

for the protection, collection, compromise or settlement of any claim arising in case of loss; (4) to prescribe regulations, subject to this chapter, fixing the requirements for qualification of financial institutions as public depositories, and fixing other terms and conditions consistent with this chapter, under which public deposits may be received and held; (5) to make and enforce regulations setting forth criteria establishing minimum standards for the financial condition of bank and thrift depositories and, if the minimum standards are not met, providing for additional collateral requirements or restrictions regarding a depository's right to receive or hold public deposits. (6) to fix the official date on which any loss shall be deemed to have occurred taking into consideration the orders, rules and regulations of supervisory authority as they affect the failure or inability of a qualified public depository to repay public deposits in full; ~~((6))~~ (7) in case loss occurs in more than one qualified public depository, to determine the allocation and time of payment of any sums due to public depositors under this chapter.

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CHAPTER 26

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 4609]

COUNTY RAIL DISTRICTS

AN ACT Relating to county rail districts; adding new sections to chapter 36.60 RCW; and declaring an emergency.

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

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. The method of establishing, modifying, or dissolving a county rail district in sections 2 through 4 of this act is an alternate method to that specified in RCW 36.60.020.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. A petition to establish, modify the boundaries, or dissolve a county rail district shall be filed with the county legislative authority. The petition shall be signed by the owners of property valued at not less than seventy-five percent according to the assessed valuation for general taxation of the property for which establishment, modification or dissolution is petitioned. The petition shall set forth a legal description of the property and shall be accompanied by a plat which outlines the boundaries of the property sought to be annexed.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. If a petition to establish, modify the boundaries, or dissolve a county rail district is filed with the county legislative authority that complies with the requirements specified in section 2 of this act, the legislative authority may accept the petition, fix a date for a public hearing, and publish notice of the hearing in one issue of the official county

newspaper. The notice shall also be posted in three public places within the area proposed for establishment, modification, or dissolution, and shall specify the time and place of hearing. The expense of publication and posting of the notice shall be paid by the signers of the petition.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. Following the hearing, the county legislative authority shall determine by resolution whether the area proposed shall establish, modify the boundaries, or dissolve the county rail district. They may include all or any portion of the proposed area but may not include any property not described in the petition.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. All property annexed to a county rail district by a boundary modification under sections 2 through 4 of this act shall assume all or any portion of the outstanding indebtedness of the county rail district existing at the date of modification.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 6. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 7. Sections 1 through 5 of this act are each added to chapter 36.60 RCW.

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CHAPTER 27

[Substitute Senate Bill No. 4629]

PSYCHOLOGISTS—LICENSING

AN ACT Relating to psychologists; amending RCW 18.83.020, 18.83.035, 18.83.050, 18.83.080, 18.83.100, 18.83.130, 18.83.190, 18.83.200, and 43.131.323; and adding new sections to chapter 18.83 RCW.

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

Sec. 1. Section 2, chapter 305, Laws of 1955 as amended by section 2, chapter 70, Laws of 1965 and RCW 18.83.020 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) To safeguard the people of the state of Washington from the dangers of unqualified and improper practice of psychology, it ~~((shall be))~~ is unlawful for any person ~~((unless exempted from the provisions of))~~ to whom this chapter(;) applies to represent himself or herself to be a psychologist without first obtaining a license as provided in this chapter.

(2) A person represents himself or herself to be a psychologist when ~~((he))~~ the person adopts or uses any title or any description of services