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- 1 AN ACT Relating to appropriations for a Korean War memorial;
- 2 creating a new section; and making an appropriation.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** The legislature intends to remember the
- 5 one hundred twenty-two thousand men and women from Washington state who
- 6 served during the Korean War. More than fifty-four thousand American
- 7 men and women were killed in Korea. Of those, four hundred seventy-two
- 8 were from Washington state. Hundreds of thousands were wounded or
- 9 injured and eight thousand people are still missing in action.
- 10 Washington's pride for the people who fought in the Korean War is as
- 11 strong today as it was in the 1950's. The legislature pledges strong
- 12 support for a Korean War memorial on the state capitol campus in
- 13 Olympia.

- 1 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 2.** The sum of fifty thousand dollars, or as
- 2 much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated for the biennium
- 3 ending June 30, 1993, from the state building construction account to
- 4 the department of veterans affairs for the purpose of erecting a Korean
- 5 War memorial. This appropriation shall be matched by at least two
- 6 hundred thousand dollars from nonstate sources for the same purpose as
- 7 this appropriation.