Fourth, in remitting the balance to the state treasurer for the general fund, after quarterly audits which shall be conducted by the director of budget: Provided, That a reasonable sum to be determined by the governor, the public printer, and the director of budget shall be retained in the fund for working capital for the public printer. Copies of the audits shall be furnished to the governor and state treasurer as soon as completed.


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Approved by the Governor March 15, 1951.

CHAPTER 152.
[H.B. 406.]

AID TO PAROLED AND RELEASED PRISONERS.
AN ACT relating to inmates of the state penitentiary and reformatory, parolees and persons released therefrom, and their rehabilitation; declaring an emergency, and repealing section 72.12.120 [72.08.340], R.C.W.

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

SECTION 1. Every person who has been confined in the state penitentiary or state reformatory pursuant to court order, upon his parole or release therefrom shall be supplied with suitable clothing, transportation to his place of residence if needed, and funds as necessary to be determined by the superintendent.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, for the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.
SESSION LAWS, 1951.

CH. 153. [H.B. 469.] ENABLING INCORPORATION OF FIRST CLASS CITIES NOT HERETOFORE INCORPORATED. 

AN ACT providing for the organization and incorporation of cities of the first class in areas within counties not heretofore incorporated and the adoption of a charter; prescribing the method for calling elections therefor. 

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

SECTION 1. Any portion of a county, which portion contains not less than twenty thousand inhabitants, living within an area of not more than ten square miles, and which is not incorporated as a municipal corporation, may become incorporated under the provisions of this act, and when so incorporated, shall have the powers conferred, or that may hereafter be conferred, by law upon cities of the first class.

SECTION 2. A petition shall first be presented to the board of county commissioners of such county, signed by at least one hundred qualified electors of the county, residents within the limits of such proposed corporation, which petition shall set forth and particularly describe the proposed boundaries of such corporation, and state the number of inhabitants therein as nearly as may be, and shall pray that the same may be incorporated under the pro-