

Defense production permit.

production permit covering a designated place of employment. Such permits shall be valid only during the existence of the specific emergency for which the permit was issued.

Duration of commission.

The commission shall continue in existence only so long as a national emergency, as proclaimed by the president, continues to exist.

Penalty.

Any employer violating the provisions hereof shall, upon conviction, be fined a sum not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars for each offense.

[Am. R.R.S. § 7651.]

Partial invalidity.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act are to be severable, and if any section, subdivision or clause of this act shall be held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the act.

Passed the House February 24, 1951.

Passed the Senate March 4, 1951.

Approved by the Governor March 13, 1951.

CHAPTER 85.

[H. B. 138.]

SALARIES OF OFFICERS IN SECOND CLASS CITIES.

AN ACT relating to salaries of officers of cities of the second class and amending section 35.23.220, R.C.W.

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

SECTION 1. Section 35.23.220, R.C.W., as derived from sections 1 to 5, inclusive, chapter 105, Laws of 1939, is amended to read as follows:

Amendment.

Council shall fix salaries subject to limitations below.

The city council shall fix the salary of all officials (except library trustees who shall serve without compensation) subject to the following limitations:

(1) The salary of the mayor shall not exceed **Mayor.**
fifteen hundred dollars per year; and

(2) The salary of councilmen shall not exceed **Councilmen.**
four hundred dollars per year, subject to a deduction of five dollars for each absence from a regular meeting of the city council.

No officer's salary or compensation shall be in- **Prohibitions.**
creased or diminished during his term of office, nor shall any officer be allowed any extra or additional compensation, either directly or indirectly, for the rendition of services that the city council have authority to require of him by virtue of his office.

The salaries of all city officers shall be paid **Paid**
monthly. **monthly.**

[R.C.W. 35.23.220 is derived from that part of Rem. Supp. § 9025 dealing with salaries of city clerks, that part of Rem. Supp. § 9031 dealing with salaries of city attorneys, and all of Rem. Supp. §§ 9017, 9026, and 9027. Duties of city clerks are codified in R.C.W. 35.23.090, and duties of city attorneys are codified in R.C.W. 35.23.140.]

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