
SENATE BILL 5347

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By Senators Rasmussen, Honeyford, Prentice and Morton

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1 AN ACT Relating to the fruit and vegetable district fund; amending
2 RCW 15.17.243; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 15.17.243 and 1997 c 227 s 1 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 The (~~inspector-at-large~~) district manager for district two as
7 defined in WAC 16-458-075 is authorized to transfer two hundred
8 thousand dollars from the (~~horticultural~~) fruit and vegetable
9 district fund to the plant pest account within the agricultural local
10 fund. The amount transferred is to be derived from fees collected for
11 state inspections of tree fruits and is to be used solely for
12 activities related to the control of *Rhagoletis pomonella* in district
13 two. The transfer of funds shall occur by June 1, 1997. On June 30,
14 (~~1999~~) 2001, any unexpended portion of the two hundred thousand
15 dollars shall be returned to the (~~horticultural~~) fruit and vegetable
16 district fund.

17 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** This act is necessary for the immediate
18 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the

1 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect
2 June 30, 1999.

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