

CHAPTER 187.

[S. B. 13.]

DISCHARGED, PARDONED PRISONERS—RESTORATION
OF CIVIL RIGHTS.

AN ACT relating to the restoration of civil rights to persons convicted of infamous crimes; adding a new section to chapter 19, Laws of 1931 and chapter 9.96 RCW; and amending section 1, chapter 19, Laws of 1931 and RCW 9.96.010.

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

SECTION 1. There is added to chapter 19, Laws of 1931 and to chapter 9.96 RCW a new section to read as follows: New section.

When a prisoner on parole has performed the obligations of his release for such time as shall satisfy the board of prison terms and paroles that his final release is not incompatible with the best interests of society and the welfare of the paroled individual, the board may make a final order of discharge and issue a certificate of discharge to the prisoner: *Provided*, That no such order of discharge shall be made in any case within a period of less than one year from the date on which the board has conditionally discharged the parolee from active supervision by a probation and parole officer, except where the parolee's sentence expires earlier thereto. Such discharge shall have the effect of restoring all civil rights lost by operation of law upon conviction, and the certification of discharge shall so state. Parolee's order of discharge—Restoration of civil rights by board.

The discharge provided for in this section shall be considered as a part of the sentence of the convicted person and shall not in any manner be construed as affecting the powers of the governor to pardon any such person.

SEC. 2. Section 1, chapter 19, Laws of 1931 and RCW 9.96.010 are each amended to read as follows: RCW 9.96.010 amended.

Whenever the governor shall grant a pardon to a person convicted of an infamous crime, or when- Restoration of civil rights by governor.

ever the maximum term of imprisonment for which any such person was committed is about to expire or has expired, and such person has not otherwise had his civil rights restored, the governor shall have the power, in his discretion, to restore to such person his civil rights in the manner as in this chapter provided.

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Passed the House March 7, 1961.

Approved by the Governor March 20, 1961.

CHAPTER 188.

[S. B. 46.]

AIR POLLUTION CONTROL.

AN ACT relating to air pollution control; providing penalties; making an appropriation, and adding nine new sections to chapter 232, Laws of 1957 and to chapter 70.94 RCW.

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

New section.

SECTION 1. There is added to chapter 232, Laws of 1957 and to chapter 70.94 RCW a new section to read as follows:

State air
pollution
control board.
Established—
Members.

There is established in the department of health a state air pollution control board, hereinafter called the "state board", consisting of nine members to be appointed as follows: The state director of health shall be an ex officio member with vote and shall act as chairman of the state board; one member to be appointed by the governor who shall be representative of the public; one member to be alternately appointed by the governor from the faculty of the University of Washington or Washington State University, with the advice of the president thereof; one member to be appointed by the governor who shall be representative of the majority of workmen and selected from a list of names submitted to the governor by an organization, statewide in scope,