

property to be sold or otherwise disposed of which adjoins or is adjacent to their land.

Notice under this section shall be sufficient if sent by registered mail to the owner, and at the address, as shown in the tax records of the county in which the land is situated. Notice under this section shall be in addition to any other notice required by law.

After sixty days from the date of sending of notice, if no applications for purchase have been received by the irrigation district or other person or entity sending notice, the preference rights of owners of adjoining lands shall be deemed to have been waived, and the real property may be sold or otherwise disposed of.

If two or more owners of adjoining lands apply to purchase the same real property, or apply to purchase overlapping parts of the real property, the respective rights of the applicants may be determined in the superior court of the county in which the real property is situated; and the court may divide the real property in question between some or all of the applicants or award the whole to one applicant, as justice may required.

Any sale or other disposal of real property pursuant to chapters 87.52, 87.53, and 87.56 RCW shall be made in accordance with the requirements of this section.

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CHAPTER 126

[House Bill No. 53]

MOTOR VEHICLES--

CLASSIFIED DRIVERS' LICENSES

AN ACT Relating to classified drivers licenses; amending section 1, chapter 20, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. as last amended by section 4, chapter 100, Laws of 1970 ex. sess. and RCW 46.20.440; and amending section 3, chapter 20, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. as amended by section 2, chapter 63, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 46.20.460.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

Section 1. Section 1, chapter 20, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. as last amended by section 4, chapter 100, Laws of 1970 ex. sess. and RCW 46.20.440 are each amended to read as follows:

It shall be unlawful for a person to operate (~~for~~

compensation)) upon the public highway any motor-truck, truck-tractor, school bus, private carrier bus, auto stage or for-hire vehicle as defined by RCW 46.04.310, 46.04.650, 46.04.521, 46.04.050, 46.04.190 and 46.04.416 respectively, found by the director to require special operating skills as hereafter provided, unless the driver shall have successfully completed an examination, in addition to the examinations in RCW 46.20.130, demonstrating the ability of the driver to operate and maneuver the vehicle or vehicles upon the public highway in a manner not to jeopardize the safety of persons or property: PROVIDED, That this requirement shall not apply to any person hauling farm commodities from the farm to the processing plant or shipping point, not to exceed a radius of fifty miles from the farm.

The director may issue a temporary permit to an applicant for a period not to exceed ninety days. This temporary permit may be renewed for one additional ninety-day period. The director shall collect a two dollar fee for said temporary permit, or renewal, and the said fee shall be deposited in the highway safety fund.

The director shall upon completion of such tests specially endorse the driver's license of the applicant to indicate the type of vehicle qualifications met.

Sec. 2. Section 3, chapter 20, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. as amended by section 2, chapter 68, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 46.20.460 are each amended to read as follows:

The director may in lieu of the special examination required in RCW 46.20.440 waive the requirement as to:

(1) Any person who is engaged in driving ((for compensation)) on the public highways a vehicle or vehicles classified pursuant to RCW 46.20.450; if

(a) His employer certifies that the applicant is well qualified by previous driving experience to operate the type of vehicle or vehicles covered by the special endorsement for which he has applied; or

(b) A self-employed driver who has been engaged in driving a vehicle or vehicles for a minimum of one year on the public highways and has passed a department approved driver training course or examination and/or his driving record on file with the department indicates that he is a safe and careful driver;

(c) Where by contract, written or implied, a labor union is required upon notice to furnish qualified and competent drivers, the department may accept the certification of the dispatching union official that the driver is qualified and competent to drive the particular equipment.

(2) Any driver who cannot qualify under subsection (1) of this section; if

(a) His employer certifies that he has satisfactorily completed a training course given by his employer which course has been approved by the director; or

(b) He is a self-employed person who furnishes a certificate that he has satisfactorily completed a course that may be given by a person or persons who have given a training course or examination approved by the director.

((c) Where by contract, written or implied, a labor union is required upon notice to furnish qualified and competent drivers, the department may accept the certification of the dispatching union official that the driver is qualified and competent to drive the particular equipment.))

The director may, however, notwithstanding subsections (1) and (2) of this section require the examination to be given by the department in any case where the applicant's driving record indicates that he has violated the traffic laws to an extent that it is in the public interest to require said examination.

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CHAPTER 127

[Engrossed House Bill No. 133]

BOUNDARY REVIEW BOARDS--

NOTICES OF INTENTION--

EXTENSION OF WATER OR SEWER SERVICE

AN ACT Relating to boundary review boards; amending section 9, chapter 189, Laws of 1967 as amended by section 5, chapter 111, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 36.93.090; and adding a new section to chapter 36.93 RCW.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

Section 1. Section 9, chapter 189, Laws of 1967 as amended by section 5, chapter 111, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 36.93.090 are each amended to read as follows:

Whenever any of the following described actions are proposed in a county in which a board has been established, the initiators of the action shall file a notice of intention with the board, which may review any such proposed actions pertaining to:

(1) The creation, dissolution, incorporation, disincorporation, consolidation, or change in the boundary of any city, town, or special purpose district; or