

shall be published for at least two consecutive weeks in a newspaper printed and of general circulation in said county. On the first Monday in October the commission shall hold a public hearing on said proposed budget at which any taxpayer may appear and be heard against the whole or any part of the proposed budget. Upon the conclusion of said hearing, the commission shall, by resolution, adopt the budget as finally determined and fix the final amount of expenditures for the ensuing year. Taxes levied by the commission shall be certified to and collected by the proper county officer of the county in which such public hospital district is located in the same manner as is or may be provided by law for the certification and collection of port district taxes. The commission is authorized, prior to the receipt of taxes raised by levy, to borrow money or issue warrants of the district in anticipation of the revenue to be derived by such district from the levy of taxes for the purpose of such district, and such warrants shall be redeemed from the first money available from such taxes when collected, and such warrants shall not exceed the anticipated revenues of one year, and shall bear interest at a rate or rates as authorized by the commission.

(7) To enter into any contract with the United States government or any state, municipality, or other hospital district, or any department of those governing bodies, for carrying out any of the powers authorized by this chapter.

(8) To sue and be sued in any court of competent jurisdiction: PROVIDED, That all suits against the public hospital district shall be brought in the county in which the public hospital district is located.

(9) To pay actual necessary travel expenses and living expenses incurred while in travel status for (a) qualified physicians who are candidates for medical staff positions, and (b) other qualified persons who are candidates for superintendent or other managerial and technical positions, when the district finds that hospitals or other health care facilities owned and operated by it are not adequately staffed and determines that personal interviews with said candidates to be held in the district are necessary or desirable for the adequate staffing of said facilities.

(10) To make contracts, employ superintendents, attorneys, and other technical or professional assistants and all other employees; to make contracts with private or public institutions for employee retirement programs; to print and publish information or literature; and to do all other things necessary to carry out the provisions of this chapter.

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## CHAPTER 212

[Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 2418]

### LAW ENFORCEMENT—BASIC TRAINING—ASSESSMENTS

AN ACT Relating to criminal justice training; amending section 1, chapter 94, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 43.101.010; and adding new sections to chapter 43.101 RCW.

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

Section 1. Section 1, chapter 94, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 43.101.010 are each amended to read as follows:

When used in this chapter:

(1) The term "commission" means the Washington state criminal justice training commission.

(2) The term "boards" means the education and training standards boards, the establishment of which are authorized by this chapter.

(3) The term "criminal justice personnel" means any person who serves in a county, city, state, or port commission agency engaged in crime prevention, crime reduction, or enforcement of the criminal law.

(4) The term "law enforcement personnel" means any public employee or volunteer having as a primary function the enforcement of criminal laws in general or any employee or volunteer of, or any individual commissioned by, any municipal, county, state, or combination thereof, agency having as its primary function the enforcement of criminal laws in general as distinguished from an agency possessing peace officer powers, the primary function of which is the implementation of specialized subject matter areas. For the purposes of this subsection "primary function" means that function to which the greater allocation of resources is made.

(5) The term "correctional personnel" means any employee or volunteer who by state, county, municipal, or combination thereof, statute has the responsibility for the confinement, care, management, training, treatment, education, supervision, or counseling of those individuals whose civil rights have been limited in some way by legal sanction.

(6) The term "judicial personnel" means any judge, employee, or volunteer of any municipal, district, or superior court and any justice, employee, or volunteer of the state appellate court or the state supreme court.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. There is added to chapter 43.101 RCW a new section to read as follows:

(1) All law enforcement personnel, except volunteers, and reserve officers whether paid or unpaid, initially employed on or after January 1, 1978, shall engage in basic law enforcement training which complies with standards adopted by the commission pursuant to RCW 43.101.080 and 43.101.160. Such training shall be successfully completed during the first fifteen months of employment of such personnel unless otherwise extended or waived by the commission and shall be requisite to the continuation of such employment.

(2) The commission shall provide the aforementioned training together with necessary facilities, supplies, materials, and the board and room of non-commuting attendees for seven days per week. Additionally, the commission shall reimburse to participating law enforcement agencies with ten or less full-time commissioned patrol officers the cost of temporary replacement of each officer who is enrolled in basic law enforcement training: PROVIDED, That such reimbursement shall include only the actual cost of temporary replacement not to exceed the total amount of salary and benefits received by the replaced officer during his training period.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. There is added to chapter 43.101 RCW a new section to read as follows:

(1) Costs of criminal justice training shall be borne in part by those who necessitate the establishment and maintenance of the criminal justice system.

(2) In each instance of bail forfeiture attendant to any violation of a law of this state or an ordinance of a city or county except an ordinance relating to vehicles unlawfully left or parked, an assessment which shall be in addition to such bail forfeited shall be collected and forwarded within thirty days of receipt of such assessment by the clerk of the court, or the county treasurer, to the state treasurer to be deposited in an account within the state general fund to be known as the criminal justice training account, hereby created, funds from which shall be appropriated by law to the Washington State Criminal Justice Training Commission as established by chapter 43.101 RCW. The amount of the assessment shall be as follows:

- (a) When forfeiture is ten dollars to nineteen dollars and ninety-nine cents, three dollars;
- (b) When forfeiture is twenty dollars to thirty-nine dollars and ninety-nine cents, five dollars;
- (c) When forfeiture is forty dollars to fifty-nine dollars and ninety-nine cents, seven dollars;
- (d) When forfeiture is sixty dollars to ninety-nine dollars and ninety-nine cents, twelve dollars; and
- (e) When forfeiture is one hundred dollars or more, fifteen dollars.

(3) When any deposit of bail is made for a violation to which this section applies, the person making such deposit shall also deposit a sufficient amount to include the assessment prescribed in subsection (2) of this section.

(4) When bail is forfeited, the assessment prescribed in this section shall be forwarded to the state treasurer pursuant to this section. If bail is returned, the assessment made thereon shall also be returned.

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## CHAPTER 213

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2421]

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT PLANNING—HEARING EXAMINER SYSTEM

AN ACT Relating to local government hearing examiners; adding a new section to chapter 35.63 RCW; creating new sections; adding a new section to chapter 35A.63 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 36.70 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 58.17 RCW.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 35.63 RCW a new section to read as follows:

As an alternative to those provisions of this chapter relating to powers or duties of the planning commission to hear and report on any proposal to amend a zoning ordinance, the legislative body of a city or county may adopt a hearing examiner system under which a hearing examiner or hearing examiners may hear and decide applications for amending the zoning ordinance when the amendment which is applied for is not of general applicability. In addition, the legislative body may vest in a hearing examiner the power to hear and decide applications for conditional uses,