

make such advertising and marketing research and development as extensive as public interest and necessity require, and to put into force and effect the policy of this chapter 15.44 RCW, the commission shall provide for and conduct a comprehensive and extensive research, advertising and educational campaign, and keep such research, advertising and education as continuous as the production, sales, and market conditions reasonably require.

(2) The commission shall investigate and ascertain the needs of dairy products and producers, the conditions of the markets, and the extent to which public convenience and necessity require advertising and research to be conducted. If upon such investigation, it shall appear that the revenue from ~~((the maximum))~~ an assessment provided for in RCW 15.44.080 is more than adequate to accomplish the purposes and objects of this chapter, it shall file a request with the director of agriculture showing the necessities of the industry, the extent and probable cost of the required research and advertising, the extent of public convenience, interest and necessity, and the probable revenue from the assessment herein levied and imposed. If such probable revenue is more than the amount reasonably necessary to conduct the research and advertising that the public interest and convenience require to accomplish the objects and purposes hereof, the commission shall decrease the assessment to a sum that the commission shall determine adequate to effectuate the purposes hereof ~~((7-but-in no-case-shall-any-assessment-exceed-the-amount-provided-in-RCW-15.44-080))~~: PROVIDED, That no such change shall be made in rate of assessment until the commission shall have filed with the director a full report of such investigations and findings. Such change in assessment shall be effective thirty days after such report is filed.

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CHAPTER 61
[Engrossed House Bill No. 570]
COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAMS

AN ACT Relating to community health programs; adding a new section to

chapter 111, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and to chapter 71.24 RCW; and repealing section 17, chapter 111, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and RCW 71.24.170.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 111, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and to chapter 71.24 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The department of institutions in making payments of state funds in accordance with the provisions of chapter 71.24 RCW, to counties for the support of community mental health programs which were financially supported by the state prior to July 1, 1967 shall pay to the counties not less than the amounts paid by the state to such pre-existing programs immediately prior to July 1, 1967: PROVIDED, That in the event appropriated funds to the department of institutions for the support of community mental health programs are insufficient to maintain community mental health programs of eligible counties at the same level prevailing during the previous biennium, then the department of institutions shall make pro rata reductions in the payment of state funds to all counties.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. Section 17, chapter 111, Laws of 1967 ex. sess. and RCW 71.24.170 are each hereby repealed.

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CHAPTER 62
[House Bill No. 196]
UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE--
DISHONORED CHECKS

AN ACT Relating to dishonored checks; amending section 1, chapter 23, Laws of 1967 extraordinary session and RCW 62A.3-515; adding new sections to chapter 157, Laws of 1965 extraordinary session and to Title 62A RCW; and repealing section 1, chapter 53, Laws of 1965 extraordinary session and RCW 62.01.300.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON: