

The term "venereal disease case investigator" shall mean only those persons who:

- (1) Are employed by public health authorities; and
- (2) Have been trained by a doctor in proper procedures to be employed when withdrawing blood in accordance with training requirements established by the department of social and health services; and
- (3) Possess a statement signed by the instructing doctor that the training required by subsection (2) of this section has been successfully completed.

The term "doctor" means any person licensed under the provisions of chapters 18.57 or 18.71 RCW.

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CHAPTER 60

[Substitute House Bill No. 385]

LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES—PURCHASE CANCELLATION

AN ACT Relating to life insurance; and adding a new section to chapter 48.23 RCW.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 48.23 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Every individual life insurance policy issued after September 1, 1977, shall have printed on its face or attached thereto a notice stating in substance that the policy owner shall be permitted to return the policy within ten days after it is received by the policy owner and to have the premium paid refunded if, after examination of the policy, the policy owner is not satisfied with it for any reason. If a policy owner pursuant to such notice, returns the policy to the insurer at its home or branch office or to the agent through whom it was purchased, it shall be void from the beginning and the parties shall be in the same position as if no policy had been issued.

This section shall not apply to individual life insurance policies issued in connection with a credit transaction or issued under a contractual policy change or conversion privilege provision contained in a policy.

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CHAPTER 61

[House Bill No. 386]

INSURANCE CONNECTION WITH DEBT OR LOAN

AN ACT Relating to insurance; amending section 20, chapter 193, Laws of 1957 and RCW 48.30.260; and amending section 6, chapter 219, Laws of 1961 as amended by section 1, chapter 82, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and RCW 48.34.060.