flicts herewith, and all other acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

SEC. 4. This act shall not affect any proceeding or action pending in any court whatever at the time this act shall take effect.

SEC. 5. This act is necessary for the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the House March 7, 1931. Passed the Senate March 11, 1931. Approved by the Governor March 20, 1931.

CHAPTER 120.

[S.B. 112.]

MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSES OF NONRESIDENTS.

AN ACT relating to the use of public highways, the licensing of motor vehicles, amending Chapter 96 of the Laws of 1921, as amended by Chapter 99, Laws of 1929.

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

SECTION 1. That section 11 of chapter 96 of the Laws of 1921, as amended by chapter 99, Laws of 1929, be amended to read as follows:

Section 11. Except as is herein provided for foreign corporations, the provisions of this act relative to the registration of motor vehicles and display of license numbers and licenses shall not apply to any motor vehicle or motorcycle owned by non-residents of this state if the owner thereof has complied with the law requiring the registration of motor vehicles or motorcycles or the names of the owners thereof in force in the state, foreign country or province, territory or federal district of his residence; and the registration number showing the initial or abbreviation of the name of such state, foreign coun-

Amends § 11, ch. 96, Laws 1921; ch. 99, Laws 1929.

Registration for nonresidents not required.

Saving as

to pending proceedings.

Effective

immediately.

try or province, territory or federal district, is displayed on such vehicle substantially as is provided elsewhere in this act: Provided. That the provisions Conditioned of this section shall be operative as to a motor ve- procity. hicle or motorcycle owned by a non-resident of this state only to the extent that under the laws of the state, foreign country or province, territory or federal district of his residence. like exemptions and privileges are granted to motor vehicles or motorcycles duly registered under the laws of and owned by residents of this state. If, under the laws of such state, foreign country or province, territory or federal district, motor vehicles or motorcycles owned by residents of this state, operating upon the highways of such state, foreign country or province, territory or federal district, are required to pay the registration fee and carry the license plates of such state, foreign country or province, territory or federal district, the motor vehicles or motorcycles owned by residents of such state, foreign country or province, territory or federal district, and operating upon the highways of this state. shall comply with the provisions of this act. Foreign corporations owning, maintaining or operating places of business in this state and using motor vehicles or motorcycles in connection with such places of business, shall comply with the provisions of this act insofar as the motor vehicles and motorcycles used in connection with such places of business are concerned.

A non-resident within the meaning of this act Non-resident defined. shall be held and defined to mean a person temporarily sojourning within this state for a period of ninety days or less in any one year.

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