

CHAPTER 8.

[ S. B. 171. ]

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

AN ACT relating to the Washington state patrol retirement system; reenacting section 5, chapter 244, Laws of 1955, and RCW 43.43.265 relating to recomputation of retirement allowances and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. Section 5, chapter 244, Laws of 1955 and RCW 43.43.265 are both reenacted as follows:

RCW 43.43.265 reenacted. Recomputation of average final salary.

The average final salary of members now retired shall be recomputed in accordance with RCW 43.43-.120 (14) and from the effective date of this act the retirement allowance of such members shall be paid under RCW 43.43.260 upon the basis of the average final salary as recomputed.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act are intended to be remedial and procedural and any benefits heretofore paid to recipients hereunder pursuant to any previous act are retroactively included and authorized as a part of this act.

Construction.

SEC. 3. If any provisions of this act, or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act, or the application of the provision to any other persons or circumstances is not affected.

Severability.

SEC. 4. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, the support of state government and its existing institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

Emergency.

Passed the Senate January 26, 1959.

Passed the House January 27, 1959.

Approved by the Governor January 29, 1959.