

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. (1) All United States geological survey quadrangle map separates shall be available at cost to all state agencies, local agencies, the federal government, and any private individual or company through duplication and purchase.

The department shall coordinate all requests for the use of United States geological survey quadrangle map separates and shall provide advice on how to best use the system.

(2) The department shall maintain a catalogue showing all United States geological survey quadrangle map separates available. The department shall also catalogue information describing additional separates or products created by users. Copies of maps made for any state or local agency shall be available to any other state or local agency.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 6. Sections 1 through 5 of this act shall constitute a new chapter in Title 58 RCW.

It is further the legislature's intent to eliminate duplication, to insure compatibility, and to create coordination through a uniform base which all agencies will use.

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CHAPTER 160
[House Bill No. 444]
MOTOR VEHICLE FUEL TAX--ALLOCATIONS--
CITY STREET USE

AN ACT Relating to motor vehicle fuel tax; and amending section 82.36.020, chapter 15, Laws of 1961 as last amended by section 1, chapter 24, Laws of 1972 ex. sess. and RCW 82.36.020.

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

Section 1. Section 82.36.020, chapter 15, Laws of 1961 as last amended by section 1, chapter 24, Laws of 1972 ex. sess. and RCW 82.36.020 are each amended to read as follows:

Every distributor shall pay, in addition to any other taxes provided by law, an excise tax to the director of nine cents for each gallon of motor vehicle fuel sold, distributed, or used by him in the state as well as on each gallon upon which he has assumed liability for payment of the tax under the provisions of RCW 82.36.100: PROVIDED, That under such regulations as the director may prescribe

sales or distribution of motor vehicle fuel may be made by one licensed distributor to another licensed distributor free of the tax. In the computation of the tax, one-quarter of one percent of the net gallonage otherwise taxable shall be deducted by the distributor before computing the tax due, on account of the losses sustained through handling. The tax herein imposed shall be collected and paid to the state but once in respect to any motor vehicle fuel. An invoice shall be rendered by a distributor to a purchaser for each distribution of motor vehicle fuel.

The proceeds of the nine cents excise tax collected on the net gallonage after the deduction provided for herein shall be distributed as follows:

(1) Seven cents shall be distributed between the state, cities, counties, and Puget Sound ferry operations account in the motor vehicle fund under the provisions of RCW 46.68.090 and 46.68.100 as now or hereafter amended: PROVIDED, That from July 1, 1972 through June 30, 1976, six and seven-eighths cents shall be distributed between the state, cities, counties, and Puget Sound ferry operations account in the motor vehicle fund under the provisions of RCW 46.68.090 and 46.68.100 as now or hereafter amended.

(2) Five-eighths of one cent shall be distributed to the state and expended pursuant to RCW 46.68.150.

(3) Five-eighths of one cent shall be paid into the motor vehicle fund and credited to the urban arterial trust account created by RCW 47.26.080.

(4) One-quarter cent shall be paid into the motor vehicle fund and credited to the Puget Sound reserve account created by RCW 47.60.350: PROVIDED, That from July 1, 1972 through June 30, 1976, three-eighths of one cent shall be paid into the motor vehicle fund and credited to the Puget Sound reserve account created by RCW 47.60.350.

(5) One-half cent shall be distributed to the cities and towns directly and allocated between them as provided by RCW 46.68.110, subject to the provisions of RCW 35.76.050: PROVIDED, That the funds allocated to a city or town which are attributable to such one-half cent of the additional tax imposed by this 1961 amendatory act shall be used exclusively for the construction, improvement and repair of arterial highways and city streets as ~~((that))~~ those terms ~~((is))~~ are defined in RCW 46.04.030 and 46.04.120, or for the payment of any municipal indebtedness which may be incurred after June 12, 1963 in the construction, improvement and repair of arterial highways and city streets as ~~((that))~~ those terms ~~((is))~~ are defined in RCW 46.04.030 and 46.04.120. All such sums shall first be subject to proper deductions for refunds and costs of collection as provided in

RCW 46.68.090.

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CHAPTER 161
[House Bill No. 483]
CONTRACTORS' REGISTRATION--EXEMPTIONS,
ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS

AN ACT Relating to registration of contractors; amending section 9, chapter 77, Laws of 1963 as last amended by section 3, chapter 126, Laws of 1967 and RCW 18.27.090; and adding a new section to chapter 18.27 RCW.

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

Section 1. Section 9, chapter 77, Laws of 1963 as last amended by section 3, chapter 126, Laws of 1967 and RCW 18.27.090 are each amended to read as follows:

This chapter shall not apply to:

(1) An authorized representative of the United States government, the state of Washington, or any incorporated city, town, county, township, irrigation district, reclamation district or other municipal or political corporation or subdivision of this state;

(2) Officers of a court when they are acting within the scope of their office;

(3) Public utilities operating under the regulations of the public service commission in construction, maintenance or development work incidental to their own business;

(4) Any construction, repair or operation incidental to the discovering or producing of petroleum or gas, or the drilling, testing, abandoning or other operation of any petroleum or gas well or any surface or underground mine or mineral deposit when performed by an owner or lessee;

(5) The sale or installation of any finished products, materials or articles of merchandise which are not actually fabricated into and do not become a permanent fixed part of a structure;

(6) Any construction, alteration, improvement or repair of personal property;

(7) Any construction, alteration, improvement, or repair carried on within the limits and boundaries of any site or reservation under the legal jurisdiction of the federal government;