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To the Honorable, the House  
of Representatives of the  
State of Washington

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am returning herewith, without my approval as to section 8, Second  
Substitute House Bill No. 2443 entitled:

"AN ACT Relating to the Warren G. Magnuson Institute for  
biomedical research and health professions training."

This bill creates the Warren G. Magnuson Institute for Biomedical Research and Health Professions Training within the Health Sciences Center at the University of Washington. The Institute may be funded through a combination of federal, state, and private funds, including earnings on the University's local endowment fund. The earnings on the endowment fund would be used primarily for the purpose of supporting one or more individuals engaged in biomedical research into the causes of, the treatments for, or the management of diabetes.

Section 8 would nullify this bill, if specific funding for the purposes of this act is not provided in the omnibus appropriations act by June 30, 1990. By vetoing this section, the Institute will exist in statute and private cash donations can still be raised by the University of Washington, the Washington Chapter of the American Diabetes Association, and other interested parties. The donations would be deposited into the University's local endowment fund, and the earnings on the fund would be available to support diabetes research activities. For this reason, I have vetoed section 8 of this bill.

With the exception of section 8, Second Substitute House Bill No. 2443 is approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Booth Gardner  
Governor