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HOUSE BILL 1105

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By Representatives Campbell, Kirby, Appleton, Conway, Haigh, Moeller and Simpson

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to homeowner's insurance; and adding a new section
- 2 to chapter 48.18 RCW.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 48.18 RCW 5 to read as follows:
- 6 An insurer licensed to write liability insurance, such as
- 7 homeowner's insurance, in this state may not deny an application for a
- 8 homeowner's insurance policy, or cancel, refuse to renew, or modify an
- 9 existing homeowner's insurance policy, on the basis that the applicant
- 10 or insured owns or harbors a specific breed of dog on the real
- 11 property, unless the dog is a dangerous dog as defined in RCW
- 12 16.08.070.

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