

## CHAPTER 47.

[ S. B. 15. ]

## PRISONERS—TRANSFERS, DETENTION CONTRACTS.

AN ACT relating to the imprisonment of felons; amending section 72.68.040, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.68.040; amending section 72.68.050, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.68.050; amending section 72.68.060, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.68.060; and amending section 72.68.070, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.68.070.

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

SECTION 1. Section 72.68.040, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.68.040 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 72.68.040 amended.

The director may contract with the authorities of the federal government, or the authorities of any state of the United States or of any county in this state providing for the detention in an institution or jail operated by such governmental unit, of prisoners convicted of a felony in the courts of this state and sentenced to a term of imprisonment therefor in the Washington state penitentiary or Washington state reformatory. After the making of a contract under this section, prisoners sentenced to a term of imprisonment in the Washington state penitentiary or Washington state reformatory may be conveyed by the superintendent or his assistants to the institution or jail named in the contract. The prisoners shall be delivered to the authorities of the institution or jail, there to be confined until their sentences have expired or they are otherwise discharged by law, or until they are returned to the Washington state penitentiary or Washington state reformatory for further confinement.

Contracts with other agencies for detention.

SEC. 2. Section 72.68.050, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.68.050 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 72.68.050 amended.

—Notice of transfer of prisoner.

Whenever a prisoner who is serving a sentence imposed by a court of this state is transferred from the penitentiary or the reformatory under RCW 72.68.040 through 72.68.070, the superintendent shall send to the clerk of the court pursuant to whose order or judgment the prisoner was committed to the penitentiary or the reformatory a notice of transfer, disclosing the name of the prisoner transferred and giving the name and location of the institution to which the prisoner was transferred. The superintendent shall keep a copy of all notices of transfer on file as a public record open to inspection; and the clerk of the court shall file with the judgment roll in the appropriate case a copy of each notice of transfer which he receives from the superintendent.

RCW 72.68.060 amended.

SEC. 3. Section 72.68.060, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.68.060 are each amended to read as follows:

—Procedure when transferred prisoner's presence required in proceeding.

Should the presence of any prisoner confined, under authority of RCW 72.68.040 through 72.68.070, in an institution of another state or the federal government or in a county jail, be required in any judicial proceeding of this state, the superintendent of the penitentiary or the reformatory or his assistants shall, upon being so directed by the director, or upon the written order of any court of competent jurisdiction, or of a judge thereof, procure such prisoner, bring him to the place directed in such order and hold him in custody subject to the further order and direction of the director, or of the court or of a judge thereof, until he is lawfully discharged from such custody. The superintendent or his assistants may, by direction of the director or of the court, or a judge thereof, deliver such prisoner into the custody of the sheriff of the county in which he was convicted, or may, by like order, return such prisoner to the state penitentiary or the state reformatory or the institution from which he was taken.

SEC. 4. Section 72.68.070, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.68.070 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 72.68.070 amended.

Upon the expiration of any contract entered into under RCW 72.68.040 through 72.68.070, all prisoners of this state confined in such institution or jail shall be returned by the superintendent or his assistants to the penitentiary or reformatory of this state, or delivered to such other institution as the director has contracted with under RCW 72.68.040 through 72.68.070.

Procedure upon contract expiration.

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## CHAPTER 48.

[ S. B. 46. ]

### LAW AGAINST DISCRIMINATION—GUIDE DOGS.

AN ACT relating to the law against discrimination; and adding a new section to chapter 49.60 RCW.

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

SECTION 1. There is added to chapter 49.60 RCW a new section to read as follows:

New section.

No blind person shall be refused service in any place of public resort, accommodation, assemblage or amusement solely by reason of the fact that he is accompanied by a guide dog. For the purpose of this act the term "guide dog" shall mean a dog which is in working harness and is trained or approved by an accredited school engaged in training dogs for the purpose of guiding blind persons.

Discrimination prohibited.

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