

## CHAPTER 75.

[S. B. 228.]

HOME INDUSTRIES FOR ASSISTANCE OF BLIND  
PERSONS.

AN ACT establishing within the department of social security a division for improving the condition of the blind and for the prevention of blindness and prescribing the power and duties thereof; establishing a home industries revolving fund to assist the blind to become self-supporting and amending section 5 of chapter 132 of the Laws of 1937, being Remington's Revised Statutes 10007-3.

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

SECTION 1. That section 5 of chapter 132 of the Laws of 1937, being Remington's Revised Statutes 10007-3, be amended to read as follows:

Amends  
§ 10007-3  
Rem. Rev.  
Stat.

Section 5. Authority is hereby granted to the department of social security to create an operating fund of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) from any money appropriated for the division for the blind to be used to create a home industries revolving fund for the purpose of advancing the cost of production and wages for the blind engaged in industry under the supervision of the division for the blind and to promote the sale of articles produced by such industry. All money received from the sale of articles produced in industries of the blind under the supervision of the division for the blind shall be deposited in said home industries revolving fund. If there shall be in said fund at the end of any quarter unobligated money in excess of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00), then such excess shall be placed in the general fund. The department shall keep separate books of account for the industries of the division of the blind.

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fund.

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Approved by the Governor March 10, 1939.