

CHAPTER 140.

[ S. B. 249. ]

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY OF OWNERS AND OPERATORS OF MOTOR VEHICLES.

AN ACT relating to the giving of proof of financial responsibility by owners and operators of motor vehicles; providing for the suspension of licenses upon certain conditions; and amending section 9, chapter 158, Laws of 1939, as amended by section 3, chapter 122, Laws of 1941 (section 6600-109, Rem. Supp. 1941).

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

SECTION 1. Section 9, chapter 158, Laws of 1939, as amended by section 3, chapter 122, Laws of 1941 (section 6600-109, Rem. Supp. 1941), is amended to read as follows: Amendments.

Section 9. *Proof Required in the Event of Certain Judgments.* The motor vehicle operator's license shall (except as provided in section 12) be forthwith suspended by the Director upon receiving from the court in which rendered a certificate, in the form prescribed by the Director, showing that such person failed to satisfy within thirty (30) days any judgment which shall have become final by expiration without appeal within the time in which appeal might have been perfected, or by final affirmance on appeal, rendered against him by a court of competent jurisdiction in this state or in any other state, or in any District Court of the United States, for damages in any amount on account of personal injury, including death, or damage to property in excess of \$100.00, resulting from the maintenance, use or operation of a motor vehicle: *Provided*, That such a motor vehicle operator's license shall not be suspended or withheld from any person for the reason that such person has failed to satisfy in accordance with the above provisions any judgment rendered against him on account of a personal Proof required.  
License suspended.  
Minimum limitation of judgment.  
Not to apply when judgment debtor not driver.

injury, including death or damage to property where the judgment debtor was not personally operating the vehicle at the time of the injury or damage, whether such judgment has been rendered prior to the date of this act or thereafter.

Passed the Senate March 6, 1943.

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Approved by the Governor March 18, 1943.

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## CHAPTER 141.

[ S. B. 250. ]

### EMPLOYMENT OF HONORABLY DISCHARGED SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

AN ACT relating to the employment of honorably discharged soldiers and sailors of the United States, and their widows, in the public departments and upon all public works of the State of Washington and of any county thereof, and amending section 10753, Remington's Revised Statutes.

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

Amendments. SECTION 1. Section 10753, Remington's Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

Veterans'  
preference  
on public  
works.

Section 10753. In every public department, and upon all public works of the State of Washington, and of any county thereof, honorably discharged union soldiers and sailors, and their widows, and honorably discharged soldiers and sailors, and their widows, of the Spanish-American war and the Philippine insurrection, and of the war with Germany and her allies, and their widows, and of the existing war with Germany, Italy and Japan and their allies, and their widows, shall be preferred for appointment and employment; age, loss of limb, or other physical impairment, which does not in fact incapac-