

may be had to the supreme court or the court of appeals as in the case of civil appeals.

Sec. 11. Section 43.52.450, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.52.450 are each amended to read as follows:

The provisions of this chapter shall be cumulative and shall not impair or supersede the powers or rights of any person, firm or corporation or political subdivision of the state of Washington under any other law. The rights of all persons, firms, corporations and political subdivisions or operating units of any kind under existing contracts, renewals thereof or supplements thereto, with the United States, or any agency thereof, for power, are hereby preserved and such rights shall not be impaired or modified by any of the provisions of this chapter or any of the powers granted by this chapter.

The rates, services and practices of ~~((the commission or))~~ any operating agency in respect to the power generated, transmitted or sold by it shall not be governed by the regulations of the utilities and transportation commission.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 12. Section 43.52.340, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.52.340 are each hereby repealed.

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CHAPTER 185

[Substitute House Bill No. 1266]

STATE DIVISIONS OF BANKING, SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS—DEPUTY SUPERVISORS

AN ACT Relating to the department of general administration; amending section 43.19.020, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.19.020; and amending section 43.19.100, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.19.100.

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

Section 1. Section 43.19.020, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.19.020 are each amended to read as follows:

The director of general administration shall appoint and deputize an assistant director to be known as the supervisor of banking, who shall have charge and supervision of the division of banking. With the approval of the director, he may appoint and employ bank examiners and such other assistants and personnel as may be necessary to carry on the work of the division.

No person shall be eligible for appointment as supervisor of banking unless he is, and for the last two years prior to his appointment has been, a citizen of the United States and a resident of this state; nor if he is interested in any bank or trust company as director, officer, or stockholder.

In the event of the supervisor's absence the director of general administration shall have the power to deputize one of the assistants of the supervisor to exercise all the powers and perform all the duties prescribed by law with respect to banks

and trust companies, mutual savings banks, loan agencies, and other similar institutions that are performed by the supervisor so long as the supervisor is absent: PROVIDED, That such deputized supervisor shall not have the power to approve or disapprove new charters, licenses, branches, and satellite facilities, unless such action has received the prior written approval of the supervisor. Any person so deputized shall possess the same qualifications as those set out in this section for the supervisor.

Sec. 2. Section 43.19.100, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.19.100 are each amended to read as follows:

The director of general administration, shall appoint and deputize an assistant director to be known as the supervisor of savings and loan associations, who shall have charge and supervision of the division of savings and loan associations.

With the approval of the director, he may appoint and employ such assistants and personnel as may be necessary to carry on the work of the division.

No person shall be eligible for appointment as supervisor of savings and loan associations unless he is, and for at least two years prior to his appointment has been, a citizen of the United States and a resident of this state, and has had at least two years' practical experience in savings and loan employment, examination, or supervision.

In the event of the supervisor's absence the director of general administration shall have the power to deputize one of the assistants of the supervisor to perform day to day functions that are performed by the supervisor so long as the supervisor is absent: PROVIDED, That such deputized supervisor shall not have the power to approve or disapprove new charters, branches, or satellite facilities. Any person so deputized shall possess the same qualifications as those set out in this section for the supervisor.

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CHAPTER 186

[Substitute House Bill No. 125]

STATE SOLDIERS' OR VETERANS' HOMES

AN ACT Relating to public institutions; amending section 72.36.030, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 as amended by section 1, chapter 13, Laws of 1975 and RCW 72.36.030; reenacting and amending section 72.36.040, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 as last amended by section 1, chapter 101, Laws of 1973 and section 102, chapter 154, Laws of 1973 1st ex. sess. and RCW 72.36.040; amending section 72.36.060, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.36.060; amending section 72.36.070, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.36.070; amending section 72.36.080, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 as last amended by section 2, chapter 13, Laws of 1975 and RCW 72.36.080; amending section 72.36.090, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.36.090; creating new sections; and adding new sections to chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and to chapter 72.36 RCW.

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

Section 1. Section 72.36.030, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 as amended by section 1, chapter 13, Laws of 1975 and RCW 72.36.030 are each amended to read as follows: