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CHAPTER 35

[Senate Bill No. 4469]

POLLING PLACES—CODE CORRECTION

AN ACT Relating to polling places; and amending section 29.51.020, chapter 9, Laws of 1965 as amended by section 1, chapter 33, Laws of 1983 1st ex. sess. and RCW 29.51.020.

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

Sec. 1. Section 29.51.020, chapter 9, Laws of 1965 as amended by section 1, chapter 33, Laws of 1983 1st ex. sess. and RCW 29.51.020 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) On the day of any primary, general or special election, no person may, within a polling place, or in any public area within three hundred feet of (~~(any entrance to))~~ any entrance to such polling place:

- (a) Do any electioneering;
- (b) Circulate cards or handbills of any kind;
- (c) Solicit signatures to any kind of petition;
- (d) Engage in any practice which interferes with the freedom of voters to exercise their franchise or disrupts the administration of the polling place; or
- (e) Conduct any exit poll or public opinion poll with voters.

(2) No person may obstruct the doors or entries to a building in which a polling place is located or prevent free access to and from any polling place. Any sheriff, deputy sheriff, or municipal law enforcement officer shall prevent such obstruction, and may arrest any person creating such obstruction.

(3) No person may:

- (a) Except as provided in RCW 29.34.157, remove any ballot from the polling place before the closing of the polls; or
- (b) Solicit any voter to show his or her ballot.

(4) No person other than an inspector or judge of election may receive from any voter a voted ballot or deliver a blank ballot to such elector.

(5) Any violation of this section is a misdemeanor under RCW 9A.20-.010, and shall be punished under RCW 9A.20.020(3), and the person convicted may be ordered to pay the costs of prosecution.

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CHAPTER 36

[Substitute Senate Bill No. 4620]

VETERANS' PREFERENCE MODIFIED FOR CIVIL SERVICE PURPOSES

AN ACT Relating to veterans; and amending section 1, chapter 269, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. as last amended by section 1, chapter 230, Laws of 1983 and RCW 41.04.005.

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

Sec. 1. Section 1, chapter 269, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. as last amended by section 1, chapter 230, Laws of 1983 and RCW 41.04.005 are each amended to read as follows:

As used in RCW 41.04.005, 41.04.010, 41.16.220, and 41.20.050 "veteran" includes every person, who at the time he seeks the benefits of RCW 28B.40.361, 41.04.005, 41.04.010, 41.16.220, ~~((and))~~ 41.20.050, 41.40.170, 73.04.110, or 73.08.080 has received an honorable discharge or received a discharge for physical reasons with an honorable record and: (1) Has served in any branch of the armed forces of the United States between World War I and World War II or during any period of war; ~~((and))~~ or (2) ~~((has received an honorable discharge or received a discharge for physical reasons with an honorable record))~~ has served in any branch of the armed forces of the United States and has received the armed forces expeditionary medal, or Marine Corps and Navy expeditionary medal, for opposed action on foreign soil. A "period of war" includes World War I, World War II, the Korean conflict, the Viet Nam era, and the period beginning on the date of any future declaration of war by the congress and ending on the date prescribed by presidential proclamation or concurrent resolution of the congress. The "Viet Nam era" means the period beginning August 5, 1964, and ending on May 7, 1975.

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