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government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

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CHAPTER 115

[Senate Bill No. 4358] CONVENTION AND TRADE CENTER FACILITIES——SPECIAL EXCISE TAX REPEALED

AN ACT Relating to convention or trade facilities; repealing section 20, chapter 22, Laws of 1982 1st ex. sess. and RCW 35.21.285; and declaring an emergency.

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

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. Section 20, chapter 22, Laws of 1982 1st ex. sess. and RCW 35.21.285 are each repealed.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> 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.

Passed the Senate January 18, 1984. Passed the House February 25, 1984. Approved by the Governor March 5, 1984. Filed in Office of Secretary of State March 5, 1984.

CHAPTER 116

[Senate Bill No. 4374]

SPECIAL REVIEW DISTRICTS OR HISTORICAL SITES—TAX IMMUNITY OR EXEMPTION CONDITIONS

AN ACT Relating to revenue and taxation; and amending section 7, chapter 37, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. as last amended by section 9, chapter 196, Laws of 1979 ex. sess. and RCW 35.21.755.

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

Sec. 1. Section 7, chapter 37, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. as last amended by section 9, chapter 196, Laws of 1979 ex. sess. and RCW 35.21.755 are each amended to read as follows:

A public corporation, commission, or authority created pursuant to RCW 35.21.730 or 35.21.660 shall receive the same immunity or exemption from taxation as that of the city, town, or county creating the same: PRO-VIDED, That, except for any property within a special review district established by ordinance prior to January 1, 1976, or listed on((;)) or which is

within a district listed on any federal or state register of historical sites, any such public corporation, commission, or authority shall pay to the county treasurer an annual excise tax equal to the amounts which would be paid upon real property and personal property devoted to the purposes of such public corporation, commission, or authority were it in private ownership, and such real property and personal property is acquired and/or operated under RCW 35.21.725 through 35.21.755, and the proceeds of such excise tax shall be allocated by the county treasurer to the various taxing authorities in which such property is situated, in the same manner as though the property were in private ownership: PROVIDED FURTHER, That the provisions of chapter 82.29A RCW shall not apply to property within a special review district established by ordinance prior to January 1, 1976, or listed on or which is within a district listed on any federal or state register of historical sites and which is controlled by a public corporation, commission, or authority created pursuant to RCW 35.21.730 or 35.21.660, which was in existence prior to January 1, 1976: AND PROVIDED FURTHER, That property within a special review district established by ordinance prior to January 1, 1976, or property which is listed on any federal or state register of historical sites and controlled by a public corporation, commission, or authority created pursuant to RCW 35.21.730 or 35.21.660, which was in existence prior to January 1, 1976, shall receive the same immunity or exemption from taxation as if such property had been within a district listed on any such federal or state register of historical sites as of January 1, 1976, and controlled by a public corporation, commission, or authority created pursuant to RCW 35.21.730 or 35.21.660 which was in existence prior to January 1, 1976.

Passed the Senate February 3, 1984. Passed the House February 25, 1984. Approved by the Governor March 5, 1984. Filed in Office of Secretary of State March 5, 1984.

CHAPTER 117

[Senate Bill No. 4437] LAW SCHOOLS—WORLD WAR II VETERANS—CREDIT TOWARD LAW DEGREE PROVISION REPEALED

AN ACT Relating to credits for certain veterans at law schools in the state; and repealing section 1, chapter 252, Laws of 1947 and RCW 73.04.100.

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