

CHAPTER 111.

[ S. B. 264. ]

FIXING SALARIES OF APPOINTIVE STATE OFFICIALS.

AN ACT relating to state government; prescribing the compensation of certain state officers; amending section 1, chapter 224, Laws of 1937; and declaring an emergency.

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

Amendment.

SECTION 1. Section 1, chapter 224, Laws of 1937 (sec. 10776-1, Rem. Rev. Stat. Supp.), is amended to read as follows:

Maximum salaries of appointive officials.

Section 1. The Directors of the several departments and members of the several boards and commissions, who are subject to appointment by the Governor, shall each severally receive such salaries, payable in monthly installments, as shall be fixed by the Governor upon the basis of official responsibility, not to exceed, however, the sum of ten thousand dollars per annum for the Director of Highways and the Director of Public Institutions and the sum of eighty-five hundred dollars per annum for the other Directors and members and the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars for the Director of the Veterans' Rehabilitation Council.

Emergency.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare and for the immediate support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the Senate March 10, 1949.

Passed the House March 10, 1949.

Approved by the Governor March 16, 1949.