBLIC FUNDS.

An Act relating to depositaries for public funds, amending section 4, chapter 37, Laws of 1907; as amended by section 2, chapter 87, Laws of 1931; as amended by section 3, chapter 139, Laws of 1935 (section 5551, Remington's Revised Statutes, Supplement).

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

Amendments.

Section 1. Section 4, chapter 37, Laws of 1907, as amended by section 2, chapter 87, Laws of 1931, as amended by section 3, chapter 139, Laws of 1935 (section 5551, Remington's Revised Statutes, Supplement), is amended to read as follows:

Limit on deposits in national bank depositaries. Section 4. The State Treasurer may deposit with any national bank depositary which has fully complied with all requirements of law any state moneys in his hands or under his official control not exceed-