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- 1 AN ACT Relating to cities and towns annexed by fire protection
- 2 districts; and amending RCW 41.16.050.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 41.16.050 and 1986 c 296 s 3 are each amended to read 5 as follows:
- 6 There is hereby created and established in the treasury of each
- 7 municipality a fund which shall be known and designated as the
- 8 firemen's pension fund, which shall consist of: (1) All bequests,
- 9 fees, gifts, emoluments, or donations given or paid thereto; (2) forty-
- 10 five percent of all moneys received by the state from taxes on fire
- 11 insurance premiums; (3) taxes paid pursuant to the provisions of RCW
- 12 41.16.060; (4) interest on the investments of the fund; and (5)
- 13 contributions by ((firemen)) fire fighters as provided for herein. The
- 14 moneys received from the tax on fire insurance premiums under the
- 15 provisions of this chapter shall be distributed in the proportion that
- 16 the number of paid ((firemen)) fire fighters in the city, town, or fire
- 17 protection district bears to the total number of paid ((firemen)) fire
- 18 fighters throughout the state to be ascertained in the following
- 19 manner: The secretary of the firemen's pension board of each city,

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town, and fire protection district now or hereafter coming under the provisions of this chapter shall within thirty days after June 7, 1961, 2 and on or before the fifteenth day of January thereafter, certify to 3 the state treasurer the number of paid ((firemen)) fire fighters in the 4 fire department in such city, town, or fire protection district. For 5 any city or town annexed by a fire protection district at any time 6 7 before, on, or after the effective date of this act, the city or town shall continue to certify to the state treasurer the number of paid 8 9 fire fighters in the city or town fire department immediately before 10 annexation until all obligations against the firemen's pension fund in the city or town have been satisfied. For the purposes of the 11 calculation in this section, the state treasurer shall subtract the 12 number certified by the annexed city or town from the number of paid 13 fire fighters certified by an annexing fire protection district. 14 15 state treasurer shall on or before the first day of June of each year 16 deliver to the treasurer of each city, town, and fire protection district coming under the provisions of this chapter his or her 17 warrant, payable to each city, town, or fire protection district for 18 19 the amount due such city, town, or fire protection district ascertained 20 as herein provided and the treasurer of each such city, town, or fire protection district shall place the amount thereof to the credit of the 21 firemen's pension fund of such city, town, or fire protection district. 22

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