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	HOUSE BILL 2254

State of Washington 57th Legislature 2001 Regular Session

By Representatives Clements, Grant, Linville and G. Chandler Read first time . Referred to Committee on .

- 1 AN ACT Relating to reimbursing county horticultural pest and
- 2 disease boards for the cost of pest control activities; making an
- 3 appropriation; and declaring an emergency.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** The sum of four hundred fifty thousand
 - dollars, or as much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated for
- 7 the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001, from the general fund--state to
- 8 the department of agriculture. This appropriation shall be deposited
- 9 in the plant pest account in the agricultural local account and is
- 10 provided solely to reimburse county horticultural pest and disease
- 11 boards for the cost of pest control activities, including tree removal,
- 12 conducted under their existing authority in chapters 15.08 and 15.09
- 13 RCW.

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- 14 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 2.** This act is necessary for the immediate
- 15 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the

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- 1 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect
- 2 immediately.

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