

Sec. 5. Section 16, chapter 31, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. as amended by section 7, chapter 257, Laws of 1975 1st ex. sess. and RCW 15.53.9038 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) When the department has ~~((determined))~~ reasonable cause to believe that any lot of commercial feed is adulterated or misbranded or is being distributed in violation of this chapter or any regulations hereunder it may issue and enforce a written or printed "withdrawal from distribution" order, warning the distributor not to dispose of the lot of feed in any manner until written permission is given by the department or a court of competent jurisdiction. The department shall release the lot of commercial feed so withdrawn when ~~((said))~~ the provisions and regulations have been complied with. If compliance is not obtained within thirty days, the department may begin proceedings for condemnation.

(2) Any lot of commercial feed not in compliance with ~~((said))~~ the provisions and regulations ~~((shall be))~~ is subject to seizure on complaint of the department to a court of competent jurisdiction in the area in which ~~((said))~~ the commercial feed is located. ~~((In the event))~~ If the court finds the ~~((said))~~ commercial feed to be in violation of this chapter and orders the condemnation of ~~((said))~~ the commercial feed, it shall be disposed of in any manner consistent with the quality of the commercial feed and the laws of the state ~~((: PROVIDED, That in no instance shall the disposition of said commercial feed be ordered by))~~. The court ~~((without))~~ shall first ~~((giving))~~ give the claimant an opportunity to apply to the court for release of ~~((said))~~ the commercial feed or for permission to process or relabel ~~((said))~~ the commercial feed to bring it into compliance with this chapter.

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## CHAPTER 178

[House Bill No. 894]

### DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES—RAZOR CLAM HARVESTING PROGRAM— APPROPRIATION

AN ACT Relating to razor clams; making an appropriation; and declaring an emergency.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. Pursuant to RCW 75.25.040(4), there is appropriated from the general fund to the department of fisheries for the biennium ending June 30, 1983, the sum of one hundred eighteen thousand dollars for the development and operation of programs beneficial to razor clam harvesting.

**NEW SECTION.** Sec. 2. This 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.

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## CHAPTER 179

[House Bill No. 859]

### ENVIRONMENTAL COORDINATION PROCEDURES ACT—PERMIT APPROVAL, TIME LIMITS

AN ACT Relating to environmental coordination procedures; amending section 1, chapter 185, Laws of 1973 1st ex. sess. as amended by section 1, chapter 54, Laws of 1977 and RCW 90.62.010; and amending section 6, chapter 185, Laws of 1973 1st ex. sess. as amended by section 5, chapter 54, Laws of 1977 and RCW 90.62.060.

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

Section 1. Section 1, chapter 185, Laws of 1973 1st ex. sess. as amended by section 1, chapter 54, Laws of 1977 and RCW 90.62.010 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) It is the sense of the legislature that the heavy burdens placed upon persons proposing to undertake certain types of projects in this state through requirements to obtain numerous permits and related documents from various state and local agencies are undesirable and should be alleviated. The legislature further finds that present methods for obtaining public views in relation to applications to state and local agencies pertaining to these projects are cumbersome and place undue hardships on members of the public thereby thwarting the public's ability to present such views.

(2) The purposes of this chapter are to:

(a) Provide for an optional procedure to assist those who, in the course of satisfying the requirements of state and local government prior to undertaking a project which contemplates the use of the state's air, land, or water resources, must obtain a number of permits, by establishing a mechanism in state government which will coordinate administrative decision-making procedures, and related quasi judicial and judicial review, pertaining to such documents.

(b) Provide to members of the public a better and easier opportunity to present their views comprehensively on proposed uses of natural resource and related environmental matters prior to the making of decisions on such uses by state or local agencies.