The chief inspector shall give an official receipt for ((said)) all fees required by chapter 70.79 RCW and shall transfer all sums so received to the treasurer of the state of Washington as ex officio custodian thereof and by him, as such custodian, shall place said sums in a special fund hereby created by this 1977 amendatory act to be designated as the "pressure systems safety fund". Said funds by him shall be paid out upon vouchers duly and regularly issued therefor and approved by the director of the department of labor and industries. The treasurer, as ex officio custodian of said fund, shall keep an accurate record of any payments into said fund, and of all disbursements therefrom. Said fund shall be used exclusively to defray only the expenses of administering chapter 70.79 RCW by the chief inspector as authorized by law and the expenses incident to the maintenance of his office. The fund shall be charged with its pro rata share of the cost of administering said fund which is to be determined by the director of the office of program planning and fiscal management and by the director of the department of labor and industries.

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CHAPTER 176

[House Bill No. 779]

LABOR LIENS ON FRANCHISES, EARNING, AND PROPERTY OF CERTAIN COMPANIES—NOTICE—MULTIPLE CLAIMANTS

AN ACT Relating to liens; and amending section 2, chapter 43, Laws of 1897 and RCW 60.32.020. Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

Section 1. Section 2, chapter 43, Laws of 1897 and RCW 60.32.020 are each amended to read as follows:

No person shall be entitled to the lien given by RCW 60.32.010, unless he shall, within ninety days after he has ceased to perform labor for such person, company or corporation, filed for record with the county auditor of the county in which said labor was performed, or in which is located the principal office of such person, company or corporation in this state, a notice of claim, containing a statement of his demand, after deducting all just credits and offsets, the name of the person, company or corporation, and the name of the person or persons employing claimant, if known, with the statement of the terms and conditions of his contract, if any, and the time he commenced the employment, and the date of his last service, and shall serve a copy thereof on said person, company or corporation within thirty days after the same is so filed for record.

Any number of claimants may join in the same notice for the purpose of filing and enforcing their liens, but the amount claimed by each claimant shall be separately stated.

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