CHAPTER 43

[House Bill No. 431]
BOARDING HOMES—AGED AMBULATORY
BOARDERS—MEDICATION

AN ACT Relating to boarding homes; and amending section 16, chapter 253, Laws of 1957 and RCW 18.20.160.

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

Section 1. Section 16, chapter 253, Laws of 1957 and RCW 18.20.160 are each amended to read as follows:

No person operating a boarding home licensed under this chapter shall admit to or retain in the boarding home any aged person requiring nursing or medical care of a type provided by institutions licensed under chapters 18.51, 70.41 or 71-.12 RCW, except that when registered nurses are available from a visiting nurse service or home health agency or from an adjacent or nearby skilled nursing facility or one located in the facility, and upon a doctor's order that a supervised medication service is needed, it may be provided. Such medication service shall be provided only to ambulatory boarders who otherwise meet all requirements for residency in a boarding home.

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CHAPTER 44

[House Bill No. 573]
GRASS BURNING RESEARCH ADVISORY COMMITTEE

AN ACT Relating to grass burning within the state of Washington; creating a grass burning research advisory committee and setting out its powers and duties, its reimbursement for travel and per diem expenses, and providing for its termination; and declaring an emergency.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. Within thirty days of the effective date of this 1975 act the director of the Washington state department of ecology shall appoint a grass burning research advisory committee consisting of five voting members.

Two members shall be grass growers selected from the area of the state east of the Cascade mountain range, one representing irrigated and one representing dryland growing areas. One member shall be a grass grower selected from the area of the state west of the Cascade mountain range. One member shall be a representative of the Washington state department of agriculture, and one member shall represent the public, and may be selected at large. The committee shall select its own chairman. The state department of ecology shall provide an ex officio, nonvoting member to the committee to act as secretary.