CHAPTER 166

[Substitute House Bill No. 279] PUBLIC HOSPITAL DISTRICTS—BOARD MEETINGS—EXECUTIVE SESSIONS FOR HEALTH CARE PROVIDER STATUS

AN ACT Relating to public hospital districts; and adding a new section to chapter 70.44 RCW.

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

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 70.44 RCW to read as follows:

All meetings, proceedings, and deliberations of the board of commissioners, its staff or agents, concerning the granting, denial, revocation, restriction, or other consideration of the status of the clinical or staff privileges of a physician or other health care provider as that term is defined in RCW 7.70.020, if such other providers at the discretion of the district's commissioners are considered for such privileges, shall be confidential and may be conducted in executive session: PROVIDED, That the final action of the board as to the denial, revocation, or restriction of clinical or staff privileges of a physician or other health care provider as defined in RCW 7.70.020 shall be done in public session.

Passed the House April 12, 1985. Passed the Senate April 9, 1985. Approved by the Governor April 25, 1985. Filed in Office of Secretary of State April 25, 1985.

CHAPTER 167

[Engrossed House Bill No. 281] RADIO COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE COMPANIES

AN ACT Relating to regulation of radio communications service companies; amending RCW 80.04.010; and adding a new chapter to Title 80 RCW.

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

Sec. 1. Section 80.04.010, chapter 14, Laws of 1961 as last amended by section 10, chapter 191, Laws of 1979 ex. sess. and RCW 80.04.010 are each amended to read as follows:

As used in this title, unless specifically defined otherwise or unless the context indicates otherwise:

"Commission" means the utilities and transportation commission.

"Commissioner" means one of the members of such commission.

"Corporation" includes a corporation, company, association or joint stock association.

"Person" includes an individual, a firm or copartnership.