

(1) Market motor fuels in any manner that may deceive or tend to deceive the purchaser as to the nature, price, quantity, and quality of a motor fuel;

(2) Fail to register a motor fuel;

(3) Submit incorrect, misleading, or false information regarding the registration of a motor fuel;

(4) Hinder or obstruct the director, or his or her authorized agent, in the performance of his or her duties;

(5) Market a motor fuel that is contrary to this chapter.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 7. Any person who knowingly violates any provision of this chapter or rules adopted under it is guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be punished by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both. The director shall assess a civil penalty ranging from one hundred dollars to ten thousand dollars per occurrence, giving due consideration to the appropriateness of the penalty with respect to the gravity of the violation, and the history of previous violations. Civil penalties collected under this chapter shall be deposited into the motor vehicle fund.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 8. The director may apply to any court of competent jurisdiction for a temporary or permanent injunction restraining any person from violating any provision of this chapter.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 9. This chapter is in addition to any requirements under chapter 19.94 RCW.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 10. If any provision of this act or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 11. Sections 1 through 9 of this act shall constitute a new chapter in Title 19 RCW and may be cited as the Motor Fuel Quality Act.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 12. This act shall take effect on July 1, 1990.

Passed the House March 5, 1990.

Passed the Senate March 1, 1990.

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CHAPTER 103

[Senate Bill No. 6224]

SCHOOL DISTRICTS—REPAYMENT OF DISALLOWED FEDERAL EXPENDITURES

AN ACT Relating to school district financial responsibility; and adding a new section to Title 28A RCW.

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

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. A new section is added to Title 28A RCW to read as follows:

Each school district that receives federal moneys from or through the superintendent of public instruction shall comply with applicable federal requirements and shall repay expenditures subsequently disallowed by the federal government together with such interest as may be assessed by the federal government. Once a federal disallowance determination, decision, or order becomes final respecting federal moneys expended by a school district, the superintendent of public instruction may withhold all or a portion of the annual basic education allocation amounts otherwise due and apportionable to the school district as necessary to facilitate payment of the principal and interest to the federal government. The superintendent of public instruction may pay withheld basic education allocation moneys:

(1) To the school district before the close of the biennium and following the school district's repayment of moneys due the federal government, or the school district's commitment to an acceptable repayment plan, or both; or

(2) To the federal government, subject to the reappropriation of the withheld basic education allocation, moneys for the purpose of payment to the federal government.

No withholding of basic education allocation moneys may occur under this subsection until the superintendent of public instruction has first determined that the withholding should not substantially impair the school district's financial ability to provide the basic education program offerings required by statute.

Passed the Senate February 12, 1990.

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CHAPTER 104

[House Bill No. 2260]

MUNICIPAL RESEARCH COUNCIL

AN ACT Relating to the municipal research council; amending RCW 43.110.010 and 82.44.160; and adding a new section to chapter 43.110 RCW.

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

Sec. 1. Section 2, chapter 108, Laws of 1969 as last amended by section 1, chapter 22, Laws of 1983 and RCW 43.110.010 are each amended to read as follows:

There shall be a state agency which shall be known as the municipal research council. The council shall be composed of eighteen members. Four