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**BILL REQUEST - CODE REVISER'S OFFICE**

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BILL REQ. #: Z-0693.1/06

ATTY/TYPIST: LL:mos

BRIEF DESCRIPTION: Clarifying the relationship between the director  
of fire protection and the insurance commissioner.

1 AN ACT Relating to the relationship between the director of fire  
2 protection and the insurance commissioner; amending RCW 52.30.020;  
3 adding a new chapter to Title 43 RCW; and recodifying RCW 48.48.030,  
4 48.48.040, 48.48.045, 48.48.050, 48.48.060, 48.48.065, 48.48.070,  
5 48.48.080, 48.48.090, 48.48.110, 48.48.140, 48.48.150, and 48.48.160.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

7 **Sec. 1.** RCW 52.30.020 and 1979 c 151 s 164 are each amended to  
8 read as follows:

9 Wherever a fire protection district has been organized which  
10 includes within its area or is adjacent to, buildings and equipment,  
11 except those leased to a nontax exempt person or organization, owned by  
12 the legislative or administrative authority of a state agency or  
13 institution or a municipal corporation, the agency or institution or  
14 municipal corporation involved shall contract with such district for  
15 fire protection services necessary for the protection and safety of  
16 personnel and property pursuant to the provisions of chapter 39.34  
17 RCW(~~(, as now or hereafter amended)~~): PROVIDED, That nothing in this  
18 section shall be construed to require that any state agency,  
19 institution, or municipal corporation contract for services which are

1 performed by the staff and equipment of such state agency, institution,  
2 or municipal corporation: PROVIDED FURTHER, That nothing in this  
3 section shall apply to state agencies or institutions or municipal  
4 corporations which are receiving fire protection services by contract  
5 from another municipality, city, town, or other entities: AND PROVIDED  
6 FURTHER, That school districts shall receive fire protection services  
7 from the fire protection districts in which they are located without  
8 the necessity of executing a contract for such fire protection  
9 services: PROVIDED FURTHER, That prior to September 1, 1974, the  
10 superintendent of public instruction, the (~~insurance commissioner~~)  
11 chief of the Washington state patrol through the director of fire  
12 protection, the director of financial management, and the executive  
13 director of the Washington fire commissioners association, or their  
14 designees, shall develop criteria to be used by the (~~insurance~~  
15 ~~commissioner~~) chief of the Washington state patrol through the  
16 director of fire protection in establishing uniform rates governing  
17 payments to fire districts by school districts for fire protection  
18 services. On or before September 1, 1974, the (~~insurance~~  
19 ~~commissioner~~) chief of the Washington state patrol through the  
20 director of fire protection shall establish such rates to be payable by  
21 school districts on or before January 1st of each year commencing  
22 January 1, 1975, payable July 1, 1975: AND PROVIDED FURTHER, That  
23 beginning with the 1975-77 biennium and in each biennium thereafter the  
24 superintendent of public instruction shall present in (~~his~~) the  
25 budget submittal to the governor an amount sufficient to reimburse  
26 affected school districts for the moneys necessary to pay the costs of  
27 the uniform rates established by the (~~insurance commissioner~~) chief  
28 of the Washington state patrol through the director of fire protection.

29 NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. RCW 48.48.030, 48.48.040, 48.48.045,  
30 48.48.050, 48.48.060, 48.48.065, 48.48.070, 48.48.080, 48.48.090,  
31 48.48.110, 48.48.140, 48.48.150, and 48.48.160 are each recodified as  
32 a new chapter in Title 43 RCW.

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