

persons engaged in the assessment of real property for purposes of taxation. The bill as originally drafted granted an exemption from the qualification provisions for persons who had attended and satisfactorily completed an assessor's school operated jointly by the Department of Personnel and the Washington State Assessor's Association. In fact, this school is operated jointly by the Assessor's Association and the Department of Revenue.

I have vetoed from the bill that language relating to the assessor's school in this erroneous fashion. I urge the Legislature to cure this defect in the language of the bill by adopting new legislation which would exempt from the qualification provisions imposed by this bill persons who have completed the assessor's school operated jointly by the Department of Revenue and the Washington State Assessor's Association.

With the exception of the item referred to above, the remainder of the bill is approved."

CHAPTER 28

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 35]

COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES--

INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS--

E. W. S. C., DEGREES IN NURSING OR DENTAL HYGIENE

AN ACT Relating to higher education; adding a new section to chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and to chapter 28B.40 RCW; adding new sections to chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and to chapter 28B.10 RCW; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and to chapter 28B.40 RCW a new section to read as follows:

In addition to all other powers and duties given to it by law, the board of trustees of Eastern Washington State College may grant a bachelor of science degree in nursing and/or a bachelor of science degree in dental hygiene to any student who has satisfactorily completed the requirements for such degrees as determined by the board of trustees.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. There is added to chapter 28B.10 RCW a

new section to read as follows:

The governing boards of each of the state universities, state colleges, and community colleges in addition to their other duties prescribed by law shall have the power and authority to establish programs for intercollegiate athletic competition. Such competition may include participation as a member of an athletic conference or conferences, in accordance with conference rules.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. There is added to chapter 28B.10 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Funds used for purposes of providing scholarships or other forms of financial assistance to students in return for participation in intercollegiate athletics in accordance with section 1 *[2] of this 1971 act shall be limited to moneys received as contributed or donated funds, or revenues derived from athletic events, including gate receipts and revenues obtained from the licensing of radio and television broadcasts.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. This 1971 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 April 7, 1971.

Passed the House April 6, 1971.

Approved by the Governor April 14, 1971.

Filed in Office of Secretary of State April 14, 1971.

CHAPTER 29

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 156]

SNOWMOBILE ACT

AN ACT Relating to self-propelled vehicles; creating new sections; prescribing penalties; and making appropriations.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

NEW SECTION. Section 1. As used in this 1971 act the following words and phrases shall have the designated meanings unless a different meaning is expressly provided or the context otherwise clearly indicated:

(1) "Person" shall mean any individual, firm, partnership, association, or corporation.

(2) "Snowmobile" shall mean any self-propelled vehicle capable of traveling over snow or ice, which utilizes as its means of propulsion an endless belt tread, or cleats, or any combination of these or other similar means of contact with the surface upon which it is operated, and which is steered wholly or in part by skis or