

## CHAPTER 13.

[H. B. 4.]

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AS TO RIGHTS  
OF ACCUSED PERSONS.

AN ACT providing for the amendment of Section 22 of Article I of the Constitution of the State of Washington, relating to the rights of accused persons.

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

SECTION 1. That at the general election to be held in this state on the Tuesday next succeeding the first Monday of November, 1922, there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the state for their adoption and approval or rejection an amendment to Section 22 of Article I of the Constitution of the State of Washington, so that the same shall, when amended, read as follows:

“Section 22. In criminal prosecutions the accused shall have the right to appear and defend in person, or by counsel, to demand the nature and cause of the accusation against him, to have a copy thereof, to testify in his own behalf, to meet the witnesses against him face to face, to have compulsory process to compel the attendance of witnesses in his own behalf, to have a speedy public trial by an impartial jury of the county in which the offense is charged to have been committed and the right to appeal in all cases: *Provided*, The route traversed by any railway coach, train or public conveyance, and the water traversed by any boat shall be criminal districts; and the jurisdiction of all public offenses committed on any such railway car, coach, train, boat or other public conveyance, or at any station or depot upon such route, shall be in any county through which the said car, coach, train, boat or other public conveyance may pass

during the trip or voyage, or in which the trip or voyage may begin or terminate. In no instance shall any accused person before final judgment be compelled to advance money or fees to secure the rights herein guaranteed.”

Passed the House January 27, 1921.

Passed the Senate February 9, 1921.

Permitted to become a law without the signature of the Governor.

J. GRANT HINKLE,  
*Secretary of State.*

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## CHAPTER 14.

[H. B. 63.]

### PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT RELATING TO EXPENDITURE OF MONEY IN STATE TREASURY.

AN ACT providing for the amendment of Section 4 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Washington relating to the expenditure of moneys in the state treasury.

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

SECTION 1. That at the general election to be held in this state on the Tuesday next succeeding the first Monday in November, 1922, there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the state, for their adoption and approval or rejection, an amendment to section 4 of article 8 of the constitution of the State of Washington, so that the same shall, when amended, read as follows:

Section 4. No moneys shall ever be paid out of the treasury of this state, or any of its funds, or any of the funds under its management, except in pursuance of an appropriation by law; nor unless such payment be made within one calendar month after the end of the next ensuing fiscal biennium, and every such law making a new appropriation, or

Money  
disbursed  
only by ap-  
propriation.