

were not indigent and unable to earn a support for themselves and families, which widows have since the death of their husbands, become indigent and unable to earn a support for themselves: *Provided*, That such widows are not less than fifty years of age and were married and living with their husbands on or before three years prior to the date of their application, and have not been married since the decease of their husbands to any person not a member of a soldiers' home or colony in this state or entitled to admission thereto.

Passed the House February 14, 1955.

Passed the Senate March 2, 1955.

Approved by the Governor March 8, 1955.

CHAPTER 105.

[H. B. 424.]

EXCESS TAX LEVIES—BALLOT CONTENTS.

AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; and adding a new section to chapter 84.52 RCW.

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

New section.

SECTION 1. There is added to chapter 84.52 RCW, a new section to read as follows:

Ballot to indicate estimate of dollars and millage.

The additional tax provided for in subparagraph (a) of the seventeenth amendment to the state Constitution and specifically authorized by RCW 84.52-.052 shall be set forth in terms of dollars on the ballot of the proposition to be submitted to the voters, together with an estimate of the millage that will be required to produce the dollar amount; and the county assessor, in spreading this tax upon the rolls, shall determine the eventual millage rate required to produce the amount of dollars so voted

upon, regardless of the estimate of millage carried in said proposition.

Passed the House February 17, 1955.

Passed the Senate March 2, 1955.

Approved by the Governor March 8, 1955.

CHAPTER 106.

[S. B. 84.]

STATE TRADE FAIRS—HORSE RACING LICENSEES.

AN ACT relating to state trade fairs; providing for the disposition of certain licensees' fees paid to the state horse racing commission; creating a state trade fair fund; and amending section 2, chapter 34, Laws of 1947 and RCW 67.16.100.

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

SECTION 1. "Director" means the director of agriculture of the state of Washington. "Director" defined.

SEC. 2. For the purpose of this act, state trade fairs held in this state to be eligible for state financial aid shall have been in existence for two or more years and have been in participation with and general competition among persons from five or more countries during such period. State aid; eligibility requirements.

SEC. 3. The board of trustees of any state trade fair sponsored by any public agency, that qualifies hereunder, may apply to the director for moneys to carry on the continued development and operation of said fair. It shall be the duty of the director of agriculture to make annual allotments to participating state trade fairs and to issue vouchers for such purpose to be paid by the state treasurer out of the state trade fair fund. The division in payment of said fund shall occur at such times as the director shall fix, but in no event shall payment to any one state trade fair exceed thirty thousand dollars during any one year. Any state trade fair, before being able to Procedure.