

CHAPTER 166.

[H. B. 370.]

PRACTICE OF MEDICINE AND SURGERY.

AN Act relating to the practice of medicine and surgery; providing for registration fee and annual renewal of certificates of registration and the payment of an annual renewal fee; and repealing section 7 of chapter 192, Laws of 1909, as amended by chapter 82, Laws of 1913 (section 10010 of Remington's Revised Statutes); section 9 of chapter 192, Laws of 1909, as amended by section 5 of chapter 134, Laws of 1919 (section 10012 of Remington's Revised Statutes); and section 10 of chapter 192, Laws of 1909, as amended by section 6 of chapter 134, Laws of 1919 (section 10013 of Remington's Revised Statutes).

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

SECTION 1. Every person applying for a certificate to practice medicine and surgery shall pay to the Director of Licenses a fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25).

Fee for application.

Every person now licensed to practice medicine and surgery in this state, or who shall hereafter be licensed to engage in such practice, shall register with the Director of Licenses annually and pay an annual renewal registration fee of five dollars (\$5) on or before the first day of July of each year, and thereupon the license of such person shall be renewed for a period of one year. Any failure, neglect or refusal on the part of any person duly licensed to practice medicine and surgery to register and pay the annual registration fee shall render the license invalid, but such license shall be reinstated upon written application therefor to the Director of Licenses and payment to the state of a penalty of ten dollars (\$10), together with all delinquent annual license renewal fees.

Licensed doctors to register annually. Fee.

Penalty for failure to register.

SEC. 2. Section 7 of chapter 192, Laws of 1909, as amended by section 1 of chapter 82, Laws of 1913 (section 10010 of Remington's Revised Statutes);

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section 9 of chapter 192, Laws of 1909, as amended by section 5 of chapter 134, Laws of 1919 (section 10012 of Remington's Revised Statutes); and section 10 of chapter 192, Laws of 1909, as amended by section 6 of chapter 134, Laws of 1919 (section 10013 of Remington's Revised Statutes), are hereby repealed.

Passed the House February 18, 1941.

Passed the Senate March 12, 1941.

Approved by the Governor, March 21, 1941.

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## CHAPTER 167.

[H. B. 385.]

### REGISTRATION OF UNREPORTED BIRTHS.

AN ACT relating to the registration of unreported births; providing the procedure therefor, and repealing sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of chapter XCVIII (98) of the Laws of 1891 as amended by chapter XXVI (26) of the Laws of 1895, and section 3 of chapter CXVI (116) of the Laws of 1901 (sections 6011, 6012, 6013, 6014, 6015, 6016 and 6017, Remington's Revised Statutes) and declaring an emergency.

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

Registration  
of un-  
recorded  
births.

SECTION 1. Whenever a birth which has occurred in this state prior to the date of this act is not on record in the office of the State Registrar or in the office of the Auditor of the county in which the birth occurred if such birth was prior to July 1, 1907, and the attending physician is not available to make the registration, application for the registration of the birth may be made by the interested person to a judge of the Superior Court, either of the county of residence or of the county of birth, as hereinafter provided.

Procedure.

Application  
to Superior  
Court.

Form  
provided.

Supporting  
affidavit.

SEC. 2. The application shall be made upon a form provided by the State Registrar and shall be supported by the affidavit of at least two (2) persons having knowledge of the facts stated therein, or rea-