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SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 3149

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STATE INVESTMENT BOARD--PERSONNEL--COMPENSATION

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Passed by the House March 11, 2008 Yeas 91 Nays 3

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate March 7, 2008 Yeas 49 Nays 0

CERTIFICATE

I, Barbara Baker, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 3149** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

BARBARA BAKER

BRAD OWEN

Chief Clerk

President of the Senate

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Governor of the State of Washington

Secretary of State State of Washington

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By House Appropriations (originally sponsored by Representatives Sommers, Haler, Conway, Kenney, Fromhold, McIntire, Anderson, and Darneille; by request of State Investment Board)

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to compensation of state investment board
- 2 personnel; and amending RCW 43.33A.100.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 Sec. 1. RCW 43.33A.100 and 2001 c 302 s 1 are each amended to read 5 as follows:
- 6 The state investment board shall maintain appropriate offices and
- 7 employ such personnel as may be necessary to perform its duties.
- 8 Employment by the investment board shall include but not be limited to
- 9 an executive director, investment officers, and a confidential
- 10 secretary, which positions are exempt from classified service under
- 11 chapter 41.06 RCW. Employment of the executive director by the board
- 12 shall be for a term of three years, and such employment shall be
- 13 subject to confirmation of the state finance committee: PROVIDED, That
- 14 nothing shall prevent the board from dismissing the director for cause
- 15 before the expiration of the term nor shall anything prohibit the
- 16 board, with the confirmation of the state finance committee, from
- 17 employing the same individual as director in succeeding terms.
- 18 Compensation levels for the executive director, a confidential
- 19 secretary, and all investment officers, including the deputy director

for investment management, employed by the investment board shall be 1 2 established by the state investment board. The investment board is authorized to maintain a retention pool within the state investment 3 board expense account under RCW 43.33A.160, from the earnings of the 4 funds managed by the board, pursuant to a performance management and 5 compensation program developed by the investment board, in order to 6 7 address recruitment and retention problems and to reward performance. The compensation levels and incentive compensation for investment 8 officers shall be limited to the average of total compensation provided 9 by state or other public funds of similar size, based upon a biennial 10 survey conducted by the investment board, with review and comment by 11 12 the joint legislative audit and review committee. However, in any 13 fiscal year the ((salary increases)) incentive compensation granted by the investment board from the retention pool to investment officers 14 pursuant to this section may not exceed ((an average of five)) thirty 15 Disbursements from the retention pool shall be from 16 legislative appropriations and shall be on authorization of the board's 17 executive director or the director's designee. 18

The investment board shall provide notice to the director of the department of personnel, the director of financial management, and the chairs of the house of representatives and senate fiscal committees of proposed changes to the compensation levels for the positions. The notice shall be provided not less than sixty days prior to the effective date of the proposed changes.

As of July 1, 1981, all employees classified under chapter 41.06 RCW and engaged in duties assumed by the state investment board on July 1, 1981, are assigned to the state investment board. The transfer shall not diminish any rights granted these employees under chapter 41.06 RCW nor exempt the employees from any action which may occur thereafter in accordance with chapter 41.06 RCW.

All existing contracts and obligations pertaining to the functions transferred to the state investment board in ((this 1980 act)) chapter 3, Laws of 1981 shall remain in full force and effect, and shall be performed by the board. None of the transfers directed by ((this 1980 act)) chapter 3, Laws of 1981 shall affect the validity of any act performed by a state entity or by any official or employee thereof

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