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intermediate school district transportation commission, and as approved by the state superintendent, or shall be limited to ninety percent of the average state cost per vehicle mile for the class of vehicle approved for operation as determined by the state superintendent, whichever is the smaller; and

(2) Costs of acquisition of approved transportation equipment shall be limited to ninety percent to be reimbursed over the anticipated life of the vehicle, as determined by the state superintendent: <u>PROVIDED</u>. That reimbursements for the acquisition of approved transportation equipment received by school districts shall be held within the general fund exclusively for the future purpose of approved transportation equipment and major transportation equipment repairs consistent with rules and regulations authorized and promulgated under RCW 28A.41.170, 28A.65.050, and 28A.65.180.

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## CHAPTER 86 [House Bill No. 79]

PRESSURE SYSTEMS--RULES AND REGULATIONS, ADOPTION, PRIMA FACIE COMPLIANCE--EXEMPTIONS, HOT WATER HEATERS

AN ACT Relating to pressure systems; amending section 3, chapter 32, Laws of 1951 and RCW 70.79.030; and amending section 9, chapter 32, Laws of 1951 and RCW 70.79.090.

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

Section 1. Section 3, chapter 32, Laws of 1951 and RCW 70.79.030 are each amended to read as follows:

The board shall formulate definitions, rules, and regulations for the safe and proper construction, installation, repair, use, and operation of boilers and for the safe and proper construction, installation, and repair of unfired pressure vessels in this state. The definitions, rules, and regulations so formulated shall be based upon, and, at all times, follow the generally accepted nationwide engineering standards, formulae, and practices established and pertaining to boiler and unfired pressure vessel construction and safety, and the board may by resolution adopt an existing published codification thereof, known as "The Boiler Construction Code of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers", with the amendments and interpretations thereto made and approved by the council of the society, and may likewise adopt the amendments and interpretations subsequently made and published by the same authority; and when so adopted the same shall be deemed incorporated into, and to constitute a part or the whole of the definitions, rules, and regulations of the Amendments and interpretations to the code so adopted shall board. be adopted immediately upon being promulgated, to the end that the definitions, rules, and regulations shall at all times follow the generally accepted nationwide engineering standards: PROVIDED, HOWEVER, That all rules and regulations promulgated by the board, including any or all of the boiler construction code of the American society of mechanical engineers with amendments and interpretations thereof, shall be adopted in compliance with the Administrative Procedure Act, chapter 34.04 RCW, as now or hereafter amended. All boilers and unfired pressure vessels subject to the jurisdiction of the board, which have been constructed or installed in accordance with the code of the American society of mechanical engineers shall be prima facie evidence of compliance with those provisions of this chapter and the rules of the board.

Sec. 2. Section 9, chapter 32; Laws of 1951 and RCW 70.79.090 are each amended to read as follows:

The following boilers and unfired pressure vessels shall be exempt from the requirements of RCW 70.79.220, and 70.79.240 through 70.79.340:

(1) Boilers or unfired pressure vessels located on farms and used solely for agricitural purposes;

(2) Steam boilers used exclusively for heating purposes carrying a pressure of not more than fifteen pounds per square inch gauge and which are located in private residences or in apartment houses of less than six families;

(3) Hot water heating boilers carrying a pressure of not more than thirty pounds per square inch and which are located in private residences or in apartment houses of less than six families;

(4) Approved pressure vessels (hot water heaters listed by a nationally recognized testing agency), with approved safety devices including a pressure relief valve, with a nominal water containing capacity of one hundred twenty gallons or less having a heat input of two hundred thousand b.t.u.'s per hour or less, used for hot water supply at pressure of one hundred sixty pounds per square inch or less, and at temperatures of two hundred degrees Fahrenheit or less; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, That such pressure vessels are not installed in schools, child care centers, public and private hospitals, nursing and boarding homes, churches, public buildings owned or leased and maintained by the state or any political subdivision thereof, and assembly halls;

(5) Unfired pressure vessels containing only water under pressure for domestic supply purposes, including those containing

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air, the compression of which serves only as a cushion or airlift pumping systems, when located in private residences or in apartment houses of less than six families;

(((5))) (6) Unfired pressure vessels containing liquefied petroleum gases.

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CHAPTER 87 [House Bill No. 86] MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES--CODE CORRECTIONS

AN ACT Relating to motor vehicle excise taxes; reenacting section 82.44.150, chapter 15, Laws of 1961 as last amended by section 1, chapter 80, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and by section 2, chapter 199, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 82.44.150; and declaring an emergency.

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

Section 1. Section 82.44.150, chapter 15, Laws of 1961 as last amended by section 1, chapter 80, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and by section 2, chapter 199, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 82.44.150 are each reenacted to read as follows:

(1) The director of motor vehicles shall on the twenty-fifth day of Pebruary, May, August and November of each year, commencing with November, 1971, advise the state treasurer of the total amount of motor vehicle excise taxes remitted to the department of motor vehicles during the preceding calendar guarter ending on the last day of March, June, September and December, respectively, except for those payable under RCW 82.44.030 and RCW 82.44.070, from motor vehicle owners residing within each municipality which has levied a tax under RCW 35.58.273, which amount of excise taxes shall be determined by the director as follows:

The total amount of motor vehicle excise taxes remitted to the department, except those payable under RCW 82.44.030 and 82.44.070, from each county shall be multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which is the population of the municipality residing in such county, and the denominator of which is the total population of the county in which such municipality or portion thereof is located. The product of this computation shall be the amount of excise taxes from motor vehicle owners residing within such municipality or portion thereof.