

Sections 2 and 3 inapplicable.

SEC. 7. Sections 2 and 3 of this act shall not apply to such an employee welfare trust fund where the trustee, or all of the trustees are subject to examination by the supervisor of banking of the state of Washington or the comptroller of the currency of the United States or the board of governors of the federal reserve system.

Penalty upon violation.

SEC. 8. Any person who fails to comply with the provisions of this act, or lawful order of the commissioner made pursuant to this act, shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or both fine and imprisonment.

Appropriation.

SEC. 9. For the biennium ending June 30, 1957, there is appropriated from the general fund to the insurance commissioner the sum of forty-six thousand two hundred and fifty dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this act.

Passed the House March 20, 1955.

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Approved by the Governor April 4, 1955.

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CHAPTER 9.

[ H. B. 24. ]

OFFICE HOURS FOR PUBLIC OFFICES.

AN ACT relating to office hours for public offices, and amending section 1, chapter 113, Laws of 1941 and sections 1, 3 and 4, chapter 100, Laws of 1951 and RCW 36.16.100 and 42.04.060, and section 2, chapter 100, Laws of 1951 and RCW 35.21.175.

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

Division and amendment.

SECTION 1. Section 1, chapter 113, Laws of 1941, as amended by sections 1, 3 and 4, chapter 100, Laws of 1951 (heretofore divided and codified as RCW

36.16.100 and 42.04.060) are divided and amended to read as set forth in sections 2 and 3 of this act.

SEC. 2. (RCW 36.16.100) All county and precinct offices shall be kept open for the transaction of business during such days and hours as the board of county commissioners shall by resolution prescribe.

County and precinct office hours.

SEC. 3. (RCW 42.04.060) All state elective and appointive officers shall keep their offices open for the transaction of business from eight o'clock a.m., to five o'clock p.m. of each business day from Monday through Friday, holidays excepted. On Saturday, such offices may be closed.

Enacted without amendment.

State office hours.

This section shall not apply to the courts of record of this state or to their officers nor to the office of the attorney general and the lieutenant governor.

No application.

SEC. 4. Section 2, chapter 100, Laws of 1951 and RCW 35.21.175 are each amended to read as follows:

All city and town offices shall be kept open for the transaction of business during such days and hours as the municipal legislative authority shall by ordinance prescribe.

City and town office hours.

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