

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

Section 1. Section 29.42.020, chapter 9, Laws of 1965 and RCW 29.42.020 are each amended to read as follows:

The state committee of each major political party shall consist of one committeeman and one committeewoman from each county elected by the county committee at its organization meeting. It shall have a chairman and vice chairman who must be of opposite sexes. This committee shall meet during January of each odd-numbered year for the purpose of organization at a time and place designated by a sufficient notice to all the newly elected state committeemen and committeewomen by the authorized officers of the retiring committee. For the purpose of this section a notice mailed at least one week prior to the date of the meeting shall constitute sufficient notice. At its organizational meeting it shall elect its chairman and vice chairman, and such officers as its bylaws may provide, and adopt bylaws, rules and regulations. It shall have power to:

(1) Call conventions at such time and place and under such circumstances and for such purposes as the call to convention shall designate. The manner, number and procedure for selection of state convention delegates shall be subject to the committee's rules and regulations duly adopted;

(2) Provide for the election of delegates to national conventions;

(3) Fill vacancies on the ticket for any federal or state office to be voted on by the electors of more than one county;

(4) Provide for the nomination of presidential electors; and

(5) Perform all functions inherent in such an organization.

Notwithstanding any provision of this 1972 amendatory act, the committee shall not set rules which shall govern the conduct of the actual proceedings at a party state convention.

Passed the House February 1, 1972.

Passed the Senate February 11, 1972.

Approved by the Governor February 20, 1972.

Filed in Office of Secretary of State February 21, 1972.

CHAPTER 46

[Engrossed House Bill No. 468]

REPORT OF CHILD ABUSE--RECORDS, PRIVILEGE

AN ACT Relating to health and welfare of children; and amending section 6, chapter 35, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 26.44.070.

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

Section 1. Section 6, chapter 35, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 26.44.070 are each amended to read as follows:

The department shall maintain a central registry of reported cases of child abuse and shall adopt such rules and regulations as necessary in carrying out the provisions of this section. Records in the central registry shall be considered confidential and privileged and will not be available to any person or agency except law enforcement agencies as defined in this chapter and, to those professionals, defined by rules and regulations, who might be treating the child and/or family; provided, that such law enforcement agencies and professionals shall not further disseminate or release such information so provided to them and shall respect the confidentiality of such information.

Passed the House February 2, 1972.

Passed the Senate February 11, 1972.

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CHAPTER 47

[Substitute House Bill No. 508]

RETAIL INSTALLMENT SALES--CONTRACTS

AN ACT Relating to the definition of a "retail installment contract" and to the cancellation of certain retail installment contracts; amending section 1, chapter 236, Laws of 1963 and RCW 63.14.010; amending section 4, chapter 236, Laws of 1963 as last amended by section 1, chapter 2, Laws of 1969 and RCW 63.14.040; amending section 12, chapter 236, Laws of 1963 as last amended by section 2, chapter 2, Laws of 1969 and RCW 63.14.120; amending section 12, chapter 234, Laws of 1967 and RCW 63.14.154; and providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 1, chapter 236, Laws of 1963 and RCW 63.14.010 are each amended to read as follows:

In this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires:

(1) "Goods" means all chattels personal when purchased primarily for personal, family or household use and not for commercial or business use, but not including money or, except as provided in the next sentence, things in action. The term includes but is not limited to merchandise certificates or coupons, issued by a retail seller, to be used in their face amount in lieu of cash in exchange for goods or services sold by such a seller and goods which, at the time of sale or subsequently, are to be so affixed to real