

CHAPTER 10.

[H. B. 6.]

SHERIFFS—COMPLAINT OF CRIMINAL VIOLATIONS.

AN ACT relating to sheriffs and adding a new section to chapter 36.28, RCW; and declaring an emergency.

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

New section.

SECTION 1. There is added to chapter 36.28, RCW, a new section to read as follows:

Complaint of all criminal violations.

In addition to the duties contained in RCW 36.28-.010, it shall be the duty of all sheriffs to make complaint of all violations of the criminal law, which shall come to their knowledge, within their respective jurisdictions.

Emergency.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the House January 20, 1955.

Passed the Senate January 27, 1955.

Approved by the Governor February 1, 1955.

CHAPTER 11.

[H. B. 7.]

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES.

AN ACT relating to justices of the peace and constables; amending section 1693, Code of 1881, section 5, page 223, Laws of 1854, and RCW 3.04.060; amending section 1, chapter 156, Laws of 1951, and RCW 3.12.021; amending section 9, chapter 7, Laws of 1891, and RCW 3.16.060; amending section 1, chapter 73, Laws of 1891, section 1, page 199, Laws of 1887, section 1, page 44, Laws of 1883, section 1710, Code of 1881, section 17, page 333, Laws of 1873, section 23, page 226, Laws of 1854, and RCW 3.20.020; amending section 2800, Code of 1881, section 17, page 225, Laws of 1854, and RCW 3.08.040; repealing and reenacting section 1, chapter 68, Laws of 1888, section 1689, Code of 1881, section 1, page 222, Laws of 1854, and RCW 3.04.010; amend-