buildings or grounds, or the acquisition of improved or unimproved real property: PROVIDED, That such acquisition shall be made only in contemplation of using such improved or unimproved real property for school district purposes.

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CHAPTER 81

[Senate Bill No. 2742] UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE, POLICE OFFICERS— DEATH, DISABILITY, MEDICAL BENEFITS

AN ACT Relating to duty-related death, disability or injury benefits for duly sworn police officers of state colleges and universities; and adding a new section to chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and to chapter 28B.10 RCW.

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

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Section 1. There is added to chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and to chapter 28B.10 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The boards of regents of the state universities and the boards of trustees of the state colleges are authorized and empowered, under such rules and regulations as any such board may prescribe for the duly sworn police officers employed by any such board as members of a police force established pursuant to RCW 28B.10-.550, to provide for the payment of death or disability benefits or medical expense reimbursement for death, disability, or injury of any such duly sworn police officer who, in the line of duty, loses his life or becomes disabled or is injured, and for the payment of such benefits to be made to any such duly sworn police officer or his surviving spouse or the legal guardian of his child or children, as defined in RCW 41.26.030(7), or his estate: PROVIDED, That the duty-related benefits authorized by this section shall in no event be greater than the benefits authorized on the effective date of this 1975 act for duty-related death, disability, or injury of a law enforcement officer under chapter 41.26 RCW: PROVIDED FURTHER, That the duty-related benefits authorized by this section shall be reduced to the extent of any amounts received or eligible to be received on account of the dutyrelated death, disability, or injury to any such duly sworn police officer, his surviving spouse, the legal guardian of his child or children, or his estate, under workmen's compensation, social security including the changes incorporated under Public Law 89-97 as now or hereafter amended, or disability income insurance and health care plans under chapter 41.05 RCW.

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