

CHAPTER 173.

[H. B. 447.]

LABOR LIENS—HOTEL, RESTAURANT, TAVERN
EMPLOYEES.

AN ACT relating to liens for labor of hotel employees and others,
amending section 4, chapter 205, Laws of 1953, and RCW
60.34.040.

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

SECTION 1. Section 4, chapter 205, Laws of 1953
and RCW 60.34.040 are each amended to read as
follows:

RCW 60.34.040
amended.

The lien may be enforced within the same time
and in the same manner as mechanics' liens are fore-
closed, when said lien is upon real property, or in
the same manner as chattel liens are enforced when
the lien is upon personal property. The court may
allow as part of the costs of the action the money
paid for filing or recording the claim and a reason-
able attorney fee.

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enforcing
liens.

Passed the House February 18, 1959.

Passed the Senate March 9, 1959.

Approved by the Governor March 17, 1959.

CHAPTER 174.

[H. B. 454.]

APIARIES.

AN ACT relating to apiaries; and amending section 6, chapter 271,
Laws of 1955 and RCW 15.60.040.

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

SECTION 1. Section 6, chapter 271, Laws of 1955
and RCW 15.60.040 are each amended to read as
follows:

RCW 15.60.040
amended.

**Inspection—
Eradication
of disease—
Quarantine.**

(1) The director shall make or cause to be made whenever he deems it necessary, inspections of all apiaries.

(2) Whenever a disease exists in any apiary, the inspector making the inspection shall plainly mark the hives containing diseased bees. The inspector shall, in writing, notify the owner or person in charge or in possession of such apiary, stating in the notice the nature of the disease found in each colony, identifying such colony by reference to the mark placed upon the hive thereof, and ordering the eradication of such disease within a specified time. When the owner or person in charge or possession of any apiary is not known, the notice shall be served by posting in a conspicuous place in the apiary, or by mailing a copy thereof to the owner's registered address.

(3) The owner or person in charge or in possession of any diseased bees must eradicate such disease within the time specified in the notice. If the disease is American foul brood, the time specified in the notice shall not be less than twenty-four hours nor more than one hundred and twenty hours from the time of serving the notice. Eradication of American foul brood shall be by burning the diseased colonies, including the bees, combs, brood, frames, honey and wax, and by burying the ashes and disinfecting the hive by means approved by the director.

(4) Any apiary which is found to be infected with American foul brood and to be dangerous to the health of any apiary in this state may be summarily quarantined by the department. Notice of the quarantine shall be posted prominently on the apiary, and the owner notified of such quarantine. The quarantine shall not be removed until the department reasonably determines that no further infection exists. During the quarantine period, no bees, honey, appliances, equipment, or other ma-

terials may be removed from the apiary without first procuring a permit from the department. However, such bees, honey, appliances, equipment, or other materials may be removed for the purpose of eradicating the disease.

Passed the House February 23, 1959.

Passed the Senate March 9, 1959.

Approved by the Governor March 17, 1959.

CHAPTER 175.

[H. B. 485.]

PORT DISTRICT OFFICERS AND ELECTIONS.

AN ACT relating to port district officers and elections; amending sections 4, 7, 8, and 10, chapter 17, Laws of 1959 and RCW 53.12.020, 53.12.040, 53.12.120, and 53.12.150; amending sections 3 and 4, chapter 69, Laws of 1951 and RCW 53.12.044 and 53.12.046; amending section 3, chapter 62, Laws of 1913, as amended by section 1, chapter 204, Laws of 1927, and RCW 53.12.060; amending section 5, chapter 194, Laws of 1945, as last amended by section 5, chapter 101, Laws of 1951, and RCW 29.21.060; adding two new sections to chapter 53.12 RCW; repealing section 2, chapter 39, Laws of 1921, as amended by section 1, chapter 69, Laws of 1951, and RCW 53.12.030; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. Section 4, chapter 17, Laws of 1959 and RCW 53.12.020 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 53.12.020 amended.

No person shall be eligible to hold the office of port commissioner unless he is a qualified voter of the commissioner district from which he is elected: *Provided*, That residence requirements for commissioners at large shall be as set forth in RCW 53.12.120.

Port commissioner—Qualifications.

SEC. 2. Section 7, chapter 17, Laws of 1959 and RCW 53.12.040 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 53.12.040 amended.