CHAPTER 9.

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DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATION FOR FISH COMMISSIONER.

AN ACT making appropriations for the office of the state fish commissioner for the balance of the biennial period ending March 31, 1917.

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

SECTION 1. The following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated from the fisheries fund for the office of the state fish commissioner for the remainder of the biennial period ending March 31. 1917, to-wit:

Construction, repairs and maintenance of the salmon Appropriahatcheries, and patrol service and traveling expenses, \$20,618.99. \$19,654.73.

Destruction of seals, Columbia river district, as provided by section 88 of fisheries code, \$964.26.

The foregoing appropriations shall be in lieu of any appropriations made by existing laws for the same purposes and any unexpended balance of any appropriation heretofore made for such purposes shall revert to the fisheries fund.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate pres- Emergency. ervation of the public peace, health and safety, the support of the state government, and its existing institutions and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the House January 12, 1917.

Passed the Senate January 31, 1917.

Approved by the Governor February 7, 1917.