CHAPTER 33

[Senate Bill No. 3312]
INTERLOCAL COOPERATION ACT—PUBLIC AGENCY DEFINITION
EXPANDED

AN ACT Relating to local government; and amending RCW 39.34.020.

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

Sec. 1. Section 3, chapter 239, Laws of 1967 as last amended by section 1, chapter 36, Laws of 1979 and RCW 39.34.020 are each amended to read as follows:

For the purposes of this chapter, the term "public agency" shall mean any agency, political subdivision, or unit of local government of this state including, but not limited to, <u>municipal corporations</u>, quasi <u>municipal corporations</u>, special purpose <u>districts</u>, and local service districts; any agency of the state government; any agency of the United States; any Indian tribe recognized as such by the federal government; and any political subdivision of another state.

The term "state" shall mean a state of the United States.

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CHAPTER 34

[Substitute Senate Bill No. 3198]

VICTIMS OF SEXUAL ASSAULT ACT—TERMINATION REPEALED—STATE-WIDE PLAN TO BE DEVELOPED BIENNIALLY—FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AUTHORIZED

AN ACT Relating to victims of sexual assault; amending RCW 70.125.040; adding a new section to chapter 70.125 RCW; repealing RCW 70.125.070; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

Sec. 1. Section 4, chapter 219, Laws of 1979 ex. sess. and RCW 70-.125.040 are each amended to read as follows:

The department shall establish a centralized office within the department to coordinate activities of programs relating to sexual assault and to facilitate coordination and dissemination of information to personnel in fields relating to sexual assault.

The department shall develop, with the cooperation of the criminal justice training commission, ((the attorney general's office,)) the medical profession, and existing rape crisis centers, a biennial state—wide plan to aid organizations which provide services to victims of sexual assault.