

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and to chapter 28B.10 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The state educational grant account is hereby established within the state general fund. The commission shall deposit refunds and recoveries of student financial aid funds expended in prior biennia in such account. Expenditures from such account shall be for financial aid to needy or disadvantaged students.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. There is hereby appropriated from the state educational grant account within the general fund for the 1981-83 biennium twenty thousand dollars, to the council on postsecondary education, for financial aid to needy or disadvantaged students.

Passed the House April 16, 1981.

Passed the Senate April 11, 1981.

Approved by the Governor April 23, 1981.

Filed in Office of Secretary of State April 23, 1981.

CHAPTER 56

[Substitute House Bill No. 636]

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES—PERSONAL AUTOMOBILE USE—REIMBURSEMENT

AN ACT Relating to reimbursement of municipal officers and employees; and amending section 2, chapter 116, Laws of 1965 and RCW 42.24.090.

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

Section 1. Section 2, chapter 116, Laws of 1965 and RCW 42.24.090 are each amended to read as follows:

No claim for reimbursement of any expenditures by officers or employees of any municipal corporation or political subdivision of the state for transportation, lodging, meals or any other purpose shall be allowed by any officer, employee or board charged with auditing accounts unless the same shall be presented in a detailed account: **PROVIDED**, That, unless otherwise authorized by law, the legislative body of any municipal corporation or political subdivision of the state may prescribe by ordinance or resolution the amounts to be paid officers or employees thereof as reimbursement for the use of their personal automobiles or other transportation equipment in connection with officially assigned duties and other travel for approved public purposes, or as reimbursement to such officers or employees in lieu of actual expenses incurred for lodging, meals or other purposes. The rates for such reimbursements may be computed on a mileage, hourly, per diem, monthly, or other basis as the respective legislative bodies shall determine to be proper in each instance: **PROVIDED**, That in lieu of such reimbursements, payments for the use of personal automobiles for official travel may be established if the legislative body determines that these payments would

be less costly to the municipal corporation or political subdivision of the state than providing automobiles for official travel.

All claims ((for reimbursement)) authorized under this section shall be duly certified by the officer or employee submitting such claims on forms and in the manner prescribed by the division of municipal corporations in the office of the state auditor.

Passed the House April 2, 1981.

Passed the Senate April 14, 1981.

Approved by the Governor April 23, 1981.

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CHAPTER 57

[House Bill No. 681]

MEDICAL DEVICES AND EQUIPMENT—ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS

AN ACT Relating to medical devices and equipment; creating new sections; adding a new section to chapter 19.28 RCW; and declaring an emergency.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 19.28 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Any device used or useful in the diagnosis or treatment of disease or injury which is not in violation of the Medical Device Amendments of 1976, Public Law No. 94-295, 90 Stat. 539, as amended from time to time, and as interpreted by the Food and Drug Administration of the United States Department of Health and Human Services or its successor, shall be deemed to be in compliance with all requirements imposed by this chapter.

***NEW SECTION. Sec. 2.** *The rule of strict construction shall have no application to section 1 of this 1981 act, but it shall be liberally construed in order to carry out the purposes and objects for which it is intended. When section 1 of this 1981 act comes in conflict with any provision, limitation, or restriction in any other law, section 1 of this 1981 act shall govern and control.*

*Sec. 2. was vetoed, see message at end of chapter.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. This 1981 act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the House April 2, 1981.

Passed the Senate April 14, 1981.

Approved by the Governor April 23, 1981, with the exception of Section 2, which is vetoed.

Filed in Office of Secretary of State April 23, 1981.

Note: Governor's explanation of partial veto is as follows: