nothing contained herein shall prohibit the society from declining to accept, selling, exchanging, or otherwise divesting itself of such items which do not, in the judgment of the board of trustees, properly enhance its collection.

Passed the House February 19, 1973.

Passed the Senate Pebruary 27, 1973.

Approved by the Governor March 6, 1973.

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CHAPTER 36

[House Bill No. 263]

CLAIMS AGAINST COUNTIES -- NOTICE OF DISALLOWANCE -- LIMITATIONS OF ACTIONS

AN ACT Relating to limitation of actions on claims against counties; and amending section 36.45.030, chapter 4, Laws of 1963 and RCW 36.45.030.

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

Section 1. Section 36.45.030, chapter 4, Laws of 1963 and RCW 36.45.030 are each amended to read as follows:

No action shall be maintained on any claim for damages until it has been presented to the board of county commissioners and sixty days have elapsed after such presentation, but such action must be commenced within three months after the sixty days have elapsed or within three months after the board has given the claimant notice by registered mail of disallowance in whole or in part of the claim for damages, which ever is longer.

Passed the House February 13, 1973.

Passed the Senate February 27, 1973.

Approved by the Governor March 6, 1973.

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CHAPTER 37

[House Bill No. 307]

JUDGES' RETIREMENT -- CODE CORRECTION

AN ACT Relating to judges' retirement; reenacting section 6, chapter 229, Laws of 1937 as last amended by section 6, chapter 30, Laws of 1971 and by section 8, chapter 81, Laws of 1971 and RCW 2.12.060; and declaring an emergency.

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