

Table 15

REAL ESTATE EXCISE TAX STATISTICS

State Tax Collections by County - Fiscal Year 2000

Counties	Number of Taxable Sales	Amount of State Tax*	Estimated Value of Sales (\$000)		
			FY 1999	FY 2000	% Change
Adams	837	\$410,727	\$28,245	\$32,088	13.6 %
Asotin	1,205	648,904	43,364	50,696	16.9
Benton	6,831	6,060,141	407,193	473,449	16.3
Chelan	3,993	3,674,402	289,395	287,063	(0.8)
Clallam	4,165	2,992,144	250,077	228,293	(8.7)
Clark	16,752	22,668,039	1,936,550	1,770,941	(8.6)
Columbia	298	124,673	15,448	9,740	(36.9)
Cowlitz	5,020	3,484,618	297,775	272,236	(8.6)
Douglas	1,789	1,260,245	122,032	98,457	(19.3)
Ferry	638	174,947	16,350	13,668	(16.4)
Franklin	2,248	1,561,584	95,455	121,999	27.8
Garfield	177	76,040	7,673	5,941	(22.6)
Grant	4,244	2,634,653	211,675	205,832	(2.8)
Grays Harbor	4,578	2,836,962	195,816	221,638	13.2
Island	5,210	5,521,667	407,761	431,380	5.8
Jefferson	2,731	2,233,648	155,452	174,504	12.3
King	67,376	199,578,408	14,098,526	15,592,063	10.6
Kitsap	11,178	13,331,181	1,110,394	1,041,499	(6.2)
Kittitas	2,373	3,119,412	141,113	243,704	72.7
Klickitat	1,664	920,813	72,072	71,939	(0.2)
Lewis	4,027	2,606,084	201,562	203,600	1.0
Lincoln	1,050	343,394	27,572	26,828	(2.7)
Mason	4,453	2,273,165	204,843	177,591	(13.3)
Okanogan	2,848	1,463,886	129,843	114,366	(11.9)
Pacific	2,114	1,130,100	137,743	88,289	(35.9)
Pend Oreille	1,064	687,862	31,705	53,739	69.5
Pierce	31,595	42,702,793	3,225,453	3,336,156	3.4
San Juan	1,796	3,130,248	234,340	244,551	4.4
Skagit	5,891	6,275,851	540,272	490,301	(9.2)
Skamania	656	441,048	29,709	34,457	16.0
Snohomish	26,153	52,552,183	4,299,412	4,105,639	(4.5)
Spokane	18,969	15,985,571	1,398,193	1,248,873	(10.7)
Stevens	3,082	1,473,170	111,237	115,091	3.5
Thurston	10,400	11,378,698	895,600	888,961	(0.7)
Wahkiakum	258	135,185	161,959	10,561	(93.5)
Walla Walla	2,300	1,789,581	150,661	139,811	(7.2)
Whatcom	9,648	10,321,817	803,664	806,392	0.3
Whitman	1,493	966,119	82,271	75,478	(8.3)
Yakima	8,419	6,019,086	480,648	470,241	(2.2)
TOTAL	279,523	\$434,989,049	\$33,049,055	\$33,983,519	2.8 %

*Includes 1.0% retained for collection costs but excludes locally levied real estate excise taxes.