

CHAPTER 11.

[S. B. 00.]

TRAFFIC CONTROL.

AN ACT relating to the control of traffic on the State Capitol grounds, prescribing the jurisdiction of certain justice courts, and prescribing penalties and declaring an emergency.

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

Director of Department of Finance Budget and Business to make regulations.

SECTION 1. The director of the Department of Finance, Budget and Business shall have power to devise and promulgate rules and regulations for the control of vehicular and pedestrian traffic and the parking of motor vehicles on the State Capitol grounds. Such rules and regulations shall be promulgated by publication in one issue of a newspaper published at the State Capital and shall be given such further publicity as the director may deem proper.

Chief of Patrol to enforce.

SEC. 2. The chief of the Washington State Patrol shall be the chief enforcing officer to assure the proper enforcement of such rules and regulations.

Penalty.

SEC. 3. Any violation of a rule or regulation prescribed under this act shall be punishable as a misdemeanor, and the courts of justices of the peace in Thurston county shall have exclusive jurisdiction over such offenses.

Jurisdiction.

Emergency.

SEC. 4. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of public peace, health, and safety and for the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the Senate January 28, 1947.

Passed the House January 29, 1947.

Approved by the Governor February 3, 1947.