

courts organized under Title 3 or 35 RCW a public safety and education assessment equal to sixty percent of such fines, forfeitures, or penalties, which shall be remitted as provided in chapters 3.46, 3.50, 3.62, and 35.20 RCW. The assessment required by this section shall not be suspended or waived by the court.

(2) There shall be assessed and collected in addition to any fines, forfeitures, or penalties assessed, other than for parking infractions and for fines levied under RCW 46.61.515, and in addition to the public safety and education assessment required under subsection (1) of this section, by all courts organized under Title 3 or 35 RCW, an additional public safety and education assessment equal to fifty percent of the public safety and education assessment required under subsection (1) of this section, which shall be remitted to the state treasurer and deposited as provided in RCW 43.08-.250. The additional assessment required by this subsection shall not be suspended or waived by the court.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. Section 4 of 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 May 1, 1986.

Passed the House March 8, 1986.

Passed the Senate March 3, 1986.

Approved by the Governor March 21, 1986.

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CHAPTER 99

[House Bill No. 1511]

STATE WARRANTS

AN ACT Relating to state warrants; and amending RCW 43.08.062.

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

Sec. 1. Section 43.08.062, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 as amended by section 2, chapter 10, Laws of 1981 and RCW 43.08.062 are each amended to read as follows:

Should the payee or legal holder of any warrant drawn against the state treasury fail to present the warrant for payment within ~~((two years))~~ one hundred eighty days of the date of its issue or, if registered and drawing interest, within ~~((two years))~~ one hundred eighty days of its call, the state treasurer shall enter the same as canceled on the books of his office.

Should the payee or legal owner of such a canceled warrant thereafter present it for payment, the state treasurer may, upon proper showing by affidavit and the delivery of the warrant into his possession, issue a new warrant in lieu thereof, and the state treasurer is authorized to pay the new warrant.

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CHAPTER 100

[Substitute House Bill No. 1403]

FOREST PROTECTION—FIRE PROTECTION—DUTIES

AN ACT Relating to forest protection; amending RCW 43.30.300, 46.09.200, 52.18.030, 52.20.027, 70.94.760, 76.14.120, and 84.33.130; adding new sections to chapter 43.30 RCW; adding new sections to chapter 76.04 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 76.09 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 79.01 RCW; creating a new section; repealing RCW 76.04.010, 76.04.020, 76.04.030, 76.04.050, 76.04.060, 76.04.070, 76.04.080, 76.04.090, 76.04.100, 76.04.110, 76.04.120, 76.04.130, 76.04.140, 76.04.150, 76.04.170, 76.04.180, 76.04.190, 76.04.200, 76.04.210, 76.04.220, 76.04.222, 76.04.240, 76.04.242, 76.04.245, 76.04.251, 76.04.252, 76.04.270, 76.04.273, 76.04.275, 76.04.277, 76.04.280, 76.04.290, 76.04.300, 76.04.310, 76.04.340, 76.04.350, 76.04.360, 76.04.370, 76.04.380, 76.04.385, 76.04.390, 76.04.395, 76.04.400, 76.04.410, 76.04.420, 76.04.430, 76.04.440, 76.04.490, 76.04.500, 76.04.510, 76.04.515, and 76.04.520; and prescribing penalties.

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

ADMINISTRATION

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. DEFINITIONS. As used in this chapter, the following terms have the meanings indicated unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

(1) "Additional fire hazard" means a condition existing on any land in the state covered wholly or in part by forest debris which is likely to further the spread of fire and thereby endanger life or property.

(2) "Closed season" means the period between April 15 and October 15, unless the department designates different dates because of prevailing fire weather conditions.

(3) "Department" means the department of natural resources, or its authorized representatives, as defined in chapter 43.30 RCW.

(4) "Department protected lands" means all lands subject to the forest protection assessment under section 35 of this act or covered under contract or agreement pursuant to section 14 of this act by the department.

(5) "Emergency fire costs" means those costs incurred or approved by the department for emergency forest fire suppression, including the employment of personnel, rental of equipment, and purchase of supplies over and above costs regularly budgeted and provided for nonemergency fire expenses for the biennium in which the costs occur.