

CHAPTER 93

[Substitute Senate Bill No. 2310]

STATE EMPLOYEES' WAGES, BENEFITS PAYMENTS—ELECTRONIC BANK DEPOSIT

AN ACT Relating to the state treasurer; and adding a new section to chapter 43.08 RCW.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 43.08 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The state treasurer is authorized upon the written request of any recipient, as in this section defined, to pay by means of wire or other electronic communication the full amount of any such recipient's salary and wages or state funded benefit payments (after mandatory or authorized deductions) to any financial institution, as in this section defined, for either (1) credit to the recipient's account in such financial institution, or (2) immediate transfer by such institution to the recipient's account in any other financial institution: PROVIDED, That nothing in this section shall be construed as authorizing any employer or agency to require the recipient to have an account in any particular institution or type of financial institution.

A single credit shall be entered in favor of such initial depository financial institution for the total amount due the recipients involved. Directions shall be provided to such financial institution as to the amount to be credited to the account of each recipient or to be transferred to an account in another financial institution for such recipient. Payment made hereunder, accompanied by the issuance and delivery by the state treasurer of deposit instructions in accordance with the procedures set forth herein, and proper receipt thereof by the initial depository financial institution, shall have the same legal effect as payment directly to the recipient.

For purposes of this section:

(1) The term "recipient" means any state employee or any person to whom state funded public employees' retirement benefits, industrial insurance benefits, or state public assistance benefits are being paid.

(2) The term "financial institution" means any state or federally chartered commercial bank, trust company, mutual savings bank, savings and loan association, or credit union, within or without the state of Washington.

(3) The term "initial depository financial institution" means any state or federally chartered commercial bank, trust company, mutual savings bank, savings and loan association, or credit union, within the state of Washington.

The office of financial management is hereby authorized to adopt and promulgate such procedural administrative regulations as are necessary or

appropriate for the efficient and orderly implementation of this section, including regulations fixing the respective responsibilities and functions of the various payor agencies affected by this section.

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## CHAPTER 94

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2511]

### RECYCLING AND LITTER CONTROL PROGRAM—STATE MATCHING AID TO SMALL COMMUNITIES—YOUTH PATROL—FUNDS ALLOCATION AND DISTRIBUTION

AN ACT Relating to litter control and recycling; amending section 1, chapter 307, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 70.93.010; amending section 2, chapter 307, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. as amended by section 7, chapter 41, Laws of 1975-'76 2nd ex. sess. and RCW 70.93.020; amending section 3, chapter 307, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 70.93.030; amending section 5, chapter 307, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 70.93.050; amending section 9, chapter 307, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 70.93.090; amending section 10, chapter 307, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 70.93.100; amending section 20, chapter 307, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 70.93.200; amending section 21, chapter 307, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 70.93.210; adding a new section to chapter 70.93 RCW; repealing section 19, chapter 307, Laws of 1971 ex. sess., section 8, chapter 41, Laws of 1975-'76 2nd ex. sess. and RCW 70.93.190; and declaring an emergency.

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

Section 1. Section 1, chapter 307, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 70.93.010 are each amended to read as follows:

Recognizing the rapid population growth of the state of Washington and the ever increasing mobility of its people, as well as the fundamental need for a healthful, clean and beautiful environment; and further recognizing that the proliferation and accumulation of litter discarded throughout this state impairs this need and constitutes a public health hazard; and further recognizing the need to conserve energy and natural resources; and further recognizing that there is an imperative need to anticipate, plan for, and accomplish effective litter control and recover and recycle waste materials related to litter with the subsequent conservation of resources and energy, there is hereby enacted this "Model Litter Control and Recycling Act".

Sec. 2. Section 2, chapter 307, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. as amended by section 7, chapter 41, Laws of 1975-'76 2nd ex. sess. and RCW 70.93.020 are each amended to read as follows:

The purpose of this chapter is to accomplish litter control and stimulate private recycling programs throughout this state by delegating to the department of ecology the authority to: (1) Conduct a permanent and continuous program to control and remove litter from this state to the maximum practical extent possible; (2) recover and recycle waste materials related to