appointed by such council. The commission shall serve without compensation and shall meet at such time as it is called by the governor or by the chairman of the commission.

**NEW SECTION.** Sec. 5. The members of the exposition commission may become directors of Expo '74, a nonprofit corporation organized under the provisions of chapter 24.03 RCW and may remain directors of the corporation as long as they are members of the commission or until their successors are appointed and qualified. The exposition commission through the nonprofit corporation shall stage an exposition in the city of Spokane during the year 1974 or as soon thereafter as deemed practical by the commission and shall carry out the purposes of the exposition by suitable exhibits.

**NEW SECTION.** Sec. 6. The department of commerce and economic development and the department of ecology, as well as all other interested departments and agencies, shall cooperate with the exposition commission to the end that the exposition to be conducted by the commission shall become a memorable success.

The exposition commission and all other state departments and agencies are further enjoined to cooperate in all respects with the city of Spokane and with other departments, agencies, political subdivisions, and municipal corporations of this state. The department of commerce and economic development and the exposition commission shall cooperate with the government of the United States and with governments or agencies of other states or foreign countries or their lesser subdivisions to the extent required to secure their participation in the exposition.

**NEW SECTION.** Sec. 7. 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 2**

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 738]

**CORPORATION LICENSES AND FEES—SURTAX**

AN ACT Relating to business corporations; providing for a surtax on the license and other fees on domestic and foreign corporations as prescribed by RCW 23A.40.040, 23A.40.060,
BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is hereby imposed and levied on the license and filing fees on domestic and foreign corporations as prescribed by RCW 23A.40.040, 23A.40.060, 23A.40.130 and 23A.40.140 a surtax of twenty-five percent to be collected from those corporations at the time they pay those license and filing fees. All fees collected in compliance with this section shall be deposited in the state general fund.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. 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 3
[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 739]
EXPO '74---
STATE BUILDING IN SPOKANE

AN ACT Relating to the acquisition of land and the construction and use of a state building or buildings in the city of Spokane; authorizing the construction of such building or buildings by the state building authority and the acquisition of the necessary land therefor by either the state building authority or department of commerce and economic development; providing for the lease thereof by the state building authority to the department of commerce and economic development; authorizing the sublease thereof; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

NEW SECTION. Section 1. The state building authority is authorized to acquire by gift, purchase, lease, or condemnation a site in the city of Spokane or in the vicinity of Riverdale Island and to construct or otherwise acquire a building or buildings and appurtenant improvements at a cost to the building authority to approximate but not to exceed the sum of seven million five hundred thousand dollars thereon for use by the state for purposes to be prescribed hereafter by the legislature and to be used temporarily as a portion of the grounds and a building for an exposition known as "Expo '74".