CHAPTER 18.

[S. B. 415.]

APPROPRIATION—BILL DRAFTING.

An Act relating to the statute law committee; and making an appropriation; and declaring an emergency.

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

Appropriation.

Section 1. There is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund, for the Permanent Statute Law Committee, to carry out the provisions of chapter 257, Laws of 1953, salaries and wages, the sum of seventeen thousand six hundred dollars (\$17,600.00), or as much thereof as is necessary to pay the additional cost of preparing and drafting bills for the 1955 Thirty-fourth regular session of the Legislature.

Emergency.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate support of the state government and its existing public institutions and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the Senate February 9, 1955.

Passed the House February 10, 1955.

Approved by the Governor February 14, 1955.

CHAPTER 19.

SUPERIOR COURT JUDGES—ALLOCATION TO COUNTIES.

AN ACT relating to judges in the superior courts of certain counties; amending section 5, chapter 125, Laws of 1951 and RCW 2.08.063, and section 6, chapter 125, Laws of 1951 and RCW 2.08.064, and declaring an emergency.

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

Amendment.

Section 1. Section 5, chapter 125, Laws of 1951 and RCW 2.08.063 are each amended to read as follows:

Counties of Lincoln, Skagit and Island. There shall be in the county of Lincoln one judge of the superior court; in the county of Skagit and Island jointly, two judges of the superior court; in Walla Walla Walla Whitman, court; in the county of Whitman, one judge of the Adams. superior court; in the county of Yakima three judges of the superior court; in the county of Adams, one judge of the superior court.

SEC. 2. Section 6, chapter 125, Laws of 1951 and Amendment. RCW 2.08.064 are each amended to read as follows:

There shall be in the counties of Benton and Counties of Benton, Frank-Franklin jointly, two judges of the superior court; in the counties of Clallam and Jefferson jointly, one judge of the superior court; in the county of Snohomish three judges of the superior court; in the counties of Asotin, Columbia and Garfield jointly, one judge of the superior court; in the counties of Cowlitz, Klickitat and Skamania jointly, two judges of the superior court.

lin, Clallam, Jefferson, Sno-homish, Asotin, Columbia, Gar-field, Cowlitz, Klickitat and Skamania.

Sec. 3. This act is necessary for the preservation Emergency. of the public peace, health, and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the House January 26, 1955.

Passed the Senate February 9, 1955.

Approved by the Governor February 14, 1955.