government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

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CHAPTER 280

[Senate Bill No. 4156] FISHING LICENSE FEES—WHEELCHAIR-CONFINED PERSONS EXEMPT

AN ACT Relating to game fish licenses; and amending section 77.32.230, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 as last amended by section 27, chapter 310, Laws of 1981 and RCW 77.32.230.

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

Sec. 1. Section 77.32.230, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 as last amended by section 27, chapter 310, Laws of 1981 and RCW 77.32.230 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) A person sixty-five years of age or older who is an honorably discharged veteran of the United States armed forces having a service-connected disability and who has been a resident for five years may receive upon application a state hunting and fishing license free of charge.

(2) A person seventy years of age or older who has been a resident for ten years or a blind person or a physically handicapped person confined to a wheelchair may receive upon application a fishing license free of charge.

(3) A fishing license is not required for persons under the age of sixteen.

(4) Tags, permits, stamps, and puncheards required by this chapter shall be purchased separately by persons receiving a free license.

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CHAPTER 281

[Substitute Senate Bill No. 4226] TREE FRUIT SANITATION PROGRAMS—ASSESSMENTS FOR INDUSTRY SERVICE PROGRAMS

AN ACT Relating to tree fruit; amending section 2, chapter 129, Laws of 1969 and RCW 15.26.020; amending section 3, chapter 129, Laws of 1969 and RCW 15.26.030; and adding a new section to chapter 15.26 RCW.

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

Sec. 1. Section 2, chapter 129, Laws of 1969 and RCW 15.26.020 are each amended to read as follows: