

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. A new section is added to chapter 67.40 RCW to read as follows:

(1) The tax levied by RCW 67.40.090 and the tax authorized under RCW 67.40.100(2) shall not apply to emergency lodging provided for homeless persons for a period of less than thirty consecutive days under a shelter voucher program administered by an eligible organization.

(2) For the purposes of this exemption, an eligible organization includes only cities, towns, and counties, or their respective agencies, and groups providing emergency food and shelter services.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 1988.

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CHAPTER 62

[Substitute House Bill No. 1339]

UNLAWFUL USE OF FOOD STAMPS—CLASS C FELONY

AN ACT Relating to the illegal transfer of food stamps; reenacting and amending RCW 9.94A.320; adding a new section to chapter 9.91 RCW; repealing RCW 9.91.120; and prescribing penalties.

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

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 9.91 RCW to read as follows:

(1) A person who sells food coupons obtained through the program established under RCW 74.04.500, or food purchased therewith, is guilty of a gross misdemeanor under RCW 9A.20.021 if the value of the coupons or food transferred exceeds one hundred dollars, and is guilty of a misdemeanor under RCW 9A.20.021 if the value of the coupons or food transferred is one hundred dollars or less.

(2) A person who purchases, or who otherwise acquires and sells, or who traffics in, food coupons issued to another person through the program established under RCW 74.04.500, is guilty of a class C felony under RCW 9A.20.021 if the face value of the coupons exceeds one hundred dollars, and is guilty of a gross misdemeanor under RCW 9A.20.021 if the face value of the coupons is one hundred dollars or less.

(3) A person who, in violation of 7 U.S.C. Sec. 2024(c), obtains and presents food coupons for redemption or causes such coupons to be presented for redemption through the program established under RCW 74.04.500 is guilty of a class C felony under RCW 9A.20.021.

Sec. 2. Section 3, chapter 115, Laws of 1983 as last amended by section 4, chapter 187, Laws of 1987 and by section 1, chapter 224, Laws of

1987 and RCW 9.94A.320 are each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

TABLE 2

CRIMES INCLUDED WITHIN EACH SERIOUSNESS LEVEL

XIV	Aggravated Murder 1 (RCW 10.95.020)
XIII	Murder 1 (RCW 9A.32.030) Homicide by abuse (RCW 9A.32.055)
XII	Murder 2 (RCW 9A.32.050)
XI	Assault 1 (RCW 9A.36.011)
X	Kidnapping 1 (RCW 9A.40.020) Rape 1 (RCW 9A.44.040) Damaging building, etc., by explosion with threat to human being (RCW 70.74.280(1)) Over 18 and deliver heroin or narcotic from Schedule I or II to someone under 18 and 3 years junior (RCW 69.50.406) Leading Organized Crime (RCW 9A.82.060(1)(a))
IX	Robbery 1 (RCW 9A.56.200) Manslaughter 1 (RCW 9A.32.060) Statutory Rape 1 (RCW 9A.44.070) Explosive devices prohibited (RCW 70.74.180) Endangering life and property by explosives with threat to human being (RCW 70.74.270) Over 18 and deliver narcotic from Schedule III, IV, or V or a nonnarcotic from Schedule I-V to someone under 18 and 3 years junior (RCW 69.50.406) Sexual Exploitation, Under 16 (RCW 9.68A.040(2)(a)) Inciting Criminal Profiteering (RCW 9A.82.060(1)(b))
VIII	Arson 1 (RCW 9A.48.020) Rape 2 (RCW 9A.44.050) Promoting Prostitution 1 (RCW 9A.88.070) Selling heroin for profit (RCW 69.50.410)
VII	Burglary 1 (RCW 9A.52.020) Vehicular Homicide (RCW 46.61.520) Introducing Contraband 1 (RCW 9A.76.140) Statutory Rape 2 (RCW 9A.44.080) Indecent Liberties (with forcible compulsion) (RCW 9A.44.100(1)(a)) Sexual Exploitation, Under 18 (RCW 9.68A.040(2)(b)) Dealing in depictions of minor engaged in sexually explicit conduct (RCW 9.68A.050)

- Sending, bringing into state depictions of minor engaged in sexually explicit conduct (RCW 9.68A.060)
- VI Bribery (RCW 9A.68.010)
 Manslaughter 2 (RCW 9A.32.070)
 Intimidating a Juror/Witness (RCW 9A.72.110, 9A.72.130)
 Damaging building, etc., by explosion with no threat to human being (RCW 70.74.280(2))
 Endangering life and property by explosives with no threat to human being (RCW 70.74.270)
 Indecent Liberties (without forcible compulsion) (RCW 9A.44.100(1) (b), (c), and (d))
 Incest 1 (RCW 9A.64.020(1))
 Selling for profit (controlled or counterfeit) any controlled substance (except heroin) (RCW 69.50.410)
 Manufacture, deliver, or possess with intent to deliver heroin or narcotics from Schedule I or II (RCW 69.50.401(a)(1)(i))
 Intimidating a Judge (RCW 9A.72.160)
- V Criminal Mistreatment 1 (RCW 9A.42.020)
 Rape 3 (RCW 9A.44.060)
 Kidnapping 2 (RCW 9A.40.030)
 Extortion 1 (RCW 9A.56.120)
 Incest 2 (RCW 9A.64.020(2))
 Perjury 1 (RCW 9A.72.020)
 Extortionate Extension of Credit (RCW 9A.82.020)
 Advancing money or property for extortionate extension of credit (RCW 9A.82.030)
 Extortionate Means to Collect Extensions of Credit (RCW 9A.82.040)
 Rendering Criminal Assistance 1 (RCW 9A.76.070)
- IV Robbery 2 (RCW 9A.56.210)
 Assault 2 (RCW 9A.36.021)
 Escape 1 (RCW 9A.76.110)
 Arson 2 (RCW 9A.48.030)
 Bribing a Witness/Bribe Received by Witness (RCW 9A.72-.090, 9A.72.100)
 Malicious Harassment (RCW 9A.36.080)
 Wilful Failure to Return from Furlough (RCW 72.66.060)
 Hit and Run — Injury Accident (RCW 46.52.020(4))
 Vehicular Assault (RCW 46.61.522)
 Manufacture, deliver, or possess with intent to deliver narcotics from Schedule III, IV, or V or nonnarcotics from Schedule I–V (except marijuana) (RCW 69.50.401(a)(1)(ii) through (iv))

- Influencing Outcome of Sporting Event (RCW 9A.82.070)
- Use of Proceeds of Criminal Profiteering (RCW 9A.82.080 (1) and (2))
- Knowingly Trafficking in Stolen Property (RCW 9A.82.050(2))
- III Criminal Mistreatment 2 (RCW 9A.42.030)
- Statutory Rape 3 (RCW 9A.44.090)
- Extortion 2 (RCW 9A.56.130)
- Unlawful Imprisonment (RCW 9A.40.040)
- Assault 3 (RCW 9A.36.031)
- Unlawful possession of firearm or pistol by felon (RCW 9.41.040)
- Harassment (RCW 9A.46.020)
- Promoting Prostitution 2 (RCW 9A.88.080)
- Wilful Failure to Return from Work Release (RCW 72.65.070)
- Introducing Contraband 2 (RCW 9A.76.150)
- Communication with a Minor for Immoral Purposes (RCW 9.68A.090)
- Patronizing a Juvenile Prostitute (RCW 9.68A.100)
- Escape 2 (RCW 9A.76.120)
- Perjury 2 (RCW 9A.72.030)
- Intimidating a Public Servant (RCW 9A.76.180)
- Tampering with a Witness (RCW 9A.72.120)
- Manufacture, deliver, or possess with intent to deliver marijuana (RCW 69.50.401(a)(1)(ii))
- Recklessly Trafficking in Stolen Property (RCW 9A.82.050(1))
- Theft of livestock 1 (RCW 9A.56.080)
- II Malicious Mischief 1 (RCW 9A.48.070)
- Possession of Stolen Property 1 (RCW 9A.56.150)
- Theft 1 (RCW 9A.56.030)
- Theft of Livestock 2 (RCW 9A.56.080)
- Burglary 2 (RCW 9A.52.030)
- Possession of controlled substance that is either heroin or narcotics from Schedule I or II (RCW 69.50.401(d))
- Create, deliver, or possess a counterfeit controlled substance (RCW 69.50.401(b))
- Computer Trespass 1 (RCW 9A.52.110)
- I Theft 2 (RCW 9A.56.040)
- Possession of Stolen Property 2 (RCW 9A.56.160)
- Forgery (RCW 9A.60.020)
- Taking Motor Vehicle Without Permission (RCW 9A.56.070)
- Vehicle Prowl 1 (RCW 9A.52.095)
- Attempting to Elude a Pursuing Police Vehicle (RCW 46.61.024)

Malicious Mischief 2 (RCW 9A.48.080)
 Reckless Burning 1 (RCW 9A.48.040)
 Unlawful Issuance of Checks or Drafts (RCW 9A.56.060)
Unlawful Use of Food Stamps (section 1 (2) and (3) of this
 1988 act)
 False Verification for Welfare (RCW 74.08.055)
 Forged Prescription (RCW 69.41.020)
 Forged Prescription for a Controlled Substance (RCW
 69.50.403)
 Possess Controlled Substance that is a Narcotic from Schedule
 III, IV, or V or Non-narcotic from Schedule I-V (RCW
 69.50.401(d))

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. Section 1, chapter 6, Laws of 1973 2nd ex. sess. and RCW 9.91.120 are each repealed.

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CHAPTER 63

[Substitute House Bill No. 1362]

BUTTER SPECIALITY PRODUCTS—SALE OF NONSTANDARD WEIGHTS

AN ACT Relating to weights and measures; and amending RCW 19.94.410.

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

Sec. 1. Section 41, chapter 67, Laws of 1969 and RCW 19.94.410 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, butter, oleo-margarine and margarine shall be offered and exposed for sale and sold by weight and only in units of one-quarter pound, one-half pound, one pound or multiples of one pound, avoirdupois weight.

(2) The director of agriculture may allow the sale of butter speciality products in nonstandard units of weight if the purpose achieved by using such nonstandard units is decorative in nature and the products are clearly labeled as to weight and price per pound.

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