

(5) The state agency is authorized to promulgate such rules and regulations as it may deem necessary or proper to carry out the provisions of this section.

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CHAPTER 16

[Senate Bill No. 6]

FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICTS--FINANCES

AN ACT Relating to fire protection districts; amending section 39, chapter 34, Laws of 1939 as last amended by section 2, chapter 221, Laws of 1959 and RCW 52.16.070.

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

Section 1. Section 39, chapter 34, Laws of 1939 as last amended by section 2, chapter 221, Laws of 1959 and RCW 52.16.070 are each amended to read as follows:

Except as authorized by virtue of the issuance and sale of district coupon warrants and general obligation bonds, the board of fire commissioners shall have no authority to incur expenses or other financial obligations payable in any year in excess of the aggregate amount of taxes levied for that year, revenues derived from contracts, leases and fire protection services rendered to any other municipal corporation, person, firm or corporation, or state agency, grants, bequests, gifts or donations whether received from governmental or nongovernmental sources, and the cash balances on hand in the expense and reserve funds of the district on the first day of that year. In the event that there are any unpaid warrants drawn on any district fund or funds for expenses and obligations incurred outstanding at the end of any calendar year, the same may be paid from taxes collected in the subsequent year or years ((for the same fund or funds)) , revenues, grants, bequests, gifts or donations.

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