

sentence. The purpose of this act is to correct this apparent error.

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CHAPTER 31  
[House Bill No. 1361]  
WATER DISTRICTS—  
CODE CORRECTION

AN ACT Relating to water districts; amending and reenacting section 7, chapter 18, Laws of 1959 as last amended by section 69, chapter 195, Laws of 1973 1st ex. sess. and RCW 57.16.020; and declaring an emergency.

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

Section 1. Section 7, chapter 18, Laws of 1959 as last amended by section 69, chapter 195, Laws of 1973 1st ex. sess. and RCW 57.16.020 are each amended and reenacted to read as follows:

The commissioners may submit to the voters of the district at any general or special election, a proposition that the district incur a general indebtedness payable from annual tax levies to be made in excess of the constitutional and/or statutory tax limitations for the construction of any part or all of the general comprehensive plan. The amount of the indebtedness and the terms thereof shall be included in the proposition submitted to the voters, and the proposition shall be adopted by three-fifths of the voters voting thereon in the manner set forth in Article VII, section 2 (a) of the Constitution of this state, as amended by Amendment 59 and as thereafter amended. When the general comprehensive plan has been adopted the commissioners shall carry it out to the extent specified in the proposition to incur general indebtedness.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. This 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.

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

RCW 57.16.020 was amended by 1973 1st ex. sess. c 195 sec. 69. During the course of passage the phrase beginning the last sentence of the section "When the general comprehensive plan" was omitted but not indicated as deleted by double parentheses and strike-through deletion marks.

It is the purpose of this act to restore the deleted material and correct the apparent clerical error.

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CHAPTER 32  
[House Bill No. 1508]  
INSURANCE—RATE DIFFERENTIALS—  
SEX BASIS

AN ACT Relating to insurance; amending section 2, chapter 183, Laws of 1949 as last amended by section 3, chapter 214, Laws of 1973 1st ex. sess. and RCW 49.60.030; and amending section 6, chapter 141, Laws of 1973 and RCW 49.60.178.

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

Section 1. Section 2, chapter 183, Laws of 1949 as last amended by section 3, chapter 214, Laws of 1973 1st ex. sess. and RCW 49.60.030 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) The right to be free from discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, or the presence of any sensory, mental, or physical handicap is recognized as and declared to be a civil right. This right shall include, but not be limited to:

(a) The right to obtain and hold employment without discrimination;

(b) The right to the full enjoyment of any of the accommodations, advantages, facilities, or privileges of any place of public resort, accommodation, assemblage, or amusement;

(c) The right to engage in real estate transactions without discrimination;

(d) The right to engage in credit ((or insurance)) transactions without discrimination;

(e) The right to engage in insurance transactions without discrimination: PROVIDED HOWEVER, that different insurance rates may be continued and/or applied on the basis of sex when bona fide statistical differences in risk or exposure are substantiated.

(2) Any person deeming himself injured by any act in violation of this chapter shall have a civil action in a court of competent jurisdiction to enjoin further violations, to recover the actual damages sustained by him, or both, together with the cost of suit including a reasonable attorney's fees or any other remedy authorized by this chapter or the United States Civil Rights Act of 1964; and