be paid on the draw day. The draw day shall not be later than the twentieth day of each month. The balance of the earned monthly salary of each such officer or employee shall be paid not later than the fifth day of the following month.

In counties of eighth and ninth classes salaries shall be paid monthly unless the commissioners by resolution adopt the foregoing draw day procedure.

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CHAPTER 301.
[S. B. 495.]

DIVISION OF ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURE.

An Act relating to state government; creating a division of engineering and architecture in the department of general administration; defining powers and duties thereof; amending sections 4 and 9, chapter 285, Laws of 1955 and RCW 43.19.010 and 43.19.125; amending section 4, chapter 195, Laws of 1955 and RCW 43.28.020; adding two new sections to chapter 43.19 RCW; repealing sections 14, 16 and 17, chapter 285, Laws of 1955 and RCW 43.19.220, 43.19.230 and 73.12.020; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. Section 4, chapter 285, Laws of 1955 and RCW 43.19.010 are each amended to read as follows:

The department of general administration shall be organized into five divisions, to be known as, (1) the division of banking, (2) the division of savings and loan associations, (3) the division of capitol buildings, (4) the division of purchasing, and (5) the division of engineering and architecture.

The director of general administration shall have charge and general supervision of the department.
He may appoint and deputize such clerical and other assistants as may be necessary for the general administration of the department. The director of general administration shall receive a salary in an amount fixed by the governor.

SEC. 2. Section 9, chapter 285, Laws of 1955 and RCW 43.19.125 are each amended to read as follows:

The director of general administration, through the division of capitol buildings, shall have custody and control of the capitol buildings and grounds, supervise and direct proper care, heating, lighting and repairing thereof, and designate rooms in the capitol buildings to be occupied by various state officials.

SEC. 3. Section 4, chapter 195, Laws of 1955 and RCW 43.28.020 are each amended to read as follows:

The director of institutions shall:

(1) Have full power to manage and govern the following public institutions:

The western state hospital, the eastern state hospital, the northern state hospital, the state reformatory, the state training school, the state school for girls, the state soldiers’ home and colony, the Washington veterans’ home, Lakeland Village, the Rainier state school, the state school for the deaf, the state school for the blind, the McKay memorial research hospital, and the state narcotic farm colony, subject only to the limitations contained in laws relating to the management of such institutions;

(2) Have authority to appoint assistants and subordinate employees, and fix their compensation, to aid him in performing the functions and duties of his office and from time to time to designate and deputize one of such employees as chief assistant director. The chief assistant director shall have charge and general supervision of the department of institutions in the absence or disability of the
director and in case of a vacancy in the office of
director shall continue in charge of the department
of institutions until a director is appointed and
qualified or until the governor appoints an acting
director;

(3) Make a survey, investigation, and classifica-
tion of the lands connected with the state institutions
under his control, and determine which thereof are
of such character as to be most profitably used for
agricultural, horticultural, dairying, and stock rais-
ing purposes, taking into consideration the costs
of making them ready for cultivation, the character
of the soil, its depth and fertility, the number of
kinds of crops to which it is adapted, the local cli-
matic conditions, the local annual rainfall, the water
supply upon the land or available, the needs of all
state institutions for the food products that can
be grown or produced, and the amount and char-
acter of the available labor of inmates at the sev-
eral institutions;

(4) Establish and carry on suitable farming op-
erations at the several institutions under his control;

(5) Supply the several institutions with the nec-
essary food products produced thereat;

(6) Exchange with, or furnish to, other institu-
tions, food products at the cost of production;

(7) Sell and dispose of surplus food products
produced;

(8) Establish, install and operate, at the several
state institutions under his control, such industries
and industrial plants as may be most suitable and
beneficial to the inmates thereof, and as can be
operated at the least relative cost and the greatest
relative benefit to the state, taking into consideration
the needs of the state institutions for industrial prod-
ucts, and the amount and character of labor of in-
mates available at the several institutions;
(9) Supply the several institutions with the necessary industrial products produced thereat;

(10) Exchange with, or furnish to, other state institutions industrial products at prices to be fixed by the department, not to exceed in any case the price of such products in the open market;

(11) Sell and dispose of surplus industrial products produced, to such persons and under such rules, regulations, terms, and prices as may be in his judgment for the best interest of the state;

(12) Sell products of the plate mill to any department, to any state, county, or other public institution and to any governmental agency, of this or any other state under such rules, regulations, terms, and prices as may be in his judgment for the best interests of the state;

(13) Comply with all requirements of the director of health in relation to health and sanitation at the institutions under his control;

(14) Have the powers and duties of the director of public institutions contained in RCW 43.19.150 through 43.19.170 relating to state dietitian and accounting; those contained in RCW 43.19.260 through 43.19.420 relating to the division of children and youth services and those contained in RCW 43.19.430 through 43.19.440 relating to the state council for children and youth; those contained in chapters 71.02, 71.04 and 71.06 relating to mentally ill; and those contained in chapters 72.04 through 72.40 relating to state institutions.

SEC. 4. There is added to chapter 43.19 RCW, a new section to read as follows:

The director of general administration shall appoint and deputize an assistant director to be known as the supervisor of engineering and architecture who shall have charge and supervision of the division of engineering and architecture. With the approval of the director he may appoint and
employ such assistants and personnel as may be necessary to carry out the work of the division.

No person shall be eligible for appointment as supervisor of engineering and architecture unless he is, and for the last five years prior to his appointment has been, licensed to practice the profession of engineering or the profession of architecture in the state of Washington.

The director of general administration, through the division of engineering and architecture shall:

(1) Establish a systematic building program for the grouping of buildings at the state capital, at institutions under the control of the department of institutions, and for state agencies which have no architectural staff, and prepare preliminary layouts, site studies, programs and topographical plans to accompany the estimates for the biennial budgets.

(2) Contract for professional architectural, engineering and related services for the design of buildings and major alterations to existing buildings at the state capital, at institutions under the control of the department of institutions, and for all state-owned buildings for agencies which have no architectural staff.

(3) Prepare estimates for the biennial budget and prepare plans and specifications for all necessary maintenance, repairs, and minor alterations to the state capitol buildings, all buildings required at the institutions under the control of the department of institutions, and for all other state-owned buildings for agencies which have no architectural staff.

(4) Supervise the erection, repairing and betterment of all capitol buildings, all buildings required for the institutions under the control of the department of institutions, and all other state-
owned buildings for agencies which have no architectural staff.

(5) Negotiate and/or call for bids and execute all contracts on behalf of the state for the preceding.

Sec. 5. There is added to chapter 43.19 RCW, a new section to read as follows:

Upon the effective date of this amendatory act, the department of institutions shall transfer to the department of general administration, division of engineering and architecture, all of their engineering and architectural personnel who are employed in connection with the exercise of the powers and duties herein transferred, including their supplies, records, books, plans, drawings and similar items.

Sec. 6. Sections 14, 16 and 17, chapter 285, Laws of 1955 and RCW 43.19.220, 43.19.230 and 73.12.020 are each repealed.

Sec. 7. 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.

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