licenses, after they have been on file in his office for a period of two years and certificates of title or registration or other documents, records or supporting papers, on file in his office which have been photographed or reproduced on film for a period of not less than thirty days: *Provided*, That there shall be retained and filed with the director, as a permanent record or otherwise, any records deemed necessary or convenient for use in completing the case record of any motor vehicle operator, or for any other purpose.

Passed the House February 1, 1955. Passed the Senate February 28, 1955. Approved by the Governor March 4, 1955.

CHAPTER 77.

DEALINGS WITH CONVICTS.

An Act relating to convicts, fixing a penalty, and amending section 23, chapter 147, Laws of 1891, and RCW 72.08-.150.

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

Amendment.

SECTION 1. Section 23, chapter 147, Laws of 1891, and RCW 72.08.150 are each amended to read as follows:

Illegal dealings with convicts.

No officer or employee of the state, or contractor or employee of a contractor, shall, without permission of the department make any gift or present to a convict, or receive any from a convict, or have any barter or dealing with a convict. For every violation of this section the offending party shall be guilty of a gross misdemeanor and shall incur in addition thereto the penalty as prescribed in RCW 72.08.140.

Penalty.

Passed the House February 9, 1955. Passed the Senate February 28, 1955. Approved by the Governor March 4, 1955.