

corporation shall continue for the period of fifty years from the date of the filing of such certificate, unless sooner terminated pursuant to law.

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CHAPTER 112

[Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 2855]

COMMUNITY COLLEGE FACULTY TENURE

AN ACT Relating to community college faculty tenure; and amending section 33, chapter 283, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. as last amended by section 1, chapter 33, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 28B.50.851.

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

Section 1. Section 33, chapter 283, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. as last amended by section 1, chapter 33, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 28B.50.851 are each amended to read as follows:

As used in RCW 28B.50.850 through 28B.50.869:

(1) "Tenure" shall mean a faculty appointment for an indefinite period of time which may be revoked only for adequate cause and by due process;

(2) (a) "Faculty appointment", except as otherwise provided in subsection (2)(b) below, shall mean full time employment as a teacher, counselor, librarian or other position for which the training, experience and responsibilities are comparable as determined by the appointing authority, except administrative appointments; "faculty appointment" shall also mean department heads, division heads and administrators to the extent that such department heads, division heads or administrators have had or do have status as a teacher, counselor, or librarian;

(b) "Faculty appointment" shall not mean special faculty appointment as a teacher, counselor, librarian, or other position as enumerated in subsection (2)(a) of this section, when such employment results from special funds provided to a community college district from federal moneys or other special funds which other funds are designated as "special funds" by the state board for community college education: PROVIDED, That such "special funds" so designated by the state board for purposes of this act shall apply only to teachers, counselors and librarians hired from grants and service agreements and teachers, counselors and librarians hired in non-formula positions. A special faculty appointment resulting from such special financing may be terminated upon a reduction or elimination of funding or a reduction or elimination of program: PROVIDED FURTHER, That a "faculty appointee" holding a faculty appointment pursuant to subsections (1) or (2)(a) who has been subsequently transferred to a position financed from "special funds" pursuant to subsection (2)(b) and who thereafter loses his position upon reduction or elimination of such "special funding" shall be entitled to be returned to his previous status as a faculty appointee pursuant to subsection (1) or (2)(a) depending upon his status prior to the "special funding" transfer. Notwithstanding the fact that tenure shall not be granted to anyone holding a special faculty appointment, the termination of any such faculty appointment prior to the

expiration of the term of such faculty member's individual contract for any cause which is not related to elimination or reduction of financing or the elimination or reduction of program shall be considered a termination for cause subject to the provisions of this chapter;

(3) "Probationary faculty appointment" shall mean a faculty appointment for a designated period of time which may be terminated without cause upon expiration of the probationer's terms of employment;

(4) "Probationer" shall mean an individual holding a probationary faculty appointment;

(5) "Administrative appointment" shall mean employment in a specific administrative position as determined by the appointing authority;

(6) "Appointing authority" shall mean the board of trustees of a community college district;

(7) "Review committee" shall mean a committee composed of the probationer's faculty peers, a student representative, and the administrative staff of the community college: PROVIDED, That the majority of the committee shall consist of the probationer's faculty peers.

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CHAPTER 113

[Senate Bill No. 2960]

EMERGENCY SERVICES

AN ACT Relating to emergency services; amending section 3, chapter 178, Laws of 1951 as last amended by section 4, chapter 171, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 38.52.010; amending section 2, chapter 178, Laws of 1951 as last amended by section 5, chapter 171, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 38.52.020; and amending section 4, chapter 178, Laws of 1951 as last amended by section 58, chapter 154, Laws of 1973 1st ex. sess. and RCW 38.52.030.

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

Section 1. Section 3, chapter 178, Laws of 1951 as last amended by section 4, chapter 171, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 38.52.010 are each amended to read as follows:

As used in this chapter:

(1) "Emergency services" means the preparation for and the carrying out of all emergency functions, other than functions for which the military forces are primarily responsible, to minimize and repair injury and damage, and to aid victims suffering from damage, resulting from disasters caused by enemy attack, sabotage, or other hostile action, or by fire, flood, storm, earthquake, or other natural causes, and to provide support for search and rescue operations for persons and property in distress. These functions include, without limitation, fire fighting services, police services, medical and health services, rescue, engineering, air raid warning services, communications, radiological, chemical and other special weapons defense, evacuation of persons from stricken areas, emergency welfare services, emergency transportation, existing or properly assigned functions of plant