

CHAPTER 75.

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 31.]

INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND ALCOHOLISM.

AN ACT relating to intoxicating liquor and alcoholism; increasing certain license fees; providing for disbursement of certain moneys to the department of health; amending section 77, chapter 62, Laws of 1933 extraordinary session, as last amended by section 2, chapter 143, Laws of 1965 extraordinary session and RCW 66.08.180; amending section 23-M, chapter 62, Laws of 1933 extraordinary session as added by section 1, chapter 217, Laws of 1937, as amended by section 1, chapter 220, Laws of 1941, and RCW 66.24.320; amending section 23-N, chapter 62, Laws of 1933 extraordinary session as added by section 1, chapter 217, Laws of 1937, as amended by section 2, chapter 220, Laws of 1941, and RCW 66.24.330; amending section 23-O, chapter 62, Laws of 1933 extraordinary session as added by section 1, chapter 217, Laws of 1937, as amended by section 3, chapter 220, Laws of 1941, and RCW 66.24.340; amending section 23-P, chapter 62, Laws of 1933 extraordinary session as added by section 1, chapter 217, Laws of 1937 and RCW 66.24.350; amending section 23-Q, chapter 62, Laws of 1933 extraordinary session as added by section 1, chapter 217, Laws of 1937 and RCW 66.24.360; amending section 23-R, chapter 62, Laws of 1933 extraordinary session as added by section 1, chapter 217, Laws of 1937 and RCW 66.24.370; and providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 77, chapter 62, Laws of 1933 extraordinary session, as last amended by section 2, chapter 143, Laws of 1965 extraordinary session, and RCW 66.08.180 are each amended to read as follows:

Moneys in the liquor revolving fund shall be distributed by the board at least once every three months in accordance with RCW 66.08.190, 66.08.200 and 66.08.210: *Provided*, That the board shall reserve from distribution such amount not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars as may be necessary for the proper administration of this title: *And provided further*, That all license fees, penalties and

RCW 66.08.180
amended.

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forfeitures derived under this act from class H licenses or class H licensees shall every three months be disbursed by the board to the University of Washington and to Washington State University for medical and biological research only, in such proportions as shall be determined by the board after consultation with the heads of said state institutions: *And provided further*, That when the allocations in any biennium to the University of Washington and Washington State University shall amount to a total of one million dollars, the entire allocation for the remainder of the biennium shall be transferred to the general fund to be used by the department of health solely to carry out the purposes of RCW 70.96.085, as now or hereafter amended: *And provided further*, That twenty percent of the total amount derived from license fees pursuant to RCW 66.24.320, 66.24.330, 66.24.340, 66.24.350, 66.24.360, and 66.24.370, as such sections are now or hereafter amended, shall be transferred to the general fund to be used by the department of health solely to carry out the purposes of RCW 70.96.085, as now or hereafter amended. The budget director shall prescribe suitable accounting procedure to insure that the funds transferred to the general fund to be used by the department of health and appropriated are separately accounted for.

RCW 66.24.320
amended.

Sec. 2. Section 23-M, chapter 62, Laws of 1933 extraordinary session as added by section 1, chapter 217, Laws of 1937, as amended by section 1, chapter 220, Laws of 1941, and RCW 66.24.320 are each amended to read as follows:

Beer retailer's
license—
Class A.

There shall be a beer retailer's license to be designated as a class A license to sell beer by the individual glass or opened bottle at retail, for consumption on the premises and to sell unpasteurized beer for consumption off the premises: *Provided, however*, That unpasteurized beer so sold must be in

original sealed packages of the manufacturer or bottler of not less than seven and three-fourths gallons: *And provided further*, That unpasteurized beer may be sold to a purchaser in a sanitary container brought to the premises by the purchaser and filled at the tap by the retailer at the time of sale; such license to be issued only to hotels, restaurants, drug stores or soda fountains, dining places on boats and aeroplanes, and to clubs. The annual fee for said license, if issued in cities and towns, shall be graduated according to the population thereof as follows:

Cities and towns of less than 10,000; fee \$62.50;

Cities and towns of 10,000 and less than 100,000; fee \$125.00;

Cities and towns of 100,000 or over; fee \$187.50;

The annual fee for such license, if issued outside of cities and towns, shall be sixty-two dollars and fifty cents: *Provided, however*, That where dancing is permitted on the premises, the fee shall be one hundred eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents; the annual license fee for such license, if issued to dining places on vessels not exceeding one thousand gross tons, plying on inland waters of the state of Washington on regular schedules, shall be sixty-two dollars and fifty cents.

Sec. 3. Section 23-N, chapter 62, Laws of 1933 extraordinary session as added by section 1, chapter 217, Laws of 1937, as amended by section 2, chapter 220, Laws of 1941, and RCW 66.24.330 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 66.24.330 amended.

There shall be a beer retailer's license to be designated as a class B license to sell beer by the individual glass or opened bottle at retail, for consumption on the premises: *Provided, however*, That unpasteurized beer so sold must be in original sealed packages of the manufacturer or bottler of not less than seven and three-fourths gallons: *And provided*

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further, That unpasteurized beer may be sold to a purchaser in a sanitary container brought to the premises by the purchaser and filled at the tap by the retailer at the time of sale; such license to be issued only to a person operating a tavern. The annual fee for said license, if issued in cities and towns, shall be graduated according to the population thereof as follows:

Cities and towns of less than 10,000; fee \$62.50;

Cities and towns of 10,000 and less than 100,000; fee \$125.00;

Cities and towns of 100,000 or over; fee \$187.50;

The annual fee for such license, if issued outside of cities and towns, shall be sixty-two dollars and fifty cents: *Provided, however,* That where dancing is permitted on the premises, the fee shall be one hundred eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents.

RCW 66.24.340
amended.

Sec. 4. Section 23-O, chapter 62, Laws of 1933 extraordinary session as added by section 1, chapter 217, Laws of 1937, as amended by section 3, chapter 220, Laws of 1941, and RCW 66.24.340 are each amended to read as follows:

Wine retailer's
license—
Class C.

There shall be a wine retailer's license to be designated as a class C license to sell wine by the individual glass or opened bottle at retail, for consumption on the premises only; such license to be issued to hotels, restaurants, dining places on boats and aeroplanes, clubs, and to taverns. The annual fee for said license, when issued in cities and towns, shall be graduated according to the population thereof as follows:

Cities and towns of less than 10,000; fee \$47.00;

Cities and towns of 10,000 and less than 100,000; fee \$93.75;

Cities and towns of 100,000 or over; fee \$140.50;

The annual fee, when issued outside of the limits of cities and towns, shall be forty-seven dollars: *Provided, however,* That where dancing is permit-

ted on the premises, the fee shall be one hundred forty dollars and fifty cents; the annual license fee for such license, if issued to dining places on vessels not exceeding one thousand gross tons plying only on inland waters of the state of Washington on regular schedules, shall be forty-seven dollars.

Sec. 5. Section 23-P, chapter 62, Laws of 1933 extraordinary session as added by section 1, chapter 217, Laws of 1937 and RCW 66.24.350 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 66.24.350
amended.

There shall be a beer retailer's license to be designated as class D license to sell pasteurized beer by the opened bottle at retail, for consumption upon the premises only, such license to be issued to hotels, restaurants, dining places on boats and aeroplanes, clubs, drug stores, or soda fountains, and such other places where the sale of beer is not the principal business conducted; fee sixty-two dollars and fifty cents per annum.

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license—
Class D.

Sec. 6. Section 23-Q, chapter 62, Laws of 1933 extraordinary session as added by section 1, chapter 217, Laws of 1937 and RCW 66.24.360 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 66.24.360
amended.

There shall be a beer retailer's license to be designated as class E license to sell pasteurized beer at retail in bottles and original packages, not to be consumed upon the premises where sold, at any store other than the state liquor stores; fee thirty-one dollars and twenty-five cents per annum for each store: *Provided*, That a holder of a class A or a class B license shall be entitled to the privileges permitted in this section by paying an annual fee of twelve dollars and fifty cents for each store.

Beer retailer's
license—
Class E.

Sec. 7. Section 23-R, chapter 62, Laws of 1933 extraordinary session as added by section 1, chapter 217, Laws of 1937 and RCW 66.24.370 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 66.24.370
amended.

Wine retailer's
license—
Class F.

There shall be a wine retailer's license to be designated as class F license to sell wine in bottles and original packages, not to be consumed on the premises where sold, at any store other than the state liquor stores: *Provided*, Such licensee shall pay to the state liquor stores for such wines the current retail price; fee forty-three dollars and seventy-five cents per annum: *Provided, further*, That a holder of a class A or class B license shall be entitled to the privileges permitted in this section by paying an annual fee of twelve dollars and fifty cents for each store.

Effective date.

Sec. 8. The effective date of this 1967 amendatory act is July 1, 1967.

Passed the Senate March 29, 1967.

Passed the House April 17, 1967.

Approved by the Governor April 25, 1967.

CHAPTER 76.

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 55.]

ESCROW AGENTS.

AN ACT relating to escrow agents; and amending section 2, chapter 153, Laws of 1965 and RCW 18.44.020.

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

RCW 18.44.020
amended.

Section 1. Section 2, chapter 153, Laws of 1965 and RCW 18.44.020 are each amended to read as follows:

Escrow agents
—Exemptions.

It shall be unlawful for any person to engage in business as an escrow agent within this state unless such person has been registered with the department and issued a certificate of registration by the director pursuant to this chapter: *Provided*, That