

CHAPTER 40.

[S. B. 145.]

PENAL INSTITUTIONS — LEAVES OF ABSENCE FOR INMATES.

AN ACT relating to the department of institutions, providing for authority in the superintendents of the state penitentiary, state reformatory, the state honor camps, and such other penal institutions as may hereafter be established to grant leaves of absence to inmates, under certain conditions, and authorizing the department of institutions to promulgate rules and regulations, and adding two new sections to chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and to chapter 72.04 RCW.

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

New section.

SECTION 1. There is added to chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and to chapter 72.01 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Leaves of absence authorized.

The superintendents of the state penitentiary, the state reformatory, the state honor camps and such other penal institutions as may hereafter be established, may, subject to the approval of the director of the department of institutions, grant leaves of absence to inmates confined in such institutions to:

- (1) Go to the bedside of the inmate's wife, husband, child, mother or father, or other member of the inmate's immediate family who is seriously ill;
- (2) Attend the funeral of a member of the inmate's immediate family listed in subsection (1) of this section;
- (3) Participate in athletic contests, and;
- (4) Perform labor in connection with the industrial or agricultural programs of such institutions.

New section.

SEC. 2. There is added to chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and to chapter 72.01 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Rules and regulations regarding leaves.

The director of the department of institutions is authorized to make rules and regulations providing for the conditions under which inmates will be granted leaves of absence, and providing for safeguards to prevent escapes while on leave of ab-

sence: *Provided*, That leaves of absence granted to inmates under section 1 hereof shall not allow or permit any inmate to go beyond the boundaries of this state. The director of the department of institutions shall also make rules and regulations requiring the reimbursement of the state from the inmate granted leave of absence, or his family, for the actual costs incurred arising from any leave of absence granted under the authority of section 1, subsections (1) and (2): *Provided further*, That no state funds shall be expended in connection with leaves of absence granted under section 1, subsections (1) and (2), unless such inmate and his immediate family are indigent and without resources sufficient to reimburse the state for the expenses of such leaves of absence.

Passed the Senate February 19, 1959.

Passed the House February 18, 1959.

Approved by the Governor February 26, 1959.

CHAPTER 41.

[S. B. 74.]

MUTUAL SAVINGS BANKS.

AN ACT relating to mutual savings banks; amending section 32.08.150, chapter 13, Laws of 1955 as amended by section 1, chapter 14, Laws of 1959, and RCW 32.08.150; amending section 32.12.010, chapter 13, Laws of 1955 as amended by section 4, chapter 80, Laws of 1957, and RCW 32.12.010; amending section 32.12.020, chapter 13, Laws of 1955, and RCW 32.12.020; amending section 32.20.250, chapter 13, Laws of 1955 as amended by section 5, chapter 80, Laws of 1955, and RCW 32.20.250; amending section 32.20.270, chapter 13, Laws of 1955, and RCW 32.20.270; and amending chapter 13, Laws of 1955, and chapter 32.20 RCW by adding thereto a new section.

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

SECTION 1. Section 32.08.150, chapter 13, Laws of 1955 as amended by section 1, chapter 14, Laws of

RCW 32.08.150
amended.