

CHAPTER 86

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2166]

PRINTING AND DUPLICATING MANAGEMENT CENTER CREATED—PRINTING AND DUPLICATING COMMITTEE ABOLISHED

AN ACT Relating to state government; adding new sections to chapter 43.19 RCW; repealing section 43.77.010, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.77.010; repealing section 43.77.020, chapter 8, Laws of 1965, section 1, chapter 12, Laws of 1973 and RCW 43.77.020; repealing section 43.77.030, chapter 8, Laws of 1965, section 2, chapter 12, Laws of 1973 and RCW 43.77.030; repealing section 43.77.040, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.77.040; repealing section 43.77.050, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.77.050; and making an appropriation.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 43.19 RCW a new section to read as follows:

It is the intent of sections 1 through 6 of this act that the current activities of the printing and duplicating committee, presently fragmented within the department of general administration, the office of the public printer, and the office of program planning and fiscal management, be consolidated as an organizational entity, within the department of general administration, which shall expire on June 30, 1981.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. There is added to chapter 43.19 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The director of the department of general administration shall establish and staff an activity within the department to be known as the printing and duplicating management center. On June 30, 1981, all powers, duties, and functions of the printing and duplicating management center shall cease to exist. Not later than January 31, 1981, the director of the department of general administration shall submit to the forty-seventh legislature recommendations regarding functional disposition of the center's responsibilities.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. There is added to chapter 43.19 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The director of general administration, through the printing and duplicating management center, shall hereafter approve or take such other action as is deemed necessary regarding the purchase or acquisition of any printing, microfilm, or other duplicating equipment, other than typewriters, by any official or agency of the state.

The staff of the printing and duplicating management center shall develop a copier, duplicating, printing, and microfilm plan for the state, shall monitor implementation of the plan, shall recommend any necessary changes in the plan to the director, and shall develop and promulgate status reports to the governor, the legislative budget committee, and to the pertinent executive branch agencies.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. There is added to chapter 43.19 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Hereafter no state agency, as defined in RCW 43.19.560(2), shall acquire by purchase or otherwise any printing, microfilm, or other duplicating equipment,

other than typewriters, unless authorized by the printing and duplicating management center to so acquire.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. There is added to chapter 43.19 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The operation of the printing and duplicating management center shall be financed by the director of the department of general administration from moneys appropriated by the legislature.

The director of the department of general administration shall be responsible for establishing realistic fees to be charged for services rendered by the printing and duplicating management center. The director of the office of program planning and fiscal management shall approve any fees prior to their implementation. All fees and charges collected for services rendered by the printing and duplicating management center shall be deposited in the general fund. It is the intent of sections 1 through 6 of this act that the fees paid by the agencies and the savings experienced from the activities of the printing and duplicating management center shall more than offset the operating costs of the center.

The director of the department of general administration shall, in December of each calendar year, submit a report of all reported savings by each agency for the year to the senate committee on ways and means, the house committee on appropriations, and the legislative budget committee.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 6. There is added to chapter 43.19 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The state printing and duplicating committee is hereby abolished, and all powers, duties, and functions thereof are transferred to the director of the department of general administration, to be exercised through the printing and duplicating management center.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 7. If any provision of this act, or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act, or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 8. The following acts or parts of acts are each hereby repealed:

- (1) Section 43.77.010, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.77.010;
- (2) Section 43.77.020, chapter 8, Laws of 1965, section 1, chapter 12, Laws of 1973 and RCW 43.77.020;
- (3) Section 43.77.030, chapter 8, Laws of 1965, section 2, chapter 12, Laws of 1973 and RCW 43.77.030;
- (4) Section 43.77.040, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.77.040; and
- (5) Section 43.77.050, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.77.050.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 9. To carry out the provisions of this act there is appropriated to the department of general administration from the general fund for the biennium ending June 30, 1979, the sum of one hundred sixty-six thousand two hundred sixty-five dollars, or so much thereof as shall be necessary.

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