responsibility for electrical inspection, mobile home inspection, elevator inspection, except as otherwise provided in RCW 70.97.030, boiler inspection, and hotel inspection.

The director may appoint such clerical and other assistants as may be necessary for the general administration of the department.

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CHAPTER 67
[Engrossed House Bill No. 118]
SCHOOL BOARDS, ELECTION AND COMPOSITION


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

Section 1. Section 28A.57.328, chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. as amended by section 137, chapter 176, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 28A.57.328 are each amended to read as follows:

Upon the establishment of a new school district of the second or third class, the directors of the old school districts who reside within the limits of the new district shall meet at the call of the intermediate school district superintendent and (elect from among their number three directors for said new district; PROVIDED Therat) shall constitute the board of directors of the new district. If fewer than three such directors reside in any such new third class district or if fewer than five such directors reside in any such new
second class school district, they shall become directors of said district, and the intermediate school district (superintendent) board shall appoint the number of additional directors required to constitute a board of three directors for the new third class district or five directors for the new second class district, as the case may be. Vacancies once such a board has been reconstituted shall not be filled unless the number of remaining board members is less than three in a third class district or less than five in a second class district, and such vacancies shall be filled in the manner otherwise provided by law.

Each board of directors so constituted shall proceed at once to organize in the manner prescribed by law and thereafter shall have all the powers and authority conferred by law upon boards of directors of other (third class) districts of the same class and the directors thereof shall serve until the regular school election following the next regular school election in the district (and until), at which election their successors (are) shall be elected and qualified. At such election in third class districts, no more than three directors shall be elected at large by the electors of the school district, one for a term of two years and two for a term of four years. At such election in second class districts, no more than five directors shall be elected either at large or by director districts, as the case may be, two for a term of two years and three for a term of four years. Directors thereafter elected and qualified shall serve such terms as provided for in RCW 28A.57.312.

Sec. 2. Section 28A.57.342, chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 28A.57.342 are each amended to read as follows:

Whenever an election shall be held for the purpose of securing the approval of the voters for the formation of a new school district that, if formed, will be a district of the first or second class (and will contain a city with a population in excess of seven thousand according to the latest population certificate filed with the secretary of state by the planning and community affairs agency) other than a school district of the first class having an enrollment of seventy thousand pupils or more in class AA counties, if requested by one of the boards of directors of the school districts affected, there shall also be submitted to the voters at the same election a proposition to authorize the county committee to divide the school district, if formed, into directors' districts. Such director districts in second class districts, if approved, shall not become effective until the regular school election following the next regular school election at which time a new board of directors shall be elected as provided in section 1 of this 1971 amendatory act. Such director districts in first class districts, if approved, shall not become effective until the next regular school election at which
time a new board of directors shall be elected as provided in sections 1, 4, and 5 of this 1971 amendatory act. Each of the five directors shall be elected from among the residents of the respective director district by the electors of the entire school district.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. There is added to chapter 28A.57 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Upon the establishment of a new school district of the first class as provided for in section 2 of this 1971 amendatory act containing no former first class district, the directors of the old school districts who reside within the limits of the new district shall meet at the call of the intermediate school district superintendent and shall constitute the board of directors of the new district. If fewer than five such directors reside in such new district, they shall become directors of said district and the intermediate school district board shall appoint the number of additional directors to constitute a board of five directors for the district. Vacancies, once such a board has been reconstituted, shall not be filled unless the number of remaining board members is less than five, and such vacancies shall be filled in the manner otherwise provided by law.

Each board of directors so constituted shall proceed at once to organize in the manner prescribed by law and thereafter shall have all the powers and authority conferred by law upon boards of directors of first class school districts until the next regular school election in the district at which election their successors shall be elected and qualified. At such election no more than five directors shall be elected either at large or by director districts, as the case may be, two for a term of two years and three for a term of four years: PROVIDED, That if such first class district is in a class AA or class A county and contains a city of the first class, two directors shall be elected for a term of three years and three directors shall be elected for a term of six years.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. There is added to chapter 28A.57 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Upon the establishment of a new school district of the first class as provided for in section 2 of this 1971 amendatory act containing only one former first class district, the directors of the former first class district and two directors representative of former second class districts selected by a majority of the board members of former second class districts and one director representative of former third class districts, selected by a majority of the board members of former third class districts shall meet at the call of the intermediate school district superintendent and shall constitute the board of directors of the new district. Vacancies, once such a board has been reconstituted, shall not be
filled unless the number of remaining board members is less than five, and such vacancies shall be filled in the manner otherwise provided by law.

Each board of directors so constituted shall proceed at once to organize in the manner prescribed by law and thereafter shall have all the powers and authority conferred by law upon boards of directors of first class school districts until the next regular school election in the district at which election their successors shall be elected and qualified. At such election no more than five directors shall be elected either at large or by director districts, as the case may be, two for a term of two years and three for a term of four years: PROVIDED, That if such first class district is in a class AA or class A county and contains a city of the first class, two directors shall be elected for a term of three years and three directors shall be elected for a term of six years.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. There is added to chapter 28A.57 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Upon the establishment of a new school district of the first class as provided for in section 2 of this 1971 amendatory act containing more than one former first class district, the directors of the largest former first class district and three directors representative of the other former first class districts selected by a majority of the board members of the former first class districts and two directors representative of former second class districts selected by a majority of the board members of former second class districts and one director representative of former third class districts selected by a majority of the board members of former third class districts shall meet at the call of the intermediate school district superintendent and shall constitute the board of directors of the new district. Vacancies once such a board has been reconstituted shall not be filled unless the number of remaining board members is less than seven, and such vacancies shall be filled in the manner otherwise provided by law.

Each board of directors so constituted shall proceed at once to organize in the manner prescribed by law and thereafter shall have all the powers and authority conferred by law upon boards of first class districts until the next regular school election and until their successors are elected and qualified. At such election other than districts electing directors for six-year terms as provided in RCW 29.13.060, five directors shall be elected either at large or by director districts, as the case may be, two for a term of two years and three for a term of four years. At such election other than districts electing directors for six-year terms, five directors shall be elected either at large or by director districts, as the case may be, one for a term of two years, two for a term of four years, and

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two for a term of six years.

**NEW SECTION.** Sec. 6. Upon the establishment of a new school district of the first class having an enrollment of seventy thousand pupils or more in class AA counties, the directors of the largest former first class district and three directors representative of the other former first class districts selected by a majority of the board members of the former first class districts and two directors representative of former second class districts selected by a majority of the board members of former second class districts and one director representative of former third class districts selected by a majority of the board members of former third class districts shall meet at the call of the intermediate school district superintendent and shall constitute the board of directors of the new district. Each board of directors so constituted shall proceed at once to organize in the manner prescribed by law and thereafter shall have all the powers and duties conferred by law upon boards of first class districts, until the next regular school election and until their successors are elected and qualified. Such duties shall include establishment of new director districts as provided for in RCW 28A.57.425. At the next regular school election seven directors shall be elected by director districts, two for a term of two years, two for a term of four years and three for a term of six years. Thereafter their terms shall be as provided in RCW 29.13.060.

Vacancies once such a board has been reconstituted shall not be filled unless the number of remaining board members is less than seven, and such vacancies shall be filled in the manner otherwise provided by law.

Sec. 7. Section 28A.57.332, chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 28A.57.332 are each amended to read as follows:

If at any time ((after this chapter takes effect)) three directors of a former third class district constitute the board of directors of ((any)) a new second class school district for which a board of five directors is required by law, ((except a district divided into school directors' districts)) the three directors of such school district shall continue to serve for the terms for which they were elected; two additional directors shall be appointed for the district in the manner provided by law for filling a vacancy on the board of other districts of the same class; and the aforesaid five directors shall thereafter constitute the board of directors of the district. The additional directors so appointed shall serve until the next regular school election in the district and until their successors are elected and qualified, at which election their successors shall be elected, one for a term of two years and one for a term of four years. Directors thereafter elected and qualified shall serve such terms as provided for in RCW 28A.57.312.
Sec. 8. Section 28A.57.344, chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 28A.57.344 are each amended to read as follows:

The board of directors of every first and second class school district ((containing a city with a population in excess of seven thousand according to the latest population certificate filed with the secretary of state by the planning and community affairs agency)) other than a school district of the first class having an enrollment of seventy thousand pupils or more in class AA counties which is not divided into directors' districts may submit to the voters at any regular school district election a proposition to authorize the county committee to divide the district into directors' districts. If a majority of the votes cast on the proposition shall be affirmative, the county committee shall proceed to divide the district into directors' districts. Such director districts, if approved, shall not become effective until the next regular school election when a new five member board of directors shall be elected, one from each of five director districts from among the residents of the respective director district by the electors of the entire district, two for a term of two years and three for a term of four years, unless such district elects its directors for six years, in which case, one for a term of two years, two for a term of four years, and two for a term of six years.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 9. The following acts, or parts thereof, are hereby repealed:

(1) Section 28A.57.340, chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 28A.57.340;


(3) Section 28A.57.370, chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. as amended by section 139, chapter 176, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 28A.57.370; and

NEW SECTION. Sec. 10. If any provision of this 1971 amendatory act, or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act, or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

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CHAPTER 68
[Engrossed House Bill No. 405]
PRACTICAL NURSES

AN ACT Relating to practical nurses; amending section 11, chapter 222, Laws of 1949 and RCW 18.78.100; and amending section 6, chapter 79, Laws of 1967 and RCW 18.78.182.

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

Section 1. Section 11, chapter 222, Laws of 1949 and RCW 18.78.100 are each amended to read as follows:

The director shall appoint a supervisor of practical nurse education who shall act as an executive to the board to carry out the provisions of this chapter and who shall have the following qualifications:

(1) Be a registered professional nurse in the state of Washington;
(2) Be the holder of a baccalaureate degree from an accredited university or college;
(3) Have not less than five years' experience in the field of nursing;
(4) Have not less than two years' experience (instructing in an approved course of practical nursing education) in nursing education.
(5) Be engaged actively in instructing practical nurses in an approved course at the time of her appointment;

Sec. 2. Section 6, chapter 79, Laws of 1967 and RCW 18.78.182 are each amended to read as follows:

A licensed practical nurse under his or her license may perform for compensation nursing care (as that term is usually understood) of the ill, injured, or infirm, and in the course thereof is authorized, at or under the direction and supervision of a licensed physician and surgeon, osteopathic physician and surgeon, dentist, chiropodist (acting within the scope of his license), or at or under the direction and supervision of a licensed registered