- RCW 31.40.070 Fees. (1) The director is authorized to charge a fee for the estimated direct and indirect costs of the following:
  - (a) An application for a license and the investigation thereof;
- (b) An application for approval to acquire control of a licensee and the investigation thereof;
- (c) An application for approval for a licensee to merge with another corporation, an application for approval for a licensee to purchase all or substantially all of the business of another person, or an application for approval for a licensee to sell all or substantially all of its business or of the business of any of its offices to another licensee and the investigation thereof;
  - (d) An annual license;
- (e) An examination by the director of a licensee or a subsidiary of a licensee. Excess examiner time shall be billed at a reasonable rate established by rule.
- (2) A fee for filing an application with the director shall be paid at the time the application is filed with the director.
- (3) All such fees shall be deposited in the financial services regulation fund and administered consistent with the provisions of RCW 43.320.110. [2001 c 177 § 9; 1994 c 92 § 266; 1989 c 212 § 7.]

Effective date—2001 c 177: See note following RCW 43.320.080.

Construction—1989 c 212 § 7: "Nothing in section 7 of this act shall be construed to prevent repayment to the general fund of the twenty-five thousand dollar start-up appropriation set forth in section 15 of this act." [1989 c 212 § 14.]