

CHAPTER 50
[House Bill No. 389]
PUBLIC LANDS--INTERGOVERNMENTAL EXCHANGE
AUTHORITY--COMMERCIAL RECREATIONAL
LEASING POTENTIAL

AN ACT Relating to the exchange of lands; amending section 1, chapter 77, Laws of 1937 as amended by section 1, chapter 77, Laws of 1961 and RCW 76.12.050; and amending section 1, chapter 290, Laws of 1957 as amended by section 4, chapter 77, Laws of 1961 and RCW 79.08.180.

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

Section 1. Section 1, chapter 77, Laws of 1937 as amended by section 1, chapter 77, Laws of 1961 and RCW 76.12.050 are each amended to read as follows:

The board of county commissioners of any county and/or the mayor and city council or city commission of any city or town and/or the board of natural resources shall have authority to exchange, each with the other, or with the federal forest service, the federal government or any proper agency thereof and/or with any private landowner, county land of any character, land owned by municipalities of any character, and land owned by the state under the jurisdiction of the department of natural resources, for real property of equal value for the purpose of consolidating and blocking up the respective land holdings of any county, municipality, the federal government, or the state of Washington or for the purpose of obtaining lands having commercial recreational leasing potential.

Sec. 2. Section 1, chapter 290, Laws of 1957 as amended by section 4, chapter 77, Laws of 1961 and RCW 79.08.180 are each amended to read as follows:

For the purpose of facilitating the marketing of forest products of state lands, or consolidating and blocking up of state lands, or the acquisition of lands having commercial recreational leasing potential, the commissioner of public lands may, with the advice and approval of such state board, commission, committee, or agency exercising control over the disposal of the land involved, exchange any state lands with any timber thereon for any other land of equal value, including other state lands, lands of the United States, county or municipal lands of any character, and privately owned lands.

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