

CHAPTER 119.

[ S. B. 217. ]

MINING CLAIMS.

AN ACT relating to geological, geophysical, and geochemical survey reports on mining claims, and the furnishing of reports to the state.

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

Definitions.

SECTION 1. Words or terms used herein have the following meanings:

"Geological surveys."

(1) "Geological surveys" means surveys on the ground for mineral deposits by the proper application of the principles and techniques of the science of geology as they relate to the search for and discovery of mineral deposits.

"Geochemical surveys."

(2) "Geochemical surveys" means surveys on the ground for mineral deposits by the proper application of the principles and techniques of the science of chemistry as they relate to the search for and discovery of mineral deposits.

"Geophysical surveys."

(3) "Geophysical surveys" means surveys on the ground for mineral deposits through the employment of generally recognized equipment and methods for measuring physical differences between rock types or discontinuities in geological formations.

Reports of surveys on mining claims—  
Contents.

SEC. 2. All reports of geological, geophysical, or geochemical surveys on mining claims which may be filed with the auditor of any county in this state pursuant to United States Public Law 85-876 or amendments or revisions thereto shall be so filed in duplicate, and shall set forth fully:

(1) The location of the survey performed in relation to the point of discovery and boundaries of the claim.

(2) The nature, extent, and cost of the survey.

(3) The date the survey was commenced and the date completed.

(4) The basic findings therefrom.

(5) The name, address, and professional background of the person or persons performing or conducting the survey.

SEC. 3. All county auditors receiving for filing duplicate copies of geological, geochemical, and geophysical survey reports on mining claims shall forward, monthly, one copy of each report received to the division of mines and geology of the department of conservation.

Department  
to receive  
copy.

Passed the Senate February 21, 1959.

Passed the House March 6, 1959.

Approved by the Governor March 16, 1959.

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## CHAPTER 120.

[ S. B. 298. ]

### VETERANS' HOME—SOLDIERS' HOME.

AN ACT relating to the burial of members of the Washington veterans' home and the Washington soldiers' home and colony; providing for the burial of husbands and wives of members of the colony of the Washington soldiers' home; and amending section 72.36.110, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.36.110.

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

SECTION 1. Section 72.36.110, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.36.110 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 72.36.110  
amended.

The superintendent of the Washington veterans' home and the superintendent of the Washington soldiers' home and colony are hereby authorized to provide for the burial of deceased members in the cemeteries provided at the Washington veterans' home and Washington soldiers' home: *Provided*, That this section shall not be construed to prevent any relative from assuming jurisdiction of such deceased persons: *Provided further*, That the super-

Burial of  
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members.