
HOUSE BILL 3036

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By Representatives Quall, Kenney, and Santos

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1 AN ACT Relating to nonvoter-approved school district debt; and
2 amending RCW 28A.530.080.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 28A.530.080 and 1999 c 314 s 2 are each amended to
5 read as follows:

6 (1) In addition to the authority granted under RCW 28A.530.010, a
7 school district may contract indebtedness for any purpose specified in
8 RCW 28A.530.010 (2), (4), and (5) or for the purpose of purchasing any
9 real or personal property, or property rights, in connection with the
10 exercise of any powers or duties which it is now or hereafter
11 authorized to exercise, and issue bonds, notes, or other evidences of
12 indebtedness therefor without a vote of the qualified electors of the
13 district, subject to the limitations on indebtedness set forth in RCW
14 39.36.020(3).

15 (2) Before contracting indebtedness without a vote of the qualified
16 electors of the district, a school district shall publish notice of
17 intent to contract such indebtedness and shall hold a public meeting on
18 the proposal. The notice shall designate: The date, time, and place
19 of the meeting; the purpose and amount of the indebtedness; the type,

1 terms, and conditions of indebtedness; and the means identified for
2 repayment. The notice shall also state that any person may appear and
3 be heard on the issue of contracting such indebtedness. The notice
4 shall be published at least once each week for two consecutive weeks in
5 a newspaper of general circulation in the district, or if there is
6 none, in a newspaper of general circulation in the county or counties
7 in which such district is a part. The last notice shall be published
8 no later than seven days immediately before the meeting.

9 (3) Such bonds, notes, or other evidences of indebtedness shall be
10 issued and sold in accordance with chapter 39.46 RCW, and the proceeds
11 thereof shall be deposited in the capital projects fund, the
12 transportation vehicle fund, or the general fund, as applicable.

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