CHAPTER 54

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 4205]

PRODUCTIVITY BOARD—BOARD COMPOSITION—EXPENSES—FUNDS

AN ACT Relating to the productivity board; amending section 1, chapter 142, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. as last amended by section 6, chapter 167, Laws of 1982 and RCW 41.60.010; amending section 1, chapter 167, Laws of 1982 and RCW 41.60.015; amending section 5, chapter 142, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. as last amended by section 11, chapter 167, Laws of 1982 and RCW 41.60.050; amending section 17, chapter 167, Laws of 1982 (uncodified); and declaring an emergency.

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

Sec. 1. Section 1, chapter 142, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. as last amended by section 6, chapter 167, Laws of 1982 and RCW 41.60.010 are each amended to read as follows:

As used in this chapter:
(1) "Board" means the productivity board.
(2) "Employee suggestion program" means the program developed by the board under RCW 41.60.020.
(3) "State employees" means employees in agencies subject to chapter 41.06 or 28B.16 RCW.

Sec. 2. Section 1, chapter 167, Laws of 1982 and RCW 41.60.015 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) There is hereby created the productivity board. The board shall administer the employee suggestion program under this chapter and shall review applications for incentive pay for state employees under RCW 41.60.100, 41.60.110, and 41.60.120.

(2) The board shall be composed of:
(a) The secretary of state who shall act as chairperson;
(b) The (state auditor) director of personnel or the director's designee;
(c) The director of financial management or the director's designee; and
(d) Three persons with experience in administering incentives such as those used by industry, with the governor, lieutenant governor, and speaker of the house of representatives each appointing one person. The governor's appointee shall be a representative of an employee organization certified as an exclusive representative of at least one bargaining unit of classified employees, but no one organization may be represented for two consecutive terms.

Initially, the person appointed by the governor shall serve a one-year term, the person appointed by the lieutenant governor shall serve a two-year term, and the person appointed by the speaker shall serve a three-year term. Thereafter, these members shall serve three-year terms.
Sec. 3. Section 5, chapter 142, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. as last amended by section 11, chapter 167, Laws of 1982 and RCW 41.60.050 are each amended to read as follows:

Until June 30, 1985, administrative expenses of the board in administering this chapter shall not exceed fifty thousand dollars per year. After June 30, 1985, such expenses shall not exceed the revenue transferred to the department of personnel service fund under RCW 41.60.041(5) and 41.60.120. Administrative expenses shall be paid from the department of personnel service fund.

Sec. 4. Section 17, chapter 167, Laws of 1982 (uncodified) is amended to read as follows:

There is appropriated from the department of personnel service fund to the department of personnel for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1983, the sum of fifty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the operations of the productivity board. (Funds expended under this section shall not exceed the revenue to the department of personnel service fund under sections 4 and 9 of this act.)

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. 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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CHAPTER 55

LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES—STANDARDS—REGULATION

AN ACT Relating to practical nurses; amending section 1, chapter 222, Laws of 1949 as last amended by section 1, chapter 79, Laws of 1967 and RCW 18.78.010; amending section 2, chapter 222, Laws of 1949 as amended by section 2, chapter 79, Laws of 1967 and RCW 18.78.020; amending section 3, chapter 222, Laws of 1949 and RCW 18.78.030; amending section 4, chapter 222, Laws of 1949 as last amended by section 45, chapter 34, Laws of 1975-'76 2nd ex. sess. and RCW 18.78.040; amending section 5, chapter 222, Laws of 1949 as last amended by section 64, chapter 158, Laws of 1979 and RCW 18.78.050; amending section 6, chapter 222, Laws of 1949 as last amended by section 26, chapter 292, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 18.78.060; amending section 7, chapter 222, Laws of 1949 and RCW 18.78.070; amending section 10, chapter 222, Laws of 1949 as last amended by section 66, chapter 158, Laws of 1979 and RCW 18.78.090; amending section 11, chapter 222, Laws of 1949 as amended by section 1, chapter 68, Laws of 1971 and RCW 18.78.100; amending section 12, chapter 222, Laws of 1949 as amended by section 46, chapter 34, Laws of 1975-'76 2nd ex. sess. and RCW 18.78.110; amending section 17, chapter 222, Laws of 1949 and RCW 18.78.160; amending section 18, chapter 222, Laws of 1949 as amended by section 5, chapter 79, Laws of 1967 and RCW 18.78.170; amending section 7, chapter 79, Laws of 1967 and RCW 18.78.175; amending section 6, chapter 79, Laws of 1967 as amended by section 2, chapter 68, Laws of 1971 and