the transportation service and if the agreement covering the combination of services is in writing, the rate and charge for such transportation shall be set forth therein. The rates or charges for the transportation services included in such combination of services shall be subject to control and regulation by the commission in the same manner that the rates of common and contract carriers are now controlled and regulated. Any person engaged in extracting and/or processing and, in connection therewith, hauling materials exclusively for the maintenance, construction or improvement of a public highway shall not be deemed to be performing a combination of services.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> 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.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

RCW 81.80.060 was amended in the regular session of the 1967 legislature by 1967 c 69 § 2 and was again amended in the extraordinary session of the 1967 legislature by 1967 ex.s. c 145 § 77 without reference to the earlier amendment. 1967 ex.s. c 145 § 77 charged the last sentence of the section by providing that persons "engaged in extracting and/or processing, and in connection therewith, hauling materials exclusively for the maintenance, construction or improvement of a public highway shall not be deemed to be performing a combination of services". The 1967 regular session amendment changed the first sentence of the section by providing that persons who perform a combination of services "a substantial portion of which includes transportation of property of others upon the public highways" be subject to the jurisdiction of the commission, and must obtain a common carrier or contract carrier permit.

As these two amendments appear to be in different respects, the purpose of this bill is to give effect to both by reenacting the section with both amendments included in it.

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CHAPTER 34
[Senate Bill No. 16]
PROPERTY TAXES-PUBLIC PROPERTY EXEMPTION

AN ACT Relating to property taxes; reenacting section 84.36.010, chapter 15, Laws of 1961 as last amended by section 35, chapter 145, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and section 31, chapter 149, Laws of 1967 ex. sess., and RCW 84.36.010; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

Section 1. Section 84.36.010, chapter 15, Laws of 1961 as last amended by section 35, chapter 145, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and section 31, chapter 149, Laws of 1967 ex. sess., and RCW 84.36.010, are each reenacted to read as follows:

All property belonging exclusively to the United States, the state, any county or municipal corporation, and all property under order of immediate possession and use pursuant to RCW 8.04.090, shall be exempt from taxation. All property belonging exclusively to a foreign national government shall be exempt from taxation if such property is used exclusively as an office or residence for a consul or other official representative of such foreign national government, and if the consul or other official representative is a citizen of such foreign nation.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> 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.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

RCW 84.36.010 was twice amended in the extracrdinary session of the 1967 legislature. 1967 ex.s. c 145 § 35 added "all property under order of immediate possession and use pursuant to RCW 8.04.090" to the public property exemption. 1967 ex.s. c 149 § 31 provided that property exclusively owned by a foreign national government if such property is used for a residence or office by a consul or representative who is a citizen of such foreign nation, is tax-exempt property.

As these two amendments appear to be in different respects, the purpose of this bill is to give effect to both amendments by reenacting the section with both amendments included in it.

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CHAPTER 35
[Senate Bill No. 130]
SECOND CLASS CITIES-POLICE JUDGE PRO TEMPORE

AN ACT Relating to local government; and amending section 35.23.650, chapter 7, Laws of 1965, and RCW 35.23.650.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

Section 1. Section 35.23.650, chapter 7, Laws of 1965, and RCW 35.23.650 are each amended to read as follows:

In the event of the police judge's inability to act, or during any temporary absence, or if he should be disqualified, the mayor shall appoint from among the practicing attorneys ((and-qualified-e-lectore-ef-the-eity)), a police judge pro tempore, who, before entering upon the duties of such office, shall take and subscribe an oath as other judicial officers, and while so acting, he shall have all the power of the police judge: PROVIDED, That such appointment shall not continue for a longer period than the absence or inability of the police judge. Such police judge pro tempore shall receive such compensation for such services as shall be fixed by ordinance of the legislative body of the city, to be paid by the city.

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CHAPTER 36
[Senate Bill No. 136]
STEELHEAD TROUT--STATE FISH

AN ACT Relating to the official state fish; and adding a new section to chapter 1.20 RCW.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Section 1. There is added to chapter 1.20 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The species of trout commonly called "Steelhead Trout" (salmo gairdnerii) is hereby designated as the official fish of the state