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1 On page 99, after line 30 of the striking amendment, insert the 2 following:

3 "<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 705. During the 2009-11 fiscal biennium, 4 highway construction projects are exempt from the requirement to 5 purchase mitigation credits under chapter 47.01 RCW where the 6 department demonstrates the impacts of the construction project have 7 previously been offset by land purchases or projects that used state 8 funds and those projects were located within the same water resource 9 inventory area of the construction project."

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11 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct any 12 internal references accordingly.

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**EFFECT:** For the remainder of the biennium, highway projects are exempted from purchasing mitigation credits where the DOT demonstrates that the impacts have previously been offset by land purchases or projects that used state funds and were located within the same water resource inventory area of the construction project.

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