

of each such application, contract, agreement, or state plan.

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CHAPTER 42.

[Senate Bill No. 634.]

PLANNING AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS AGENCY—STATE CENSUS BOARD ABOLISHED.

AN ACT relating to state and local government; transferring certain powers and duties of the state census board to the planning and community affairs agency; abolishing the state census board; amending section 1, chapter 299, Laws of 1961 and RCW 3.30.010; amending section 35.13.260, chapter 7, Laws of 1965 and RCW 35.13.260; adding a new section to chapter 74, Laws of 1967 (Substitute House Bill No. 78); and declaring an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 1, chapter 299, Laws of 1961 and RCW 3.30.010 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 3.30.010
amended.

As used herein:

“City” means an incorporated city or town.

Census.
Definitions.

“Department” means the designation of an administrative unit of a justice court established for the orderly and efficient administration of justice court business and may include, without being limited in scope thereby, a unit or units for determining one or more of the following: Traffic cases, violations of city ordinances, violations of state law, criminal cases, civil cases, or jury cases.

“Population” means the latest population of the judicial district of each county as estimated by the Washington state census board and certified to the

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fairs agency.

board of county commissioners on or before May 1, 1962 and on or before May 1st 1966 and thereafter as estimated and certified by the planning and community affairs agency. The planning and community affairs agency, on or before May 1, 1970 and on or before May 1st each four years thereafter, shall estimate and certify to the board of county commissioners the population of each judicial district of each county.

RCW 35.13.260
amended.

Sec. 2. Section 35.13.260, chapter 7, Laws of 1965 and RCW 35.13.260 are each amended to read as follows:

Cities and
towns—
Annexation.
Notice to
planning and
community af-
fairs agency—
Population
figures.

Whenever any territory is annexed to a city or town, a certificate as hereinafter provided shall be submitted in triplicate to the planning and community affairs agency within thirty days of the effective date of annexation specified in the relevant ordinance. After approval of the certificate, the agency shall retain the original copy in its files, and transmit the second copy to the secretary of state, and return the third copy to the city or town. Such certificates shall be in such form and contain such information as shall be prescribed by the agency. A legal description and a map showing specifically the boundaries of the annexed territory shall be attached to each of the three copies of the certificate. The certificate shall be signed by the mayor and attested by the city clerk. Upon request, the agency shall furnish certification forms to any city or town.

Whenever the effective date of annexation as specified in the relevant ordinance is between April 2nd and August 31st inclusive, in any year, and the annexation certificate is submitted as provided herein, the population of the annexed territory shall be added to the April 1st population as determined for that year by the agency, and shall be used for the allocation and distribution of state funds to cities and towns commencing January 1st next follow-

ing. When a certificate is submitted subsequent to the thirty-day period from the effective date of the annexation as specified in the relevant ordinance, the population of the annexed territory shall not be considered until April 1st of the following year. The resident population of the annexed territory shall be determined by, or under the direction of, the mayor of the city or town. Such population determination shall consist of an actual enumeration of the population which shall be made in accordance with practices and policies, and subject to the approval of, the agency. The population shall be determined as of the effective date of annexation as specified in the relevant ordinance.

Until an annexation certificate is filed and approved as provided herein, such annexed territory shall not be considered by the agency in determining the population of such city or town.

Sec. 3. There is added to chapter 74, Laws of 1967 (Substitute House Bill No. 78) a new section to read as follows:

The state census board is hereby abolished.

New section.

State census board abolished.

Sec. 4. All matters relating to functions transferred under the provisions of this 1967 amendatory act which at the time of transfer have not been completed may be undertaken and completed by the director of the planning and community affairs agency, who is authorized, empowered, and directed to promulgate any and all orders, rules and regulations necessary to accomplish this purpose.

Census board duties transferred.

Sec. 5. This 1967 amendatory act shall take effect on July 1, 1967.

Effective date.

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