

Inspectors
and judges
of election.

election herein authorized to submit a proposition or propositions to fund. The city council or other legislative body of such consolidated or existing city or town shall, in the ordinance providing for the election herein authorized, or in a separate ordinance or ordinances, appoint inspectors and judges of such election for the several precincts in said city or town, and prescribe the form of the ballot to be used at such election, and the mode of the voter's indicating thereon his vote for or against each proposition submitted. Said provisions shall be made in conformity with the existing registration and election laws of the state as nearly as may be, but the provisions hereof shall prevail over existing laws so far as may be necessary to effectuate the purposes of this act; and the election herein authorized shall be conducted and the result thereof canvassed and declared in accordance with the general laws of the state as modified by this act, and in accordance with said provisions to be made in pursuance hereof.

Emergency.

SEC. 4. An emergency exists for the immediate operation of this act; therefore, this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

Approved March 8, 1893.

CHAPTER LIX.

[H. B. No. 263.]

TO PREVENT MAKING OF DEFICIENCIES IN PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.

AN ACT to prevent the making of deficiencies in the public institutions and departments of the State of Washington, and providing for an emergency board.

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

SECTION 1. That in case of an emergency requiring the expenditure of a greater sum of money than the amount appropriated by the legislature for any institution or department established by the laws of this state, or requiring

the expenditure of money not specifically provided by law, there is hereby created an emergency board consisting of the governor, secretary of state, state auditor, state treasurer and attorney general. But no expenditure in excess of the amount appropriated by the legislature shall be made for any state institution or department except upon a permit granted by such emergency board.

SEC. 2. The governor shall be the president and the secretary of state shall be the secretary of the board. The secretary shall keep a complete record of all the proceedings. Any board or officer contemplated in this act desiring to ask authority to create a deficiency shall notify the secretary in writing setting forth fully the facts in connection with the case. As soon as can be done conveniently the secretary shall arrange for a meeting of the board and shall notify the board or officer of the time and place of meeting and request his or their presence at such meeting. The said emergency board may, in their discretion, either grant or refuse a permit to make an expenditure in excess of the amount appropriated by the legislature for such institution or department. But before a permit is granted it must have the approval of not less than four members of the emergency board who shall sign the same.

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CHAPTER LX.

[H. B. No. 377.]

PROVIDING FOR TAKING OF EXCEPTIONS, AND SETTLING AND CERTIFYING BILLS OF EXCEPTIONS AND STATEMENTS OF FACTS.

AN ACT providing for and regulating the taking of exceptions, and the settling and certifying of bills of exceptions and statements of facts, and declaring the effect thereof.

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

SECTION 1. An exception is a claim of error in a ruling or decision of a court, judge or other tribunal, or officer