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NEW SECTION. Sec. 10. 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.

Passed the House March 24, 1976.

Passed the Senate March 24, 1976.

Approved by the Governor April 19, 1976 with the exception of section 8 which is vetoed.

Filed in Office of Secretary of State April 19, 1976.

Note: Governor's explanation of partial veto is as follows:

"I am returning herewith without my approval as to one section Second Substitute House Bill No. 1316 entitled:

"AN ACT Relating to senior citizens."

Section 8 of the bill requires the Department of Social and Health Services to submit any demonstration project proposals involving use of federal funds to the standing committees on Social and Health Services and Ways and Means for prior review and approval.

It is essential in our system of government that the Legislature be fully informed on the activities of state agencies carrying out legislative delegations of authority. It is equally important that the executive branch of government, once given legislative guidelines by statute, not be hampered in its administration of the laws by having to seek legislative approval of program decisions at every turn. Section 8 violates this elementary principle of good government by requiring the Department of Social and Health Services, in carrying out the provisions of the bill, to seek prior approval of one phase in its decision-making process from four separate legislative committees. Moreover, there is no question that the process of seeking such approval would involve unnecessary delay in the programs for senior citizens provided by the bill.

I am confident that should federal funds be available, the department can rapidly channel those funds into programs authorized by the bill and do so in a manner consistent with legislative intent.

With the exception of section 8 which I have vetoed for the reasons stated, the remainder of Second Substitute House Bill No. 1316 is approved."

## CHAPTER 132

[House Bill No. 1443]
DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES—
CAPITAL PROJECTS BOND ISSUE

AN ACT Relating to the support of state government; providing for the planning, acquisition, construction, remodeling, improving, and equipping of fisheries facilities; providing for the financing thereof by the issuance of bonds and anticipation notes; creating new sections; and declaring an emergency.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. For the purpose of providing needed capital improvements consisting of the acquisition, construction, remodeling, furnishing and equipping of state buildings and facilities for the department of fisheries, the state finance committee is hereby authorized to issue from time to time general obligation bonds of the state of Washington in the aggregate principal amount of five million one hundred thirty—two thousand nine hundred dollars, or so much thereof as shall be required to finance the capital projects relating to the department of fisheries as determined by the legislature in its capital appropriations act, chapter ..., Laws of 1975–76 2nd ex. sess. for such purposes, to be paid and discharged

within thirty years of the date of issuance in accordance with Article VIII, section 1, of the Constitution of the state of Washington.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. When the state finance committee has determined to issue such general obligation bonds or a portion thereof as authorized in section 1 of this 1976 act, it may, pending the issuance thereof, issue in the name of the state temporary notes in anticipation of the issuance of such bonds, which notes shall be designated as "bond anticipation notes". Such portion of the proceeds of the sale of such bonds as may be required for the payment of the principal and redemption premium, if any, and interest on such notes shall be applied thereto when such bonds are issued.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. The state finance committee is authorized to prescribe the form, terms, conditions and covenants of the bonds and/or the bond anticipation notes provided for in sections 1 and 2 of this 1976 act, the time or times of sale of all or any portion of them, and the conditions and manner of their sale and issuance.

Each such bond and bond anticipation note shall pledge the full faith and credit of the state of Washington and shall contain an unconditional promise to pay the principal thereof and interest thereon when due.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. Except for that portion of the proceeds required to pay bond anticipation notes pursuant to section 2 of this 1976 act, the proceeds from the sale of the bonds and/or bond anticipation notes authorized in sections 1 through 6 of this 1976 act, together with all grants, donations, transferred funds, and all other moneys which the state finance committee may direct the state treasurer to deposit therein, shall be deposited in the fisheries capital projects account of the general fund hereby created in the state treasury. All such proceeds shall be used exclusively for the purposes specified in sections 1 through 6 of this 1976 act and for the payment of the expenses incurred in connection with the sale and issuance of such bonds and bond anticipation notes.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 5. The 1976 fisheries bond retirement fund is hereby created in the state treasury for the purpose of the payment of the principal of and interest on the bonds authorized to be issued pursuant to sections 1 through 6 of this 1976 act.

The state finance committee, on or before June 30th of each year, shall certify to the state treasurer the amount required in the next succeeding twelve months for the payment of the principal of and the interest coming due on such bonds. On July 1st of each such year the state treasurer shall withdraw from any general state revenues received in the state treasury and deposit in the 1976 fisheries bond retirement fund an amount equal to the amount certified by the state finance committee.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 6. The bonds authorized in sections 1 through 6 of this 1976 act shall constitute a legal investment for all state funds or for funds under state control and all funds of municipal corporations.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 7. Sections 1 through 6 of this 1976 act are added to Title 28B RCW as a new chapter thereof.

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NEW SECTION. Sec. 8. If any provision of this 1976 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. 9. This 1976 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 House March 25, 1976. Passed the Senate March 26, 1976. Approved by the Governor April 19, 1976. Filed in Office of Secretary of State April 19, 1976.

#### CHAPTER 133

### [House Bill No. 1624] SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET

AN ACT Relating to expenditures by state agencies and offices of the state; making appropriations for the fiscal biennium beginning July 1, 1975 and ending June 30, 1977; amending section 11, chapter 269, Laws of 1975 1st ex. sess. (uncodified); amending section 67, chapter 269, Laws of 1975 1st ex. sess. (uncodified); amending section 152, chapter 269, Laws of 1975 1st ex. sess. (uncodified); amending section 157, chapter 269, Laws of 1975 1st ex. sess. (uncodified); amending section 160, chapter 269, Laws of 1975 1st ex. sess. (uncodified); amending section 160, chapter 269, Laws of 1975 1st ex. sess. (uncodified); amending section 10, chapter 276, Laws of 1975 1st ex. sess. (uncodified); amending section 10, chapter 276, Laws of 1975 1st ex. sess. (uncodified); amending section 10, chapter 276, Laws of 1975 1st ex. sess. (uncodified); amending section 187, chapter 269, Laws of 1975 1st ex. sess. (uncodified); making other appropriations; and declaring an emergency.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. A supplemental budget as set forth in this 1976 amendatory act is hereby adopted and subject to the provisions set forth in this 1976 amendatory act, the several amounts specified in this 1976 amendatory act, or so much thereof as may be necessary to accomplish the purposes designated, are hereby appropriated and authorized to be disbursed for salaries, wages, and other expenses of the designated agencies and offices of the state and for other specified purposes, including operations and capital improvements, for the fiscal biennium beginning July 1, 1975, and ending June 30, 1977, except as otherwise provided, out of the several funds of the state hereinafter named.

The appropriations contained in this act for state agencies include such amounts as are reasonably necessary to obtain information from such agencies by the legislature, its committees or its members, or to represent the official request of such agencies to the legislature, its committees or its members.

# \*NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. FOR THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

General Fund Appropriation	\$ 1,592,500
Total Appropriation	\$ 1,592,500

The appropriation contained in this section shall be subject to the following conditions and limitations: This appropriation may be expended for, but not be limited to (1) a study of the feasibility of creating an