the secretary, a deputy secretary, an administrative assistant to the secretary, if any, one assistant secretary for each division designated pursuant to RCW 47.01.081, ((and)) one confidential secretary for each of the abovenamed officers, up to six transportation district administrators and one confidential secretary for each district administrator, up to six additional new administrators or confidential secretaries designated by the secretary of the department of transportation and approved by the state personnel board pursuant to the provisions of RCW 41.06.070(26), the legislative liaison for the department, the state construction engineer, the state aid engineer, the personnel manager, the state project development engineer, the state maintenance and operations engineer, one confidential secretary for each of the last-named five positions, and a confidential secretary for the public affairs administrator. The individuals appointed under this section shall be exempt from the provisions of the state civil service law, and shall be paid salaries to be fixed by the governor in accordance with the procedure established by law for the fixing of salaries for individuals exempt from the operation of the state civil service law.

Passed the House April 12, 1985. Passed the Senate April 10, 1985. Approved by the Governor April 25, 1985. Filed in Office of Secretary of State April 25, 1985.

CHAPTER 179

[House Bill No. 132] COUNTY TAX ON NONRESIDENTS OF THE STATE EMPLOYED IN THE COUNTY—REPEAL

AN ACT Relating to the local option tax on nonresident commuters; repealing RCW 82-.14C.010, 82.14C.020, 82.14C.030, and 82.14C.900; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. The following acts or parts of acts are each repealed:

(1) Section 1, chapter 248, Laws of 1984 and RCW 82.14C.010;

(2) Section 2, chapter 248, Laws of 1984 and RCW 82.14C.020;

(3) Section 3, chapter 248, Laws of 1984 and RCW 82.14C.030; and

(4) Section 5, chapter 248, Laws of 1984 and RCW 82.14C.900.

<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

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government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect June 30, 1985.

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CHAPTER 180

[House Bill No. 152] COMMUNITY COLLEGE VENDOR PAYMENTS—STATE TREASURER ADVANCE TO COMMUNITY COLLEGES INCREASED

AN ACT Relating to community college vendor payments; and amending RCW 28B.50.143.

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

Sec. 1. Section 2, chapter 331, Laws of 1977 ex. sess. as amended by section 21, chapter 151, Laws of 1979 and RCW 28B.50.143 are each amended to read as follows:

In order that each community college treasurer appointed in accordance with RCW 28B.50.142 may make vendor payments, the state treasurer will honor warrants drawn by each community college providing for one initial advance on September 1, 1977, of the current biennium and on July 1 of each succeeding biennium from the state general fund in an amount equal to ((ten)) <u>seventeen</u> percent of each institution's average monthly allotment for such budgeted biennium expenditures as certified by the office of financial management, and at the conclusion of each such initial month, and for each succeeding month of any biennium, the state treasurer will reimburse each institution for each expenditure incurred and reported monthly by each community college treasurer in accordance with chapter 43.83 RCW: PROVIDED, That the reimbursement to each institution for actual expenditures incurred in the final month of each biennium shall be less the initial advance.

Passed the House February 18, 1985. Passed the Senate April 12, 1985. Approved by the Governor April 25, 1985. Filed in Office of Secretary of State April 25, 1985.

CHAPTER 181

[Substitute House Bill No. 177] VETERANS—HALL RENTAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE INCREASED—FUND NOMENCLATURE MODIFIED

AN ACT Relating to veterans; and amending RCW 73.04.080 and 73.08.080.