## SENATE BILL REPORT SB 5346

As Reported By Senate Committee On: Ways & Means, March 29, 2001

**Title:** An act relating to fiscal matters.

**Brief Description:** Making supplemental operating appropriations.

**Sponsors:** Senators Brown, Rossi and Constantine; by request of Governor Locke.

**Brief History:** 

Committee Activity: Ways & Means: 3/28/01, 3/29/01 [DPS].

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON WAYS & MEANS

**Majority Report:** That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5346 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass.

Signed by Senators Brown, Chair; Constantine, Vice Chair; Fairley, Vice Chair; Fraser, Hewitt, Kline, Kohl-Welles, Rasmussen, Regala, Rossi, Sheahan, B. Sheldon, Snyder, Spanel, Thibaudeau, Winsley and Zarelli.

**Staff:** Steve Jones (786-7440)

**Background:** The operating and capital expenses of state government and its agencies and programs are funded on a biennial basis by an omnibus operations budget adopted by the Legislature in odd-numbered years. The budget for the 1999-01 fiscal biennium was adopted by the 1999 Legislature and a supplemental budget was adopted in 2000.

State operating expenses are paid from the state General Fund and from various dedicated funds and accounts.

**Summary of Substitute Bill:** Capital and operating appropriations from various agencies are modified. For additional information, see the 2001 Supplemental Operating & Capital Budget Summary and Statewide Summary & Agency Detail published by the Senate Ways and Means Committee.

Substitute Bill Compared to Original Bill: The original bill was not considered.

**Appropriation:** Various.

**Fiscal Note:** Not requested.

**Effective Date:** The bill contains an emergency clause and takes effect immediately.

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