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Passed the House March 3, 1967.

Approved by the Governor March 20, 1967.

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CHAPTER 99.

[Senate Bill No. 483.]

EXPLOSIVES.

AN ACT relating to public health and safety; and amending section 2, chapter 111, Laws of 1931 and RCW 70.74.020.

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

RCW 70.74.020 amended.

Section 1. Section 2, chapter 111, Laws of 1931 and RCW 70.74.020 are each amended to read as follows:

Public safety. Explosives. Restrictions.

No person shall manufacture, process, have, keep or store explosives in this state, except in compliance with this act, except that explosives may be manufactured without compliance with this act in the laboratories of schools, colleges and similar institutions, for the purpose of investigation and instruction. The director of the department of labor and industries is hereby delegated the authority to grant written waiver of this act whenever it can be shown that the manufacturing, handling, or storing of explosives are in compliance with applicable national or federal explosive safety standards.

It shall be unlawful to sell, give away or otherwise dispose of, or deliver to any person under eighteen years of age any explosives, whether said person is acting for himself or for any other person.

All persons engaged in keeping, using or storing any compound, mixture or material, in wet condition, or otherwise, which upon drying out or undergoing other physical changes, may become an explosive within the definition of RCW 70.74.010, shall report in writing subscribed to by such person or his agent, to the department of labor and industries, report blanks to be furnished by such department, and such reports to require:

(1) The kind of compound, mixture or material kept or stored, and maximum quantity thereof.

(2) Condition or state of compound, mixture or material.

(3) Place where kept or stored.

The department of labor and industries may at any time cause an inspection to be made to determine whether the condition of the compound, mixture or material is as reported.

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