

Ordinance  
to fix  
compensa-  
tion.

Terms of  
appointive  
officials.

Caucus  
may  
nominate  
candidates.

Notice of  
caucus.

and may by ordinance fix their compensation. No appointment of any officer provided for herein shall be subject to confirmation by the City Council. All officers appointed by the Mayor as provided for in this act shall hold office during his pleasure.

Any such city is authorized by ordinance of its City Council to provide for the nomination of candidates to be elected at the general city election by a caucus to be held therein. Notice of such caucus shall be given by posting and publication at least ten (10) days prior to the date fixed for the holding thereof, and the caucus shall be held, in such manner as shall be determined by ordinance of the City Council.

Passed the House March 3, 1941.

Passed the Senate March 12, 1941.

Approved by the Governor March 19, 1941.

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## CHAPTER 92.

[H. B. 308.]

### PRACTICE OF DENTISTRY.

AN ACT relating to the practice of dentistry; providing for the examination and licensing of dentists and amending sections 2, 4, 5 and 25 of chapter 112 of the Laws of 1935 (sections 10031-2, 10031-4, 10031-5 and 10031-25 of Remington's Revised Statutes of Washington).

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

Amend-  
ments.

SECTION 1. That section 2 of chapter 112 of the Laws of 1935 (section 10031-2 of Remington's Revised Statutes of Washington) be amended to read as follows:

Board of  
Examiners  
created.

Section 2. A Board of Examiners to consist of three practicing dentists to be known as the Washington State Board of Dental Examiners is hereby

created, whose duty it shall be to carry out the purposes and enforce the provisions of this act as hereinafter specified. The members of the board shall be appointed by the Governor from a list of five or more names submitted by the Washington State component of the American Dental Association for each vacancy to be filled, and at the time of their appointment upon said board must be actual residents of the state in active practice of dentistry or dental surgery as hereinafter defined and must have been for a period of five years or more legally licensed to practice dentistry or dental surgery in this state and must be citizens of the United States. The members of the present board shall hold their positions until the expiration of their several terms and until their successors are appointed and qualified. No person shall be eligible to appointment on said board who is in any way connected with or interested in any dental college or dental department of any institution of learning. The term of office of each member of the board shall be three years and the term of one member of the board shall expire each year. In case of a vacancy occurring on said board, such vacancy shall be filled by the Governor as herein provided and the appointee shall hold office for the remainder of the term of the retiring member.

Duties.

Appointment  
by Governor.

Residence.

Qualifica-  
tions.

Restrictions.

Term of  
office.

Vacancy.

SEC. 2. That section 4 of chapter 112 of the Laws of 1935 (section 10031-4 of Remington's Revised Statutes of Washington) be amended to read as follows:

Amend-  
ments.

Section 4. No person, unless previously registered or licensed to practice dentistry in this state at the time this act shall become operative, shall begin the practice of dentistry or dental surgery, or any branches thereof, without first applying for and obtaining a license for such purpose from the Director. In order to procure a license to practice

Dentists  
must be  
licensed.

Form and  
contents of  
application.

dentistry in the State of Washington, the applicant for such license shall file his application in the manner provided by law, on forms furnished by the Director of Licenses, and shall therein state his name, age, place of residence, the name of the school or schools attended by such applicant, the period of such attendance and the date of his graduation, if said applicant is a graduate from such school or schools. Said application shall be signed by the applicant and sworn to by him before some person authorized to administer oaths, and shall be accompanied by testimonials of the applicant's moral character and proof of his school attendance and graduation from a dental college approved by the board and shall furnish a recent photograph, duly identified and attested. Each applicant shall pay a fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) which shall accompany his application. When such application and the accompanying proof are found satisfactory, the Director shall notify the applicant to appear before the board for examination at a time and place to be fixed by the Director. Examination shall be made in writing in all theoretic subjects, both theoretic and practical examinations shall be of a character to give a fair test of the qualifications of the applicant to practice dentistry or dental surgery. The examination papers, which shall be in the English language, and all grading thereon, and the grading of the practical work, shall be deemed public documents, and preserved for a period of not less than two years after the board shall have made and published its decisions thereon. All examinations provided for in this act shall be conducted by the board under fair and wholly impartial methods.

License  
fee.

Examina-  
tions.

Applicant  
failing  
may be  
reexamined.

Any applicant who shall fail to make the required grade in his first examination shall be entitled to a second examination before the expiration of one year at a time to be appointed by the Director, and

a fee of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) shall be required for said second examination. If said applicant shall fail to pass said second examination, he will not be permitted to take any further examination until he shall have attended and successfully passed the examinations of the senior year of a dental college approved by the board.

Fee for second examination.

Further examination restrictions.

SEC. 3. That section 25 of chapter 112 of the Laws of 1935 (section 10031-25 of Remington's Revised Statutes of Washington) be amended to read as follows:

Amendments.

Section 25. Nothing in this act shall prevent a legally qualified and licensed physician and surgeon from extracting teeth or performing oral surgery or a legal practitioner of another state from making a clinical demonstration before a medical or dental society or at a convention approved by the Washington State Medical or Dental Association nor shall this act prevent students from practicing or performing dental operations under the supervision of competent instructors in any reputable dental college.

Licensed physician may perform oral surgery.

Clinical demonstrations.

Students.

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Passed the Senate March 10, 1941.

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