Statute repealed.

SEC. 10. Section 6 of chapter 119, Laws of 1935 (section 8226-6, Remington's Revised Statutes) is hereby repealed.

Passed the Senate March 6, 1941.

Passed the House March 5, 1941.

Approved by the Governor March 12, 1941.

CHAPTER 66.

[S. B. 16.]

LEASING OF STATE LAND TO THE UNITED STATES FOR DEFENSE PURPOSES.

An Act providing for the leasing of state lands to the United States for defense purposes, and declaring an emergency.

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

State lands may be leased for defense. Section 1. State lands may be leased to the United States for national defense purposes at the fair rental value thereof as determined by the Commissioner of Public Lands, for a period of five years or less. Such leases may be made without competitive bidding at public auction and without payment in advance by the United States government of the first year's rental. Such leases otherwise shall be negotiated and arranged in the same manner as other leases of state lands.

Effective immediately. SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the Senate February 7, 1941.

Passed the House March 6, 1941.

Approved by the Governor March 12, 1941.