

MOTION NO. <u>5427</u>

A MOTION recognizing the need for additional financial support for the King County Law Library; and directing the Director of Judicial Administration to increase from seven to eight dollars the portion of certain filing fees paid to the credit of the Library as provided by RCW 27.24.070.

WHEREAS, the expenditures of the King County Law Library have exceeded income during calendar year 1981, and

WHEREAS, the expense of operating the Law Library increased 13.4% in 1980, and 8.5% in 1981, and

WHEREAS, the present portion of the seventy dollar filing fee paid in Superior Court earmarked for the support of the King County Law Library is seven dollars, and

WHEREAS, the portion of the filing fee paid in Superior Court designated for the support of the King County Law Library has remained unchanged since May, 1979, and

WHEREAS RCW 27.24.070 provides that upon a showing of need, the seven dollar portion may be increased to nine dollars by the County Council upon the request of the Law Library Board of Trustees, and

WHEREAS, the King County Law Library Board of Trustees is requesting the County Council to increase the portion of the filing fee from seven to nine dollars as soon as possible,

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

- 1. The Director of the Department of Judicial Administration is directed to increase from seven to eight dollars the portion of the filing fee paid to the credit of the King County Law Library as provided by RCW 27.24.070.
- 2. Prior to the end of 1982, a review of the King County Law Library's financial status shall have occurred, with the

results of the review transmitted to the Chairman of the County Council. Accompanying the transmittal to the Chairman of the Council shall be a recommendation to increase the portion of the filing fee from eight to nine dollars, should the financial situation warrant such an increase. PASSED this 1st day of murch _____, 19 <u>82</u> . KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON Lois North ATTEST: ACTING Deputy