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By Representatives Peery, Brough, Brumsickle, G. Fisher, Betrozoff, Holland, Paris, Broback and Orr.

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1 AN ACT Relating to the Washington state school directors'
2 association; and amending RCW 28A.345.030.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 28A.345.030 and 1990 c 33 s 372 are each amended to
5 read as follows:

6 The school directors' association shall have the power:

7 (1) To prepare and adopt, amend and repeal a constitution and rules
8 and regulations, and bylaws for its own organization including county
9 or regional units and for its government and guidance: PROVIDED, That
10 action taken with respect thereto is consistent with the provisions of
11 this chapter or with other provisions of law;

12 (2) To arrange for and call such meetings of the association or of
13 the officers and committees thereof as are deemed essential to the
14 performance of its duties;

1 (3) To provide for the compensation of members of the board of
2 directors in accordance with RCW 43.03.240, and for payment of travel
3 and subsistence expenses incurred by members and/or officers of the
4 association and association staff while engaged in the performance of
5 duties under direction of the association in the manner provided by RCW
6 28A.320.050;

7 (4) To employ an executive (~~(secretary)~~) director and other staff
8 and pay such employees out of the funds of the association;

9 (5) To conduct studies and disseminate information therefrom
10 relative to increased efficiency in local school board administration;

11 (6) To buy, lease, sell, or exchange such personal and real
12 property as necessary for the efficient operation of the association
13 and to borrow money, issue deeds of trust or other evidence of
14 indebtedness, or enter into contracts for the purchase, lease,
15 remodeling, or equipping of office facilities or the acquisition of
16 sites for such facilities;

17 (7) To purchase liability insurance for school directors, which
18 insurance may indemnify said directors against any or all liabilities
19 for personal or bodily injuries and property damage arising from their
20 acts or omissions while performing or while in good faith purporting to
21 perform their official duties as school directors;

22 (8) To provide advice and assistance to local boards to promote
23 their primary duty of representing the public interest;

24 (9) Upon request by a local school district board(s) of directors,
25 to make available on a cost reimbursable contract basis (a) specialized
26 services, (b) research information, and (c) consultants to advise and
27 assist district board(s) in particular problem areas: PROVIDED, That
28 such services, information, and consultants are not already available
29 from other state agencies, educational service districts, or from the
30 information and research services authorized by RCW 28A.320.110.