HOUSE BILL 1714

State of Washington62nd Legislature2011 Regular SessionBy Representatives Klippert, Finn, Pearson, McCune, Hope, and RossRead first time 01/31/11.Referred to Committee on Transportation.

1 AN ACT Relating to implementing a biometric matching system 2 program; and adding a new section to chapter 46.20 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 46.20 RCW 5 to read as follows:

As funds are available, upon implementation of a biometric matching 6 7 system program to verify the identity of applicants for, and holders of, drivers' licenses and identicards, the department of licensing 8 9 shall make the biometric matching system program available to official governmental enforcement agencies to assist in the investigation by the 10 agencies of suspected criminal activity or for the purposes of 11 12 verifying identity when a law enforcement officer is authorized by law to request identification from an individual. 13

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