CHAPTER 11

[Senate Bill No. 3531]

WESTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY CAPITAL PROJECT APPROPRIATION

AN ACT Relating to Western Washington University; making an appropriation; and declaring an emergency.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. In addition to the funds appropriated by section 194(7), chapter 270, Laws of 1979 ex. sess., there is hereby appropriated to Western Washington University from the Western Washington University capital projects account in the general fund for the biennium ending June 30, 1981, the sum of seven hundred eighty—eight thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the planning, construction, and equipping of the College of Business and Economics building.

<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 February 27, 1981. Passed the House February 27, 1981. Approved by the Governor February 27, 1981. Filed in Office of Secretary of State February 27, 1981.

CHAPTER 12

[House Bill No. 103]
URBAN ARTERIAL BOARD—SERIES II BOND PROCEEDS—
APPROPRIATION

AN ACT Relating to transportation; making supplemental appropriations; and declaring an emergency.

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

<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 House February 11, 1981.

Passed the Senate February 25, 1981.

Approved by the Governor March 5, 1981.

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CHAPTER 13

[Substitute House Bill No. 118]
STORAGE WAREHOUSEMEN, WHARFINGERS AND WAREHOUSEMEN—
DEREGULATION

AN ACT Relating to warehousemen; amending section 7-204, chapter 157, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. and RCW 62A.7-204; amending section 81.04.010, chapter 14, Laws of 1961 and RCW 81.04.010; amending section 81.08.010, chapter 14, Laws of 1961 as amended by section 3, chapter 105, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. and RCW 81.08.010; amending section 81-.12.010, chapter 14, Laws of 1961 as last amended by section 4, chapter 210, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 81.12.010; amending section 81.24.030, chapter 14, Laws of 1961 and RCW 81.24.030; repealing section 81.24.040, chapter 14, Laws of 1961 and RCW 81.24.040; repealing section 81.92.010 through 81.92.100, chapter 14, Laws of 1961 and RCW 81.92.010 through 81.92.100; repealing section 81.92.110, chapter 14, Laws of 1961, section 1, chapter 13, Laws of 1972 ex. sess. and RCW 81.92.110; repealing section 81.92.120 through 81.92.140, chapter 14, Laws of 1961 and RCW 81.92.120 through 81-.92.140; repealing section 81.92.150, chapter 14, Laws of 1961, section 39, chapter 199, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and RCW 81.92.150; repealing section 81.92.160, chapter 14, Laws of 1961 and RCW 81.92.160; repealing section 81.94.010 through 81.94.050, chapter 14, Laws of 1961 and RCW 81.94.010 through 81.94.050; repealing section 81.94.060, chapter 14, Laws of 1961, section 118, chapter 154, Laws of 1973 1st ex. sess. and RCW 81-.94.060; repealing section 81.94.070 through 81.94.110, chapter 14, Laws of 1961 and RCW 81.94.070 through 81.94.110; and repealing section 81.94.130, chapter 14, Laws of 1961 and RCW 81.94.130.

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

Section 1. Section 7–204, chapter 157, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. and RCW 62A.7–204 are each amended to read as follows:

- (1) A warehouseman is liable for damages for loss of or injury to the goods caused by his failure to exercise such care in regard to them as a reasonably careful man would exercise under like circumstances but unless otherwise agreed he is not liable for damages which could not have been avoided by the exercise of such care.
- (2) Damages may be limited by a term in the warehouse receipt or storage agreement limiting the amount of liability in case of loss or damage, and setting forth a specific liability per article or item, or value per unit of weight, beyond which the warehouseman shall not be liable; provided, however, that such liability may on written request of the bailor at the time of signing such storage agreement or within a reasonable time after receipt of the warehouse receipt be increased on part or all of the goods thereunder, in