

HOUSE BILL REPORT

HB 1315

As Reported by House Committee On:
Appropriations

Title: An act relating to fiscal matters.

Brief Description: Making operating appropriations for 2001-03.

Sponsors: Representatives H. Sommers (co-prime sponsor) and Sehlin (co-prime sponsor);
by request of Governor Locke.

Brief History:

Committee Activity:

Appropriations: 4/26/01 [DPS].

Brief Summary of Substitute Bill

- Making \$22.7 billion General Fund-State operating appropriations.

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Majority Report: The substitute bill be substituted therefor and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by 24 members: Representatives Sehlin, Republican Co-Chair; H. Sommers, Democratic Co-Chair; Doumit, Democratic Vice Chair; Lisk, Republican Vice Chair; Alexander, Boldt, Buck, Clements, Cody, Cox, Dunshee, Fromhold, Grant, Kagi, Kenney, Kessler, Linville, Mastin, Mulliken, Pearson, Ruderman, D. Schmidt, Schual-Berke and Talcott.

Minority Report: Without recommendation. Signed by 7 members: Representatives Benson, Gombosky, Keiser, Lambert, McIntire, Pflug and Tokuda.

Staff: Bill Robinson (786-7140).

Background:

Appropriations for the operations of state government and its various agencies and institutions are made on the basis of a fiscal biennium that begins on July 1 of each odd-numbered year.

Summary of Substitute Bill:

Appropriations are made for the 2001-03 fiscal biennium. The total appropriations for the fiscal biennium are \$36.941 billion, of which \$22.722 billion is from the state general fund.

For additional information, see "Statewide Summary and Agency Detail" published by the House Appropriations Committee or at <http://www.leg.wa.gov/house/opr/app/01/BudgRpt.htm>.

Appropriation: The bill contains multiple appropriations. Please refer to the bill.

Fiscal Note: Not Requested.

Effective Date of Substitute Bill: The bill contains an emergency clause and takes effect immediately, except for section 913 which takes effect July 1, 2001.