

CHAPTER 287.

[H. B. 201.]

GARNISHMENT: EXEMPTIONS.

AN ACT relating to the exemption of wages or salary, for personal services, from garnishment, amending Section 23 of Chapter LVI of the Laws of 1893, and repealing certain acts.

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

SECTION 1. That section 23 of chapter LVI (56) of the Laws of 1893, page 102, (section 703 of Remington's Compiled Statutes; section 8022 of Pierce's 1919 Code) be amended to read as follows:

Statute amended.

Section 23. Twenty dollars out of each week's wages or salary for personal services, rendered by any person having a family dependent upon him for support, shall be exempt from garnishment, whether such wages or salary are paid, or to be paid, weekly, biweekly, monthly, or at other intervals, and whether there be due the defendant wages for one week or a longer period: *Provided*, That no money due or earned as wages or salary shall be exempt from garnishment in lieu of any other property.

Wages exempt from garnishment.

SEC. 2. That chapter XXIV (24) of the Laws of 1897, page 24; chapter CXXXIX (139) of the Laws of 1901, pages 294-295, and chapter 210 of the Laws of 1907, page 477, are hereby repealed.

Passed the House March 9, 1927.

Passed the Senate March 9, 1927.

Approved by the Governor March 19, 1927.