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AN ORDINANCE prescribing the form of applications for property tax refunds under RCW 84.69.020(9) and directing the Comptroller to make such refunds without the necessity of individual Council action.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

The King County Comptroller shall make SECTION 1. available to taxpayers who are entitled to a tax refund by a final order of the State Board of Tax Appeals, as provided by RCW 84.69.020(9) a shortened refund application form consistent with the provisions of Chapter 84.69 of the Revised Code of Washington. Such form shall include only such information necessary to establish the validity and finality of the action taken by the Board of Tax Appeals. When such form, together with the decision of the Board, has been filed with the Clerk of the Council and served on the King County Assessor, the Comptroller shall make the appropriate refund determined by the Board of Tax Appeals together with interest as precribed by law without Council action. Provided: that no refunds shall be made under this shortened procedure where the taxpayer fails to make application for refund hereunder within three (3) months of the date of receiving the final decision of the Board of Tax Appeals; or where the Assessor has given timely notice of appeal from the decision of the Board of Tax Appeals.

Provided further: that no provision of this ordinance shall affect any other procedures or forms relating to Chapter 84.69 refunds. INTRODUCED AND READ for the first time this 1074 day of Systember, 1973. PASSED this 15T day of October KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON ATTEST: APPROVED this 30 day of King County Executive