HOUSE BILL 1579

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By Representatives Appleton, Hasegawa, and Nelson

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1 AN ACT Relating to a business and occupation tax exemption for 2 nonprofit organizations that provide legal services to low-income 3 individuals; and adding a new section to chapter 82.04 RCW.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 82.04 RCW 6 to read as follows:

7 This chapter does not apply to nonprofit organizations primarily 8 engaged in the provision of legal services to low-income individuals. 9 For the purpose of this section, "nonprofit" means an organization 10 exempt from federal income tax under Title 26 U.S.C. Sec. 501(c) of 11 the federal internal revenue code.

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