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- 5 On page 11, after line 28, insert the following:
- 6 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 601. A new section is added to chapter 84.36
- 7 RCW to read as follows:
- 8 (1) Land is exempt from taxation if a nonhealth-related restriction
- 9 adopted by a government entity precludes or makes economically
- 10 unreasonable the use of the property for residential purposes and for
- 11 commercial purposes.
- 12 (2) As used in this section, "restriction" means a limitation,
- 13 requirement, regulation, or restriction that limits the use of the
- 14 property, including those imposed by the application of ordinances,
- 15 resolutions, rules, regulations, policies, statutes, and conditions of
- 16 land use approval."
- 17 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct the title
- 18 accordingly.
- 19 <u>EFFECT:</u> Any property that is precluded from being used for
- 20 residential or commercial purposes because of a nonhealth-related
- 21 governmental restriction is exempted from the property tax.