

CHAPTER 56.

[S. B. 132.]

BLIND MADE PRODUCTS.

AN ACT relating to blind made products; and amending section 1, chapter 100, Laws of 1959 and RCW 19.06.010; and amending section 2, chapter 100, Laws of 1959 and RCW 19.06.020; and adding two new sections to chapter 100, Laws of 1959 and chapter 19.06 RCW.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1, chapter 100, Laws of 1959 and RCW 19.06.010 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 19.06.010 amended.

Products made by blind persons and sold or distributed in this state as blind made may bear a label affixed directly to the product reading "MADE BY THE BLIND" and shall show the distributor's or manufacturer's name. Any product bearing such label shall have been made by blind people to the extent of at least seventy-five percent of the man hours required for its manufacture. No other label, trade name or sales device tending to create the impression that a product is made by blind persons shall be used in connection with the sale or distribution of such product unless the product shall have been made by blind people to the extent of at least seventy-five percent of the man hours required for its manufacture.

Blind made products. Labelling requirements.

SEC. 2. There is added to chapter 100, Laws of 1959 and to chapter 19.06 RCW a new section to read as follows:

New section.

No advertising of blind made products shall refer to any product which is not blind made, nor shall any such advertising contain or refer to names or pictures of any blind persons or otherwise exploit the blind.

Advertising, references to blind prohibited.

New section.

SEC. 3. There is added to chapter 100, Laws of 1959 and to chapter 19.06 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Penalty.

Any violation of this chapter shall be a misdemeanor.

RCW 19.06.020 amended.

SEC. 4. Section 2, chapter 100, Laws of 1959 and RCW 19.06.020 are each amended to read as follows:

Governmental agencies to purchase blind made goods, services.

Any board, commission, officer, employee or other person or persons of the state, or any county, city, town, school district or other agency, political subdivision or taxing district of the state, whose duty it is to purchase materials, supplies, goods, wares, merchandise or produce, or to procure services, for the use of any department or institution within the state, shall make such purchases and procure such services whenever available, from any nonprofit agency for the blind located within the state which manufactures or distributes blind made products: *Provided*, That the goods and services made by or offered by such agencies shall be equal in quality and price to those available from other sources.

Passed the Senate February 1, 1961.

Passed the House February 25, 1961.

Approved by the Governor March 6, 1961.

CHAPTER 57.

[S. B. 134.]

VOLUNTEER FIREMEN'S RELIEF AND PENSIONS.

AN ACT relating to volunteer firemen's relief and pensions; amending section 16, chapter 261, Laws of 1945 as last amended by section 2, chapter 159, Laws of 1957, and RCW 41.24.160; amending section 17, chapter 261, Laws of 1945 as last amended by section 3, chapter 253, Laws of 1953, and RCW 41.24.170; amending section 18, chapter 261, Laws of 1945, and RCW 41.24.180; amending section 20, chapter 261, Laws of 1945 as amended by section 5, chapter 253, Laws of 1953, and RCW 41.24.200; amending