

However, sections three and four, because of the manner in which they are drafted, instead of assuring expanded alcoholism programs with local participation, provide a substantial potential for harming the effort against alcoholism by giving cities, towns and counties the ability to prevent an alcoholism control program from being initiated or continued even without city, town or county liquor tax or profit money. These sections essentially give cities, towns or counties a veto power over the initiation or continuation of alcoholism programs. I have therefore vetoed sections three and four with the hope that a statute with the language more appropriate will be enacted at the next session."

CHAPTER 105

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 269]

FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICTS--
EXCESS LEVIES

AN ACT Relating to fire protection districts; amending section 9, chapter 24, Laws of 1951 2nd ex. sess. as amended by section 2, chapter 13, Laws of 1963 ex. sess. and RCW 52.16.130.

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

Section 1. Section 8, chapter 24, Laws of 1951 2nd ex. sess. as amended by section 2, chapter 13, Laws of 1963 ex. sess. and RCW 52.16.130 are each amended to read as follows:

To carry out the purposes for which fire protection districts are created, the board of fire commissioners of any such district is hereby authorized to levy each year, in addition to the levy or levies provided in this act for the payment of the principal and interest of any outstanding general obligation bonds and the levies necessary to pay the principal and interest of any coupon warrants heretofore issued and outstanding, an ad valorem tax on all taxable property located in such district not to exceed two mills: PROVIDED, That in no case may the total general levy for all purposes, except retirement of general obligation bonds, exceed four mills. Levies in excess of four mills or in excess of aggregate millage limitations or both may be made for any district purpose when so authorized at a special election under the provisions of RCW 84.52.052. Any such tax

when so levied shall be certified to the proper county officials for the collection of the same as for other general taxes. Such taxes when collected shall be placed in the appropriate district fund or funds as provided by law, and shall be paid out on warrants of the auditor of the county in which the district is situated, upon authorization of the board of fire commissioners of such district.

Passed the Senate May 10, 1971.

Passed the House May 10, 1971.

Approved by the Governor May 19, 1971.

Filed in Office of Secretary of State May 20, 1971.

CHAPTER 106

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 335]

CRAWFISH--

TAKING FOR COMMERCIAL PURPOSES

AN ACT Relating to food fish and shellfish: adding a new section to chapter 75.12 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 75.12 RCW a new section to read as follows:

It shall be unlawful to take or fish for crawfish for commercial purposes in any of the rivers, streams or lakes of the state except under conditions where crawfish have been cultured for commercial purposes or where otherwise permitted under department of fisheries rules or regulations.

Passed the Senate March 12, 1971.

Passed the House May 10, 1971.

Approved by the Governor May 19, 1971.

Filed in Office of Secretary of State May 20, 1971.

CHAPTER 107

[Senate Bill No. 449]

COURTS--

BUSINESS DAYS--FEES--COSTS--

APPEALS, PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY MATTERS--

LAW DEFECTS, REPORT

AN ACT Relating to the judiciary; amending section 7, page 36, Laws of 1909 and RCW 2.04.030; amending section 1, part, chapter 151, Laws of 1903 as last amended by section 1, chapter 51,