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A MOTION authorizing the submission of a grant application by King County to the Law and Justice Planning Office, Planning and Community Affairs Agency, State of Washington.

WHEREAS, the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, as amended, provides for the award of grants by the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, U. S. Department of Justice, through the Washington State Law and Justice Planning Office, and

WHEREAS, the County Council recognizes the substantial reduction of delay between arrest and trial is an essential step toward improving the criminal justice system in King County and recognizes the Constitutional requirement of a "speedy trial," and

WHEREAS, this grant application would assist the implementation of trial system allowing defendents accused of felonies in King County to have a trial date set within 41 days of arrest.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County:

- 1. That the King County Executive is hereby authorized to make application to the Law and Justice Planning Office on behalf of King County.
- 2. That the County Executive is hereby authorized and directed to file and execute such application and contracts as are required by the Law and Justice Planning Office.
- 3. That the Federal/State Grant Coordinator is named the authorized correspondent for King County and is further authorized to furnish such additional information and documents as may be required by the Law and Justice Planning Office.
- 4. That the United States of America, Department of Justice, and the State of Washington; are hereby assured full compliance with such regulations effectuating Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

PASSED this 20 th day of Lecember, 1971.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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Chairman

ATTEST:

Administrator-Clerk of the Council