

in thirty days after their receipt be paid to the state treasurer, and by him deposited in a fund to be known as the public service revolving fund.

SEC. 3. Every person, firm, company or corporation, or the officers and agents thereof, failing or neglecting to pay the fees herein required shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and in addition thereto shall be subject to a penalty of \$25.00 for each and every day that the fee remains unpaid after it becomes due, said penalty to be collected by the director of public works in a civil action. All fines and penalties collected under the provisions of this act shall be deposited into the public service revolving fund of the state treasury.

Penalty for failure to pay fees.

SEC. 4. The public service commission of Washington shall exercise all the powers and perform all the duties by this act vested in, and required to be performed by, the director of public works, until such time as said officer shall be appointed, qualified, assume and exercise the duties of his office.

Powers and duties conferred.

Passed the Senate March 3, 1921.

Passed the House March 8, 1921.

Approved by the Governor March 17, 1921.

CHAPTER 114.

[S. B. 242.]

EXERCISE OF POWERS AND DUTIES UNDER ADMINISTRATIVE CODE.

AN ACT relating to the exercise of powers and the performance of duties vested in or imposed upon certain officers, boards, commissions, bureaus, or departments of the state government, subsequent to February 9, 1921.

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

SECTION 1. The exercise of all powers and the performance of all duties which have been, subse-

Powers and duties of abolished offices, etc.

quent to February 9, 1921, vested in or imposed upon any of the officers, boards, commissions, bureaus, or departments of the state government, enumerated in section 135, chapter 7, Laws of 1921, are, at such time or times subsequent to March 31, 1921, as the act or acts so empowering or imposing, might otherwise become effective, hereby conferred and imposed upon the officers, committees, boards, or departments of the state government, created by chapter 7, Laws of 1921, which shall have been, by chapter 7, Laws of 1921, authorized to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the respective officers, boards, commissions, bureaus, and departments of the state government, abolished by chapter 7, Laws of 1921.

Powers and duties of offices created.

SEC. 2. Whenever, subsequent to February 9, 1921, powers and duties have been vested in or imposed upon any officer, board, commission, bureau, or department of the state government other than those specified in section 135 of chapter 7, Laws of 1921, which relate to the performance of the governmental functions which have been transferred to some other officer, committee, board or department of the state government by said chapter 7, such powers and duties shall, from and after the first day of April, 1921, be exercised and performed by the officers, committees, boards, or departments of the state government created by said chapter 7 and to whom such functions have been transferred.

Emergency.

SEC. 3. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the Senate March 8, 1921.

Passed the House March 9, 1921.

Approved by the Governor March 17, 1921.