

CHAPTER 51

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2141]

SCHOOLS FOR THE BLIND AND DEAF—  
STUDENTS' VACATION, WEEKEND TRAVEL EXPENSES

AN ACT Relating to schools for the blind and deaf; amending section 72.40.090, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.40.090.

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

Section 1. Section 72.40.090, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.40.090 are each amended to read as follows:

If it appears to the satisfaction of the board of county commissioners that the parents of any such blind or deaf youth within their county are unable to bear the expense of transportation to and from the state schools, it shall send them to and return them from the schools or maintain them there during vacation at the expense of the county. Nothing in this section shall be construed as prohibiting the department from authorizing or incurring such travel expenses for the purpose of transporting such blind or deaf youth to and from points within this state during weekends and/or vacation periods. For the purposes of this act, the department shall impose no conditions upon parents or guardians specifying the number of weekends such persons shall take custody of deaf and blind students.

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CHAPTER 52

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2080]

MOTOR VEHICLE TAXES AND FEES—LIABILITY  
FOR DISHONORED CHECKS—NONSURRENDER  
OF CANCELLED LICENSES, PENALTIES

AN ACT Relating to motor vehicles; amending section 44, chapter 170, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. and RCW 46.01.230; and prescribing a penalty; and declaring an emergency.

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

Section 1. Section 44, chapter 170, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. and RCW 46.01.230 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) The department of motor vehicles is authorized to accept checks and money orders for payment of drivers' licenses, certificates of ownership and registration, motor vehicle excise taxes, gross weight fees and other fees and taxes collected by the department, in accordance with regulations adopted by the director. The director's regulations shall duly provide for the public's convenience consistent with sound business practice and shall encourage the annual renewal of vehicle registrations by mail to the department, authorizing checks and money orders for payment. Such regulations shall contain provisions for cancellation of any registrations, licenses or permits paid for by checks or money orders which are not duly paid and for the necessary accounting procedures in such cases; PROVIDED, That any bona fide purchaser for value of a vehicle shall not be liable or responsible for any prior uncollected taxes and fees paid, pursuant to this