

the director may elect to institute the action in the superior court of Thurston county.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 20. The department may deny, suspend, or revoke the license of any grain dealer or warehouseman who fails to timely pay assessments to the grain indemnity fund or against whom a claim has been made, approved, and paid from the grain indemnity fund. Proceedings for the denial, suspension, or revocation shall be subject to the provisions of chapter 34.04 RCW.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 21. Sections 3 and 7 through 20 of this act are each added to chapter 22.09 RCW.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 22. 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. 23. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

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CHAPTER 510

[Senate Bill No. 5129]

FIRST AVENUE SOUTH BRIDGE

AN ACT Relating to the First Avenue South bridge; and adding a new section to chapter 47.56 RCW.

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

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 47.56 RCW to read as follows:

(1) The transportation commission is authorized to conduct a study, to be paid from category C funds, to determine the economic and operational feasibility and consistency with federal laws of constructing, entirely or in part with toll-financed revenue bonds, a new parallel bridge and approaches on First Avenue South in Seattle, together with reconstruction of approaches to the existing bridge and connections to existing city street systems as necessary.

(2) If the commission concludes that construction, entirely or in part with toll-financed revenue bonds, of the facilities described in subsection (1)

of this section is economically and operationally feasible and consistent with federal law, the commission may:

(a) Issue and sell revenue bonds under the provisions of this chapter for the purpose of constructing the facilities described in subsection (1) of this section; and

(b) Impose and collect tolls on the facilities for the purpose of funding the revenue bonds issued under this section.

(3) The commission shall seek additional funding for the bridge from local sources, including the city, county, and port district. Any funding obtained from local sources shall be matched by an equal amount of category C state funds under chapter 47.05 RCW.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. The city of Seattle is authorized to conduct a study, to be paid for wholly from city funds, to determine the operational feasibility and consistency with federal law of charging tolls on the First Avenue South Bridge on State Route 99. The study is to be conducted in cooperation with the department of transportation. If the city of Seattle and the department of transportation determine that the charging of tolls is feasible and consistent with federal law, then the city is authorized to charge reasonable tolls and to construct, operate and maintain toll collection facilities on the bridge.

The toll collection revenues less the costs of collection shall be placed in a separate account solely for the purpose of financial participation with the state and other local governmental entities in the construction, when commenced by the department of transportation, of a new parallel bridge and approaches on First Avenue South in Seattle, together with reconstruction of approaches to the existing bridge and connections to existing city street systems as necessary. Interest generated by funds within the account shall be credited to that account in their entirety.

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CHAPTER 511

[Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 26]

LOTTERY—COMMISSION AND DIRECTOR POWERS AND DUTIES MODIFIED— EXPIRATION DATE OF STATUTE EXTENDED

AN ACT Relating to the lottery; amending RCW 67.70.010, 67.70.040, 67.70.050, 67.70.055, 67.70.070, 67.70.120, 67.70.180, 67.70.190, 67.70.200, 67.70.240, 67.70.250, 67.70.260, 67.70.300, 67.70.320, 67.70.330, and 67.70.900; repealing RCW 67.70.020; prescribing penalties; and declaring an emergency.

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