

SEC. 3. This act is necessary for the immediate support of the state government and shall take effect immediately. Emergency.

Passed the Senate January 14, 1965.

Passed the House January 15, 1965.

Approved by the Governor January 19, 1965.

CHAPTER 4.

[Senate Bill No. 197.]

APPROPRIATION—LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, BUDGET
AND EDUCATION COMMITTEES.

AN ACT relating to state government; appropriating funds for the legislative council, the legislative budget committee, and the joint committee on education of the legislature; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated out of the state general fund to the legislative council, the legislative budget committee, and the joint committee on education of the legislature, the sum of thirty-four thousand dollars (\$34,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of paying the expenses of said council and committees incurred in preparation for, and during, the thirty-ninth legislature. From the amount hereby appropriated: Legislative
committees.
Appropriation.

(1) The legislative council shall not expend more than twenty-two thousand dollars (\$22,000);

(2) The legislative budget committee shall not expend more than six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500); and

(3) The joint committee on education of the legislature shall not expend more than five thousand five hundred dollars (\$5,500).

Emergency.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate support of the state government and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the Senate January 25, 1965.

Passed the House January 26, 1965.

Approved by the Governor January 27, 1965.

CHAPTER 5.

[Initiative Measure No. 215.]

MARINE RECREATION LAND ACT.

AN ACT providing for the use of monies, derived from existing motor vehicle fuel taxes paid by purchasers of fuel used in watercraft and not reclaimed by them as presently allowed by law, for the acquisition or improvement of land on fresh or salt water for marine recreational purposes. The act provides methods for determining the proportion of motor vehicle fuel tax paid for marine fuel, and it provides for distributing the unreclaimed monies one-half to the state and one-half to local government units. The act also creates a committee for outdoor recreation and makes appropriations.

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

Marine Recrea-
tion Land Act.
Purpose.

SECTION 1. Washington is uniquely endowed with fresh and salt waters rich in scenic and recreational value. This outdoor heritage enriches the lives of citizens, attracts new residents and businesses to the state, and is a major support of its expanding tourist industry. Rising population, increased income and leisure time, and the rapid growth of boating and other water sports have greatly increased the demand for water related recreation, while waterfront land is rapidly rising in value and disappearing from public use. There is consequently an urgent need for the acquisition or improvement of waterfront land on fresh and salt water suitable for marine recreational use by Wash-