

Statutes. If no general indebtedness is authorized by the qualified voters, or if the legislative authorities shall not desire to incur a general indebtedness, bonds payable out of the gross earnings of such utility may be issued in the manner prescribed in section 9491 of Remington's Compiled Statutes. No irregularity in the form of any such warrants or in their manner of issue, shall be deemed to preclude such town from acting under the provisions of this act.

Passed the Senate February 6, 1923.

Passed the House February 26, 1923.

Approved by the Governor March 7, 1923.

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## CHAPTER 57.

[S. B. 153.]

### STATE LANDS.

AN ACT providing for the sale or lease of the portions of a government or public subdivision of state lands.

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

SECTION 1. Any tract of timber or agricultural state land containing less than the regular government or public subdivisions, where the reduced area of said tract is due to natural causes, or to isolation, may be leased or sold, or the timber thereon may be sold, under the laws relating to the sale and lease of state lands, whenever the commissioner of public lands shall deem it to be to the best interests of the state.

Passed the Senate February 15, 1923.

Passed the House February 26, 1923.

Approved by the Governor March 7, 1923.

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sale or lease.