CHAPTER 154

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 4681]
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES—NATURAL HERITAGE
PROGRAM—APPROPRIATION

AN ACT Relating to natural areas; and making an appropriation.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is appropriated from the general fund to the department of natural resources for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1983, the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for carrying out the purposes of chapter 189, Laws of 1981. Of this sum, sixty thousand dollars shall be from the general fund—state, and forty thousand dollars shall be from the general fund—federal. Receipts from sales of services and data from the natural heritage data bank shall be credited to the appropriate program and treated as a recovery of expenditures.

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CHAPTER 155

[Substitute Senate Bill No. 4550]
DEPARTMENT OF GAME——CHECK STATIONS

AN ACT Relating to game; adding new sections to chapter 77.12 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 77.16 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 77.12 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The purposes of sections 1 through 4 of this act are to facilitate the department's gathering of biological data for managing wildlife resources of this state and to protect wildlife resources by assuring compliance with Title 77 RCW, and rules adopted thereunder, in a manner designed to minimize inconvenience to the public.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. There is added to chapter 77.12 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The department is authorized to require hunters and fishermen occupying a motor vehicle approaching or entering a check station to stop and produce for inspection: (1) Any wildlife in their possession; (2) licenses, permits, tags, stamps, or punchcards required under Title 77 RCW, or rules adopted thereunder. For these purposes, the department is authorized to