NEW SECTION. Sec. 8. When an order for protection under section 7 of this act is issued upon request of the petitioner, the court may order a peace officer to assist in the execution of the order of protection.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 9. The department of social and health services, in its discretion, may seek relief under sections 5 through 8 of this act on behalf of and with the consent of any vulnerable adult. Neither the department of social and health services nor the state of Washington shall be liable for failure to seek relief on behalf of any persons under this section.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 10. The provision of services under RCW 74.34.030, 74.34.040, 74.34.050, and sections 4 through 11 of this act are discretionary and the department shall not be required to expend additional funds beyond those appropriated.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 11. Any proceeding under sections 5 through 9 of this act is in addition to any other civil or criminal remedies.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 12. If any provision of this act or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 13. Sections 4 through 11 of this act are added to chapter 74.34 RCW.

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CHAPTER 188

[Senate Bill No. 4551]

ASSAULT ON FIRE PROTECTION PERSONNEL—CLASS C FELONY

AN ACT Relating to assault on fire protection personnel; and amending RCW 9A.36.030.

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

Sec. 1. Section 9A.36.030, chapter 260, Laws of 1975 1st ex. sess. as last amended by section 1, chapter 140, Laws of 1982 and RCW 9A.36.030 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) Every person who, under circumstances not amounting to assault in either the first or second degree, shall be guilty of assault in the third degree when he:

(a) With intent to prevent or resist the execution of any lawful process or mandate of any court officer or the lawful apprehension or detention of himself or another person shall assault another; or
(b) With criminal negligence, shall cause physical injury to another person by means of a weapon or other instrument or thing likely to produce bodily harm; or

(c) Assaults a person employed as a transit operator or driver by a public or private transit company while that person is operating or is in control of a vehicle owned or operated by the transit company; or

(d) Assaults a fire fighter or other employee of a fire department or fire protection district who was performing his or her official duties at the time of the assault.

(2) Assault in the third degree is a class C felony.

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CHAPTER 189

[Senate Bill No. 4584]

LIBRARY DISTRICTS DEFINED FOR DISTRIBUTION OF THERMAL ELECTRIC GENERATING FACILITY TAX

AN ACT Relating to library districts; amending RCW 54.28.055; and declaring an emergency.

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

Sec. 1. Section 7, chapter 366, Laws of 1977 ex. sess. as last amended by section 22, chapter 35, Laws of 1982 1st ex. sess. and RCW 54.28.055 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) After computing the tax imposed by RCW 54.28.025(1), the department of revenue shall instruct the state treasurer to distribute the amount collected as follows:

(a) Fifty percent to the state general fund for the support of schools; and

(b) Twenty-two percent to the counties, twenty-three percent to the cities, three percent to the fire protection districts, and two percent to the library districts.

(2) Each county, city, fire protection district and library district shall receive a percentage of the amount for distribution to counties, cities, fire protection districts and library districts, respectively, in the proportion that the population of such district residing within the impacted area bears to the total population of all such districts residing within the impacted area. For the purposes of this chapter, the term "library district" includes only regional libraries as defined in RCW 27.12.010(4), rural county library districts as defined in RCW 27.12.010(5), intercounty rural library districts as defined in RCW 27.12.010(6), and island library districts as defined in RCW 27.12.010(7). The population of a library district, for purposes of