vocational schools shall make every effort to enlist minority race representation in the apprenticeship programs of the state and shall be aided therein by the department of labor and industries insofar as such department may be able to so do without undue interference with its other powers and duties. In addition, the legislature, in fulfillment of the public welfare, mandates those involved in apprentice-ship training with the responsibility of making every effort to see that minority race representatives in such programs pursue the same to a successful conclusion thereof.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 6. The department of labor and industries shall report to the 1970 session of the legislature on the implementation of the minority race representation in apprenticeship programs as provided for in this act.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 7. This 1969 act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 8. If any provision of this 1969 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.

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CHAPTER 184
[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 460]
SCHOOLS, APPORTIONMENT OF STATE FUNDS-SCHOOL DIRECTORS' ASSOCIATION, POWERS

AN ACT Relating to education; amending section 3, chapter 276, Laws of 1959 as amended by section 1, chapter 162, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. and RCW 28.48.010; amending section 3, chapter 169, Laws of 1947 and RCW 28.58.340; amending section 28A.48.010, chapter ..., Laws of 1969 (HB 58) and RCW 28A.48.010; amending section 28A.61.030, chapter ..., Laws of 1969 (HB 58) and RCW 28A.61-.030; providing sections to effect the correlative and pari

materia construction of this act with the provisions of Title 28 RCW, or of Titles 28A and 28B RCW if such titles shall be enacted; and declaring an emergency.

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

Part I. Sections affecting current law.

Section 1. Section 3, chapter 276, Laws of 1959 as amended by section 1, chapter 162, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. and RCW 28.48.010 are each amended to read as follows:

On or before the last business day of September, ((1965)) 1969 and each month thereafter, the superintendent of public instruction shall apportion from the current state school fund and/or the state general fund to the several counties of the state the proportional share of the total annual amount due and apportionable to such counties for the school districts thereof as follows: ((In-January;-ten-percent;-in-June;-three-and-one-half-percent and-in-each-of-the-other-months-respectively-eight-and-one-half-percent;))

| <u>September10 %</u> |
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| October 8 % |
| November 6.5% |
| December |
| January |
| February |
| March11 % |
| April 5 % |
| May5 % |
| June5 % |
| July8.5% |
| August8.5% |

The annual amount due and apportionable shall be the amount apportionable for all apportionment credits estimated to accrue to the schools during a year beginning September first and continuing through August thirty-first. Appropriations made for school districts for the bien-

nium beginning July 1, ((1965)) 1969, and ending June 30, ((1967)) 1971, ((shall-be-apportioned-to-cover-the-two-school-years-beginning September-1;-1965;-and-ending-August-31;-1967)) shall consist of the monthly apportionments due for July and August of 1969 plus the apportionments due for twenty-two months beginning with September, 1969 and ending with June, 1971. The apportionment from the state general fund for each month shall be an amount which together with the revenues of the current state school fund will equal the amount due and apportionable to the several counties during such month: PROVIDED, That any school district may, through its county superintendent, petition the superintendent of public instruction for an emergency advance of funds which may become apportionable to it but not to exceed five percent of the total amount to become due and apportionable during the school district's fiscal year. The superintendent of public instruction shall determine if the emergency warrants such advance, and if the funds are available therefor, and if he determines in the affirmative he may approve such advance and at the same time add such an amount to the apportionment for the county in which the district is located.

Sec. 2. Section 3, chapter 169, Laws of 1947 and RCW 28.58.340 are each amended to read as follows:

The school directors association shall have the power (1) to prepare and adopt, amend and repeal a constitution and rules, regulations, and bylaws for its own organization including county units and for its government and guidance, provided action taken with respect thereto is not inconsistent with the provisions of RCW 28.58.320 through 28.58.360 or with other provisions of law; (2) to arrange for and call such meetings of the association or of the officers and committees thereof as are deemed essential to the performance of its duties; (3) to provide for the payment of travel and subsistence expenses incurred by members and/or officers of the association while engaged in the performance of duties under direction of the association; ((and)) (4) to employ an executive secretary and other staff

and pay such employees out of the funds of the association; (5) to conduct studies and disseminate information therefrom relative to increased efficiency in local school board administration; (6) to buy, sell or exchange such personal and real property as necessary for the efficient operation of the association; and (7) to purchase liability insurance for school directors, which insurance may indemnify said directors against any or all liabilities for personal or bodily injuries and property damage arising from their acts or omissions while performing or while in good faith purporting to perform their official duties as school directors.

Part II. Sections affecting proposed 1969 education code.

Sec. 3. Section 28A.48.010, chapter ..., Laws of 1969 (HB 58) and RCW 28A.48.010 are each amended to read as follows:

On or before the last business day of <u>September</u>, 1969 and each month <u>thereafter</u>, the superintendent of public instruction shall apportion from the current state school fund and/or the state general fund to the several counties of the state the proportional share of the total annual amount due and apportionable to such counties for the school districts thereof as follows: ((In-January;-ten-percent; in-February;-ten-percent;-in-June;-three-and-one-half-percent-and-in each-of-the-other-months-respectively-eight-and-one-half-percent;))

| <u>September</u> |
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| October 8 % |
| November |
| December |
| January13 % |
| February13 % |
| March11 % |
| April 5 % |
| May 5 % |
| June 5 % |
| July 8.5% |
| August 8.5% |

The annual amount due and apportionable shall be the amount apportionable for all apportionment credits estimated to accrue to the schools during a year beginning September first and continuing through August thirty-first. Appropriations made for school districts for the biennium beginning July 1, 1969, and ending June 30, 1971, shall consist of the monthly apportionments due for July and August of 1969 plus the apportionments due for twenty-two months beginning with September, 1969 and ending with June, 1971, and ending August 31, 1971. The apportionment from the state general fund for each month shall be an amount which together with the revenues of the current state school fund will equal the amount due and apportionable to the several counties during such month: PROVIDED, That any school district may, through its county or intermediate district superintendent, petition the superintendent of public instruction for an emergency advance of funds which may become apportionable to it but not to exceed five percent of the total amount to become due and apportionable during the school district's fiscal year. The superintendent of public instruction shall determine if the emergency warrants such advance, and if the funds are available therefor, and if he determines in the affirmative he may approve such advance and at the same time add such an amount to the apportionment for the county in which the district is located.

Sec. 4. Section 28A.61.030, chapter ..., Laws of 1969 (HB 58) and RCW 28A.61.030 are each amended to read as follows:

The school directors' association shall have the power:

- (1) To prepare and adopt, amend and repeal a constitution and rules and regulations, and bylaws for its own organization including county or regional units and for its government and guidance:

 PROVIDED, That action taken with respect thereto is consistent with the provisions of RCW 28A.61.010 through 28A.61.060 or with other provisions of law;
- (2) To arrange for and call such meetings of the association or of the officers and committees thereof as are deemed essential to the performance of its duties;

- (3) To provide for the payment of travel and subsistence expenses incurred by members and/or officers of the association and association staff while engaged in the performance of duties under direction of the association in the manner provided by RCW 28A.58.310;
- (4) To employ an executive secretary and other staff and pay such employees out of the funds of the association;
- (5) To conduct studies and disseminate information therefrom relative to increased efficiency in local school board administration;
- (6) ((To-perform-such-other-requested-services-for-local sehool-boards-as-appear-reasonable-to-the-association; -and
- (7))) To buy, sell or exchange such personal and real property as necessary for the efficient operation of the association; and
- (7) To purchase liability insurance for school directors, which insurance may indemnify said directors against any or all liabilities for personal or bodily injuries and property damage arising from their acts or omissions while performing or while in good faith purporting to perform their official duties as school directors.

Part III. Construction.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. The forty-first legislature has before it a bill proposing a complete revision of the education laws of this state (1969 HB 58). The provisions of Part I of the instant bill seek to change existing laws. The provisions of Part II seek to change correlative provisions of the proposed 1969 education code if such code becomes law. It is the intent of the legislature that the provisions of Part I shall be effective only until the date upon which the 1969 education code shall take effect, upon which date the provisions of Part I shall expire and the provisions of Part II shall concomitantly become effective. It is the further intent of the legislature that Part II of the instant bill shall not take effect unless the proposed 1969 education code is adopted at this legislature, but if such event occurs then any amendatory provisions of Part II of this bill shall be construed as amending the correlative sections of the 1969 education code, any repealing provisions of Part II shall

be construed as repealing the correlative section of the 1969 education code, and any new or additional provisions of Part II shall be construed as being in pari materia with the 1969 education code.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 6. Part II of this 1969 amendatory act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect on the date upon which the 1969 education code becomes effective.

Passed the Senate April 17, 1969 Passed the House April 10, 1969 Approved by the Governor April 25, 1969 Filed in office of Secretary of State April 25, 1969

CHAPTER 185
[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 55]
COUNTIES--ROADS, VACATION--BUDGET,
EMERGENCY EXPENDITURES

AN ACT Relating to counties; amending section 36.87.010, chapter 4, Laws of 1963 and RCW 36.87.010; amending section 36.87.080, chapter 4, Laws of 1963 and RCW 36.87.080; and amending section 36.40.140, chapter 4, Laws of 1963 and RCW 36.40.140; and adding new sections to chapter 4, Laws of 1963, and to chapter 36.87 RCW.

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

Section 1. Section 36.87.010, chapter 4, Laws of 1963 and RCW 36.87.010 are each amended to read as follows:

When a county road or any part thereof is considered useless, the board by ((unanimous)) resolution entered upon its minutes, may declare its intention to vacate and abandon the same or any portion thereof and shall direct the county road engineer to report upon such vacation and abandonment.

Sec. 2. Section 36.87.080, chapter 4, Laws of 1963 and RCW 36.87.080 are each amended to read as follows:

No county road shall be vacated and abandoned except by ((unanimous)) majority vote of the board properly entered, or by operation of law, or judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction.

Sec. 3. Section 36.40.140, chapter 4, Laws of 1963 and RCW [1434]