CHAPTER 88.

[H. B. 103.]

PURCHASES FOR POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS OF STATE.

AN ACT relating to political subdivisions of the state, and the purchase of supplies, materials and equipment.

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

SECTION 1. Whenever authorized by ordinance or Purchases of resolution of its legislative authority any political subdivision of the state shall have power to purchase States. supplies, materials and/or equipment from or through the United States Government without calling for bids, notwithstanding any law or charter provision to the contrary.

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Passed the House February 7, 1945.

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Approved by the Governor March 15, 1945.

CHAPTER 89.

[H.B. 107.]

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION-CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

AN ACT giving workmen's compensation benefits to persons engaged in hazardous and extrahazardous occupations in charitable institutions.

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

SECTION 1. Every person employed in a hazard- workmen's ous and/or extrahazardous occupation by an individual, firm, association or corporation operating a charitable charitable or non-profit institution, enterprise, business or establishment, shall be entitled to the benefits of chapter 74, Laws of 1911, and all amendments

compensa-tion for institutions.