NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. The legislature finds that if the legislative transportation committee decides to implement the pilot program it is necessary to temporarily suspend the application of certain statutes regulating bid and day labor limits for roadway construction and maintenance projects for the purposes of this pilot program. The following statutes are suspended as to the participating cities and counties chosen under section 1 of this act for the period July 1, 1987, through June 30, 1990, and only insofar as the statutes relate to bid and day labor limits for roadway construction and maintenance projects: RCW 35.22.620, 35.23.352, 35A.40.210, 36.77.020, 36.77.065, 36.33A.010, and 39.12.020.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. The department of transportation and each of the participating cities and counties shall report to the legislature on the outcome of this pilot program on or before February 15, 1990, and shall provide to the legislative transportation committee such reports and other items as the committee may desire.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. The participating cities and counties shall apply to and be reimbursed by the department of transportation for all reasonable additional costs directly relating to their participation in the pilot project.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. Sections 1 through 4 of this act shall expire on June 30, 1990, unless extended by law.

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CHAPTER 425

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 5035]

INTERAGENCY COMMITTEE FOR OUTDOOR RECREATION—EXPIRATION DATE EXTENDED—STUDY POSSIBLE DESIGNATION AS AN EXECUTIVE AGENCY

AN ACT Relating to the interagency committee for outdoor recreation; amending RCW 43.99.115; and declaring an emergency.

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

Sec. 1. Section 5, chapter 206, Laws of 1981 and RCW 43.99.115 are each amended to read as follows:

The interagency committee for outdoor recreation shall cease to exist on June 30, ((1987)) 1989, unless extended by law for an additional fixed period of time.

By January 1, 1989, the governor's office shall recommend to the legislature whether the interagency committee for outdoor recreation should be located within an executive department or retained as a separate agency. It

is the intent of the legislature to maintain the committee's general structure and independence from those agencies to which it may distribute funds.

<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 April 26, 1987.

Passed the House April 25, 1987.

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CHAPTER 426

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 5201] STATE EMPLOYEE CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

AN ACT Relating to conflicts of interest; amending RCW 42.18.230; adding new sections to chapter 42.18 RCW; and repealing RCW 42.18.160 and 42.18.220.

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

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. No state employee may ask or receive, directly or indirectly, any compensation, gratuity, or reward, or promise thereof, for performing or for omitting or deferring the performance of any official duty, other than the compensation, costs, or fees provided by law.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 2. No state employee may be beneficially interested, directly or indirectly, in any contract, sale, lease, or purchase that may be made by, through, or under the supervision of the employee, in whole or in part, or accept, directly or indirectly, any compensation, gratuity, or reward from any other person beneficially interested therein.

<u>NEW SECTION</u>. Sec. 3. No state employee may employ or use any person, money, or property under the employee's official control or direction, or in his or her official custody, for the private benefit or gain of the employee or another.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. (1) No former state employee may at any time subsequent to his or her state employment assist another person, whether or not for compensation, in any transaction involving the state in which the former state employee at any time participated during state employment. This subsection shall not be construed to prohibit any employee or officer of a state employee organization from rendering assistance to state employees in the course of employee organization business.

(2) No former state employee may share in any compensation received by another person for assistance that the former state employee is prohibited from rendering under subsection (1) of this section. This subsection shall not apply to former state employees who were required by statute to have