

If two million seven hundred thousand dollars or more in additional federal and/or private funding is not secured within five years of the effective date of this 1979 act and applied toward the completion of the "people's lodge," ownership of the property and/or facility developed with the proceeds of the bonds issued under this section shall be transferred to the state. Expenditure of these bond proceeds shall be conditioned on prior approval by the director of general administration of any real estate acquisitions and of construction plans for any building and/or grounds projects. The director's approval shall be based on a finding that any real estate to be acquired is appraised at or above the purchase price, that any construction plans for building and/or grounds projects provide for completion of any facilities contemplated therein, and that there are funds in an amount sufficient to finish the project so that it is fully operation for its intended uses.

The state finance committee is authorized to prescribe the form of such bonds, the time of sale of all or any portion or portions of such bonds, and the conditions of sale and issuance thereof.

Each such bond and bond anticipation note shall pledge the full faith and credit of the state of Washington and contain an unconditional promise to pay the principal and interest when due. The committee may provide that the bonds, or any of them, may be called prior to the due date thereof under such terms and conditions as it may determine. The state finance committee may authorize the use of facsimile signatures in the issuance of the bonds.

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CHAPTER 247

[Substitute House Bill No. 1064]

STATE EMPLOYEES—SICK LEAVE PAYMENT—APPROPRIATIONS

AN ACT Relating to appropriations; and creating new sections.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. On January 1, 1980, the state treasurer shall transfer the sum of two million five hundred thousand dollars from the general fund to the sick leave account in the general fund to be used as a working capital balance for payments on account of sickness made to state employees and excludable from federal old age and survivor's insurance contributions. If the office of financial management determines, after consultation with the social security administration, that it is not necessary to establish the general fund – sick leave account to carry out the provisions of chapter 152, Laws of 1979, (Senate Bill No. 2030), then the transfers authorized by this section shall not be made.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. The office of financial management shall direct the state treasurer to, and the state treasurer shall, periodically transfer to the sick leave account in the general fund moneys sufficient to reimburse the sick leave account for payments on account of sickness. State agencies shall place in allotment reserve status and cause to be lapsed at the end of the biennium an amount equal to the sick leave pay and the employer's share of all federal old age and survivor's insurance payments rendered unnecessary by reason of RCW 41.48. (section 1, chapter 152, Laws of 1979). When directing state agencies to place funds in reserve status, the office of financial management shall promulgate allotment instructions which conserve, to the fullest extent possible, state general fund appropriations.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. It is the policy of the state of Washington to pay its employees on account of sickness or accident disability in accordance with applicable leave regulations and in such a manner so such payments are excluded from federal old age and survivors' insurance contribution requirements.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. There is appropriated from the general fund sick leave account to the governor's special appropriations for the 1979-81 biennium the sum of forty million dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to implement chapter 152, Laws of 1979.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. There is appropriated to the office of financial management from the general fund the sum of five hundred twenty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be allocated to state agencies to defray system and other costs required during the 1979-81 biennium to implement chapter 152, Laws of 1979.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 6. There is appropriated to the superintendent of public instruction from the general fund the sum of three hundred fifty-three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to defray system and other costs required during the 1979-81 biennium to implement chapter 152, Laws of 1979 in the state's school districts.

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CHAPTER 248

[House Bill No. 1207]

ABUSED OR NEGLECTED CHILDREN—DAY CARE SERVICES— APPROPRIATION

AN ACT Relating to day care services; adding new sections to chapter 74.13 RCW; and making an appropriation.