

## CHAPTER 191.

[ H. B. 66. ]

## NATIONAL DEFENSE.

AN ACT relating to and in aid of national defense, providing penalties for violations thereof, prescribing the period of effectiveness thereof, amending sections 3, 4, 6, 7 and 10 of chapter 200 of the Laws of 1941, and declaring an emergency.

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

Amendments. SECTION 1. That section 3 of chapter 200 of the Laws of 1941 (section 8607-9 of Remington's Revised Statutes) be amended to read as follows:

Governor  
may  
designate.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Washington is hereby empowered, after conferring with military authorities to designate the State of Washington, or any portion or portions thereof, as a protective defense area or areas, with full authority to prescribe such regulations and restrictions not inconsistent with the provisions of this act as he deems necessary and proper for carrying out its purposes: *Provided*, That until nullified by executive action, existing regulations and restrictions heretofore made by the Governor are hereby validated and continued in full force and effect.

Prescribe  
restrictions.

Existing  
restrictions  
validated.

Amendments. SEC. 2. That section 4 of chapter 200 of the Laws of 1941 (section 8607-10 of Remington's Revised Statutes) be amended to read as follows:

Acts  
forbidden  
in area  
without  
permit.

Section 4. No person, unless possessing competent, responsible, military authority, shall, without registering and obtaining a permit from the Washington State Patrol, photograph, sketch, map, reproduce, or make notes or memoranda of, or pertaining to, national defense works, articles, materials, ships, aircraft, implements of war, personnel or activities nor shall any person without said authority, have, possess, use, or control any such

photograph, negative, film, plates, sketch, map, plan or other representation.

SEC. 3. That section 6 of chapter 200 of the Laws of 1941 (section 8607-12 of Remington's Revised Statutes) be amended to read as follows: Amendment.

Section 6. No person, unless possessing competent, responsible, military authority shall, within a protective defense area, without the authority of the Governor of the State of Washington, or his duly authorized agent, possess or use any code or cipher; use or have on or about the person any camera or other photographic equipment, telescope, or binoculars, or use or operate any radio transmitting set. Certain equipment forbidden in areas.

SEC. 4. That section 7 of chapter 200 of the Laws of 1941 (section 8607-13 of Remington's Revised Statutes) be amended to read as follows: Amendments.

Section 7. Any violation of this act shall constitute a felony, and shall be punishable by imprisonment in the State Penitentiary for not more than ten years, or by a fine of not more than \$10,000, or by both. Penalty.

SEC. 5. That section 10 of chapter 200 of the Laws of 1941 (section 8607-15 of Remington's Revised Statutes) be amended to read as follows: Amendment.

Section 10. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace and safety, and shall take effect immediately and shall remain in force until the end of the first legislative session after the termination of the existing war by the signing of a definitive treaty of peace, or by the proclamation of the President of the United States that hostilities have ceased or that the emergency justification of extraordinary war-time powers no longer exists. Effective immediately.  
Termination.

Passed the House March 5, 1943.

Passed the Senate March 9, 1943.

Approved by the Governor March 19, 1943.