

by this chapter: **PROVIDED**, That the failure to so act will not stay the operation of RCW 7.68.060.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 10. There is added to chapter 7.68 RCW a new section to read as follows:

(1) Whenever any person is found guilty in any court of competent jurisdiction of having committed an act prohibited under the provisions of Title 9A RCW as now or hereafter amended, which act involved a victim and is punishable as a felony or gross misdemeanor, there shall be imposed by the court upon such convicted person a penalty assessment in the amount of twenty-five dollars or ten percent of any other penalty or fine, whichever is greater, which penalty assessment shall be in addition to any other penalty or fine imposed by law.

(2) Whenever any person accused of having committed a criminal act prohibited under the provisions of Title 9A RCW as now or hereafter amended, which act involved a victim and is punishable as a felony or gross misdemeanor, posts bail pursuant to the provisions of chapter 10.19 RCW, and such bail is forfeited, there shall be deducted from the proceeds of such forfeited bail a penalty assessment of twenty-five dollars, in addition to any other penalty or fine imposed by law.

(3) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, such penalty assessments shall be paid by the clerk of the court to the city or county treasurer, as the case may be, who shall monthly transmit such penalty assessments to the state treasurer. The state treasurer shall deposit such assessments in an account within the state general fund to be known as the crime victims compensation account, hereby created, and all moneys derived from such assessments shall be used exclusively for the administration of this chapter.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 11. Section 4, chapter 122, Laws of 1973 1st ex. sess. and RCW 7.68.040 are each repealed.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 12. There is added to chapter 7.68 RCW a new section to read as follows:

(1) If any provision of this chapter, or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the chapter, or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances, is not affected.

(2) Subsection (1) of this section shall be effective retroactively to July 1, 1974.

Passed the House June 13, 1977.

Passed the Senate June 10, 1977.

Approved by the Governor June 21, 1977.

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CHAPTER 303

[Substitute House Bill No. 656]

EDUCATION—DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS BOOKS, ETC.

AN ACT Relating to education; and adding a new section to chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and to chapter 28A.02 RCW.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and to chapter 28A.02 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, school districts, educational service districts, or any other state or local governmental agency concerned with education, when declaring texts and other books, equipment, instructional materials or relocatable facilities as surplus, shall, prior to other disposal thereof, serve notice in writing to any private school in Washington state annually requesting such a notice, that the same is available for sale to private schools, at depreciated cost or fair market value, whichever is greater: PROVIDED, That students wishing to purchase texts pursuant to RCW 28A.58.103(2) shall have priority as to such texts.

Passed the House June 10, 1977.

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CHAPTER 304

[Substitute House Bill No. 674] AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

AN ACT Relating to agricultural products; amending section 1, chapter 139, Laws of 1959 as last amended by section 2, chapter 102, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.010; amending section 3, chapter 139, Laws of 1959 as last amended by section 18, chapter 7, Laws of 1975 1st ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.030; amending section 6, chapter 139, Laws of 1959 as last amended by section 4, chapter 102, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.060; amending section 8, chapter 139, Laws of 1959 as amended by section 5, chapter 182, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.080; amending section 8, chapter 102, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.086; amending section 5, chapter 232, Laws of 1963 as last amended by section 5, chapter 102, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.210; amending section 6, chapter 232, Laws of 1963 as amended by section 9, chapter 182, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.212; amending section 33, chapter 139, Laws of 1959 as amended by section 11, chapter 182, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.330; amending section 37, chapter 139, Laws of 1959 as last amended by section 6, chapter 102, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.370; amending section 42, chapter 240, Laws of 1967 as amended by section 7, chapter 102, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.385; amending section 43, chapter 139, Laws of 1959 as amended by section 9, chapter 102, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.430; amending section 10, chapter 102, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.445; amending section 14, chapter 182, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.480; amending section 15, chapter 182, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.500; amending section 20, chapter 182, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.550; and adding new sections to chapter 20.01 RCW.

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

Section 1. Section 1, chapter 139, Laws of 1959 as last amended by section 2, chapter 102, Laws of 1974 ex. sess. and RCW 20.01.010 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) "Director" means the director of agriculture or his duly authorized representative.

(2) "Person" means any natural person, firm, partnership, exchange, association, trustee, receiver, corporation, and any member, officer, or employee thereof or assignee for the benefit of creditors.

(3) "Agricultural product" means any horticultural, viticultural, berry, poultry, poultry product, grain including mint or mint oil processed by or for the producer thereof and hay and straw baled or prepared for market in any manner or form by or for the producer thereof, bee, or other agricultural products, and livestock except