
SENATE BILL 5896

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By Senators Fraser, Parlette, Hatfield, Mullet, Warnick, and Conway

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1 AN ACT Relating to the distribution of liquor revenues to local
2 jurisdictions; amending RCW 66.08.190 and 66.08.210; and providing an
3 effective date.

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

5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 66.08.190 and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 5 s 8 are each
6 amended to read as follows:

7 (1) Prior to making ~~((distributions))~~ the distribution to cities
8 described in subsection ~~((+2))~~ (3) of this section, ~~((amounts))~~
9 sufficient moneys must be retained to ~~((support))~~ fund the allotments
10 under RCW 43.88.110 from any legislative appropriation for municipal
11 research and services. The legislative appropriation for such
12 services ~~((must be in the amount specified))~~ may not be less than the
13 amount required under RCW 66.24.065.

14 (2) Prior to making distributions described in subsection (3) of
15 this section, the quarterly portion of the ten million dollar amount
16 specified in RCW 66.24.065 must be disbursed to local jurisdictions.

17 (3)(a) ~~When excess funds are distributed during the months of~~
18 ~~June, September, December, and March of each year, all moneys subject~~
19 ~~to distribution must be disbursed ((to border areas, counties,~~
20 ~~cities, and towns as provided in RCW 66.24.065.~~

1 ~~(3) The amount remaining after distributions under subsections~~
2 ~~(1) and (2) of this section must be deposited into the general fund))~~
3 as follows:

4 (i) Three-tenths of one percent to border areas under this
5 section;

6 (ii) From the amount remaining after distribution under (a)(i) of
7 this subsection:

8 (A) Fifty percent to the general fund of the state;

9 (B) Ten percent to the counties of the state; and

10 (C) Forty percent to the incorporated cities and towns of the
11 state.

12 (b) The total annual distributions to local governments under
13 this subsection (3) may not be less than the amount required under
14 RCW 66.24.065, excluding the annual ten million dollar distribution
15 in subsection (2) of this section.

16 **Sec. 2.** RCW 66.08.210 and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 5 s 11 are each
17 amended to read as follows:

18 (1) With respect to the distribution of funds to the incorporated
19 cities and towns (~~(under RCW 66.24.290(1)(e),~~) the computations for
20 distribution must be made by the state agency responsible for
21 collecting the same as provided in subsection (2) of this section.

22 (2) The share coming to each eligible city or town must be
23 determined by a division among the eligible cities and towns within
24 the state ratably on the basis of population as last determined by
25 the office of financial management. However, no city or town in which
26 the sale of liquor is forbidden as the result of an election is
27 entitled to any share in such distribution.

28 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** This act takes effect September 1, 2015.

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