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1 AN ACT Relating to moneys available to a port district allocated  
2 for the purchase of zero and near zero emissions cargo handling  
3 equipment; adding a new chapter to Title 53 RCW; and providing an  
4 expiration date.

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

6 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** (1) Moneys available to a port district or  
7 a port development authority may be used to purchase zero and near  
8 zero emissions cargo handling equipment and infrastructure supporting  
9 that equipment for the use of the port district, port development  
10 authority, or tenants or lessees thereof.

11 (2) Moneys available to a port district or a port development  
12 authority shall not be used to purchase fully automated marine  
13 container cargo handling equipment.

14 (3) For the purposes of this section:

15 (a) "Fully automated marine container cargo handling equipment"  
16 means equipment that is remotely operated or remotely monitored, with  
17 or without the exercise of human intervention or control.

18 (b) "Port development authority" means a port public development  
19 authority created by a single port district or jointly created by two  
20 port districts in accordance with RCW 53.57.020.

21 (4) This section expires December 31, 2031.

1        NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 2.**    Section 1 of this act constitutes a new  
2 chapter in Title 53 RCW.

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