administered by the director of the department of revenue or the director's designee pursuant to chapter 11.28 RCW.

The authority granted by chapter 1.08 RCW ((and)), RCW 44.28.140, and 47.01.061 shall not be affected hereby.

Sec. 2. Section 6, chapter 151, Laws of 1977 ex. sess. as last amended by section 94, chapter 287, Laws of 1984 and RCW 47.01.061 are each amended to read as follows:

The commission shall meet at such times as it deems advisable but at least once every month. It may adopt its own rules and regulations and may establish its own procedure. It shall act collectively in harmony with recorded resolutions or motions adopted by majority vote of at least four members. The commission may appoint an administrative secretary, and shall elect one of its members chairman for a term of one year. The chairman shall be able to vote on all matters before the commission. The commission may from time to time retain planners, consultants, and other technical personnel to advise it in the performance of its duties.

The commission shall submit to each regular session of the legislature held in an odd-numbered year its own budget proposal necessary for the commission's operations separate from that proposed for the department.

Each member of the commission shall be compensated in accordance with RCW 43.03.250 and shall be reimbursed for actual necessary traveling and other expenses in going to, attending, and returning from meetings of the commission, and actual and necessary traveling and other expenses incurred in the discharge of such duties as may be requested by a majority vote of the commission or by the secretary of transportation, but in no event shall a commissioner be compensated in any year for more than one hundred twenty days, except the chairman of the commission who may be paid compensation for not more than one hundred fifty days. Service on the commission shall not be considered as service credit for the purposes of any public retirement system.

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CHAPTER 365

[Substitute Senate Bill No. 5405]
HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE INFORMATION—CONSUMER PRODUCTS
EXCLUSION

AN ACT Relating to hazardous substance information; and adding a new section to chapter 49.70 RCW.

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

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 49.70 RCW to read as follows:

- (1) It is the intent of the legislature that this chapter shall not apply to products that are generally made available to the noncommercial consumer: PROVIDED, That such "consumer" products used by employees in the workplace are used in substantially the same manner, form, and concentration as they are used by noncommercial consumers, and that the product exposure is not substantially greater to the employee than to the noncommercial consumer during normal and accepted use of that product.
- (2) The department shall adopt rules in accordance with chapter 34.04 RCW to implement this section. This section shall not affect the department's authority to implement and enforce the Washington industrial safety and health act, chapter 49.17 RCW, at least as effectively as the federal occupational safety and health act.

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CHAPTER 366

[Engrossed House Bill No. 432] FRATERNAL BENEFIT SOCIETIES

AN ACT Relating to fraternal benefit societies; adding a new chapter to Title 48 RCW; repealing RCW 48.36.010, 48.36.020, 48.36.030, 48.36.040, 48.36.050, 48.36.060, 48.36.070, 48.36.080, 48.36.090, 48.36.100, 48.36.120, 48.36.130, 48.36.140, 48.36.150, 48.36.160, 48.36.170, 48.36.180, 48.36.190, 48.36.200, 48.36.210, 48.36.220, 48.36.230, 48.36.240, 48.36.250, 48.36.260, 48.36.270, 48.36.230, 48.36.290, 48.36.300, 48.36.310, 48.36.320, 48.36.330, 48.36.340, 48.36.350, 48.36.370, 48.36.380, 48.36.390, 48.36.400, 48.36.410, 48.36.420, 48.36.430, and 48.36.440; prescribing penalties; and providing an effective date.

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

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. Any incorporated society, order, or supreme lodge, without capital stock, including one exempted under the provisions of section 37(1)(b) of this act whether incorporated or not, conducted solely for the benefit of its members and their beneficiaries and not for profit, operated on a lodge system with ritualistic form of work, having a representative form of government, and which provides benefits in accordance with this chapter, is hereby declared to be a fraternal benefit society.

<u>NEW SECTION</u>. Sec. 2. (1) A society is operating on the lodge system if it has a supreme governing body and subordinate lodges into which members are elected, initiated, or admitted in accordance with its laws, rules, and ritual. Subordinate lodges shall be required by the laws of the society to hold regular meetings at least once in each month in furtherance of the purposes of the society.