CHAPTER 263

[Engrossed House Bill No. 590]

IMMUNITY FROM CIVIL LIABILITY FOR COUNTY CORONERS OR COUNTY MEDICAL EXAMINERS

AN ACT Relating to immunity from civil liability for local government officials; and adding a new section to chapter 68.08 RCW.

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

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 68.08 RCW to read as follows:

A county coroner or county medical examiner or persons acting in that capacity shall be immune from civil liability for determining the cause and manner of death. The accuracy of the determinations is subject to judicial review.

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CHAPTER 264

[Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5650]

PILOT QUALIFICATIONS—PILOTAGE COMMISSIONERS BOARD DUTIES

AN ACT Relating to pilot qualifications; and amending RCW 88.16.035, 88.16.090, and 88.16.105.

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

Sec. 1. Section 4, chapter 337, Laws of 1977 ex. sess. and RCW 88.16.035 are each amended to read as follows:

The board of pilotage commissioners shall:

(1) Adopt rules, pursuant to chapter 34.04 RCW as now existing or hereafter amended, necessary for the enforcement and administration of this chapter((Rules in effect on September 21, 1977, with the exception of those rules pertaining to pilot qualifications shall remain in force and effect until amended, repealed, or replaced by the board, except that such rules as are inconsistent with the provisions of RCW 88.16.005, 88.16.010, 88.16.020, 88.16.035, 88.16.050, 88.16.070, 88.16.090, 88.16.103, 88.16.105, 88.16.150 and 88.16.155 are hereby repealed));

(2) License pilot applicants meeting the qualifications and passing the examination as provided for in RCW 88.16.090 as now or hereafter