(9) Investigate and report to the governor on or before the first day of January next preceding the regular session of the legislature regarding any proposed park or parkway, and make recommendations respecting other regions in the state desirable for state park or parkway purposes.

Passed the House March 11, 1959.

Passed the Senate March 10, 1959.

Approved by the Governor March 24, 1959, with the exception of a certain unnumbered item contained in subsection (5), which is vetoed.

NOTE: Excerpt of Governor's veto message reads as follows:

"This amendatory act gives the State Park Commission, acting by majority vote, additional authority to utilize approximately \$300,000.00 appropriated to the commission for the purpose of obtaining options to purchase shore and tidelands for park and parkway purposes.

"I am in complete agreement with this major purpose of the bill. "The unnumbered item in section 1, subsection (5) reads as follows: " * * PROVIDED FURTHER, That such concessions shall

be granted only after the calling of public bids thereon and shall be granted to the lowest qualified bidder.'

"Obviously concessions to be granted by the State Park and Recreation Commission should be granted to the highest rather than the lowest qualified bidder.

"I am firmly convinced that the item quoted, which was added as an amendment on the floor, was adopted only through the operation of a mistake of fact. For this reason, the unnumbered item contained in subsection (5) of section 1 of the bill is vetoed and the remainder of the bill is approved."

> ALBERT D. ROSELLINI, Governor.

CHAPTER 318. [H. B. 384.]

APPROPRIATION—SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

An Act relating to education; making an appropriation, and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated from Appropriation. the general fund the sum of three hundred and thirty-six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as shall be necessary, to be apportioned by the super-

Veto message, excerpt from.

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Appropriation.

intendent of public instruction during the current school year to counties for the benefit of certain school districts located therein in conformity with standards adopted by the state board of education acting under the provisions of RCW 28.41.090 and acts amendatory or supplemental thereto, pertaining to establishment by the state board of minimum standards governing the maintenance and operation of the common schools and a schedule of minimum funds required by school districts to enable them to meet the aforesaid standards, the amount aforesaid to be apportioned to the school districts affected at the rate of fifty-four dollars per pupil for any increase in school enrollment in excess of five percent between October 1, 1957, and October 1, 1958: Provided, That allocations under this act may be made only to those school districts which receive allocations of state aid under the provisions of RCW 28.41.080: And provided further, That a school district shall not be entitled to funds from this appropriation unless it has levied a tax for maintenance and operations for either the 1957-58 or the 1958-59 school year in excess of the tax levy limitations prescribed for school districts by RCW 84-.52.050.

Emergency.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, and support of the state government and its political subdivisions, and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the House March 12, 1959. Passed the Senate March 12, 1959. Approved by the Governor March 24, 1959.