

CHAPTER 99.

[H. B. 306.]

RAILROADS—SPECIAL POLICE.

AN ACT relating to appointment of special police officers for railroad corporations; and amending section 2, chapter 118, Laws of 1915 and RCW 81.60.020.

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

Amendment.

SECTION 1. Section 2, chapter 118, Laws of 1915 and RCW 81.60.020 are each amended to read as follows:

Procedure for appointing special police.

Any railroad corporation desiring the appointment of any of its officers, agents or servants not exceeding twenty-five in number for any one division of any railroad operating in this state, (division, as herein intended, shall mean the part of any railroad or railroads under the jurisdiction of any one division superintendent), as special police officers shall file with the governor an application stating the name, age and place of residence of the person whose appointment it desires, the position he occupies with the railroad corporation, the nature of his duties and the reasons why his appointment is desired, which application shall be signed by the president or some managing officer of the railroad corporation and shall be accompanied by an affidavit of such officer to the effect that he is acquainted with the person whose appointment is sought, that he believes him to be of good moral character, and that he is of such character and experience that he can be safely entrusted with the powers of a police officer.

Passed the House February 10, 1955.

Passed the Senate March 2, 1955.

Approved by the Governor March 8, 1955.