

cases where written notice is received from an attorney that the illegitimate child is to be adopted.

- (6) Full name of father.
- (7) Residence of father.
- (8) Color or race of father.
- (9) Birthplace of father.
- (10) Age of father at last birthday, in years.
- (11) Occupation of father.
- (12) Maiden name of mother, in full.
- (13) Residence of mother.
- (14) Color or race of mother.
- (15) Birthplace of mother.
- (16) Age of mother at last birthday, in years.
- (17) Occupation of mother.
- (18) Number of child of this mother, and number of children of this mother now living.

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CHAPTER 158.

[S. B. 23.]

VITAL STATISTICS—CERTIFIED COPIES OF RECORDS.

AN ACT relating to vital statistics, providing for the issuance of certified copies of records, prescribing the fees and exemptions therefrom, preventing the disclosure of illegitimacy, and amending section 2, chapter 168, Laws of 1937 (section 6037, Remington's Revised Statutes, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 806-39).

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

SECTION 1. Section 2, chapter 168, Laws of 1937 (section 6037, Remington's Revised Statutes, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 806-39) is amended to read as follows:

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Section 2. It shall be the duty of the State Registrar to, upon request, furnish any applicant with a

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certified copy of the record of any birth or death, registered under the provisions of this act, or that portion of the record of any birth which shows the child's full name, sex, date of birth, and date of filing of the certificate, for the making and certification of which he shall be entitled to a fee of fifty cents (50¢) to be paid by the applicant: *Provided*, That a certified copy of the record of any birth may not disclose the fact of illegitimacy of birth, nor of information from which it can be ascertained, except upon order of the court or in cases where written notice is received from an attorney that the illegitimate child is to be adopted: *And provided further*, That no fees shall be demanded or required for furnishing certified copy, or copies, of birth or death to any veteran of World Wars I or II, or Spanish-American War, or dependent mother or father for use in connection with a claim for compensation or pension pending before the Veterans' Administration. For any search of the files and the records when no certified copy is made, the State Registrar shall be entitled to a fee of fifty cents (50¢) for each hour or fractional part of an hour employed in such search, to be paid by the applicant. But the State Registrar and all local registrars shall furnish upon application certificates of the age of children to be used in attending the public schools or in obtaining employment permits without fee or compensation. The State Department of Health shall keep a true and correct account of all fees received under the provisions of this act, and turn the same over to the State Treasurer on the first day of January, April, July and October. Local registrars in cities of the first, second and third class shall be entitled to charge for certified copies of records of births and deaths and for searching of records when no certified copy is made, the same fee as hereinabove provided, but such

fees, if any collected, shall be paid into the treasury of the city where collected.

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CHAPTER 159.

[S. B. 24.]

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS AND STILLBIRTHS.

AN ACT relating to vital statistics and the registration of deaths and stillbirths; providing the procedure therefor; defining a stillbirth; providing the form of certificates; and procedure in cases of death without medical attendance; and repealing section 5, chapter 83, Laws of 1907, as amended by section 4, chapter 180, Laws of 1915 (section 6022, Remington's Revised Statutes, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 806-9); section 6, chapter 83, Laws of 1907, as amended by section 1, chapter 168, Laws of 1937 (section 6023, Remington's Revised Statutes, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 806-11); and section 7, chapter 83, Laws of 1907, as amended by section 5, chapter 180, Laws of 1915 (section 6024, Remington's Revised Statutes, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 806-13).

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

SECTION 1. A certificate of every death or stillbirth shall be filed with the Local Registrar of the district in which the death or stillbirth occurred within three (3) days after the occurrence is known, or if the place of death or stillbirth is not known, then with the Local Registrar of the district in which the body is found within twenty-four (24) hours thereafter. In every instance a certificate shall be filed prior to the interment or other disposition of the body.

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SEC. 2. The funeral director or person in charge of interment shall file the certificate of death or stillbirth. In preparing such certificate, the funeral director or person in charge of interment shall obtain