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<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 3. If any provision of this amendatory act, or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act, or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

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CHAPTER 193

[Senate Bill No. 2501] STATE AUDITOR—POST AUDITS OF STATE DEPARTMENTS

AN ACT Relating to the state auditor; and amending section 43.09.310, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 as amended by section 2, chapter 170, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 43.09.310.

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

Section 1. Section 43.09.310, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 as amended by section 2, chapter 170, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 43.09.310 are each amended to read as follows:

The state auditor, through the division of departmental audits, shall make a post-audit of every state department at such reasonable periodic intervals as he shall determine but in each case an audit shall be conducted every two years: PROVIDED, That for any state department whose biennial appropriation is less than six hundred thousand dollars, such interval may exceed two years, but shall not exceed five years. A report of each post-audit upon completion thereof, shall be made in sextuplet, and one copy shall be transmitted to the governor, one to the director of the office of program planning and fiscal management, one to the attorney general, one to the state department audited, one to the legislative budget committee, and one shall be kept on file in the office of the state auditor.

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CHAPTER 194

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2862] LEGAL HOLIDAYS—PORT DISTRICT, MUNICIPAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AND PUBLIC TRANSIT EMPLOYEES

AN ACT Relating to legal holidays; and amending section 1, chapter 51, Laws of 1927 as last amended by section 1, chapter 1, Laws of 1973 2nd ex. sess. and RCW 1.16.050.

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

Section 1. Section 1, chapter 51, Laws of 1927 as last amended by section 1, chapter 1, Laws of 1973 2nd ex. sess. and RCW 1.16.050 are each amended to read as follows:

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The following are legal holidays: Sunday; the first day of January, commonly called New Year's Day; the twelfth day of February, being the anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln; the third Monday of February, being celebrated as the anniversary of the birth of George Washington; the thirtieth day of May, commonly known as Memorial Day; the fourth day of July, being the anniversary of the Declaration of Independence; the first Monday in September, to be known as Labor Day; the second Monday of October, to be known as Columbus Day; the eleventh day of November, to be known as Veterans' Day; the fourth Thursday in November, to be known as Thanksgiving Day; the twenty-fifth day of December, commonly called Christmas Day; the day on which any general election is held throughout the state; and any day designated by public proclamation of the chief executive of the state as a legal holiday.

If any of the above specified state legal holidays are also federal legal holidays but observed on different dates, only the state legal holidays shall be recognized as a paid legal holiday for employees of the state and its political subdivisions except that for port districts and the law enforcement and public transit employees of municipal corporations, either the federal or the state legal holiday, but in no case both, may be recognized as a paid legal holiday for employees.

Whenever any legal holiday, other than Sunday, falls upon a Sunday, the following Monday shall be a legal holiday.

Passed the Senate May 12, 1975. Passed the House May 30, 1975. Approved by the Governor June 6, 1975. Filed in Office of Secretary of State June 7, 1975.

CHAPTER 195

[Substitute House Bill No. 409] ELECTRICIANS—GENERAL OR SPECIALTY LICENSES

[Act prior to veto override: See chapter 92, supra.]

AN ACT Relating to electricians and electrical installations; amending section 1, chapter 30, Laws of 1969 as last amended by section 1, chapter 188, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 19.28.120; amending section 2, chapter 188, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 19.28.123; and amending section 4, chapter 188, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 19.28.125.

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

Section 1. Section 1, chapter 30, Laws of 1969 as last amended by section 1, chapter 188, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 19.28.120 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to engage in, conduct or carry on the business of installing wires or equipment to convey electric current, or installing apparatus to be operated by such current as it pertains to the electrical industry, without having an unrevoked, unsuspended and unexpired license so to do, issued by the director of labor and industries in accordance with the provisions of this chapter. All such licenses shall expire on the thirty-first day of December following the day of their issue. Application for such license shall be made in writing to the department of labor and industries, accompanied by the required fee, and shall state the name and address of the applicant, and in case of