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By House Appropriations (originally sponsored by Representatives Kagi, Farrell, Pollet, and Fey)

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1 AN ACT Relating to licensing standards for before and after-school
2 programs; amending RCW 43.215.210; and creating a new section.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 43.215.210 and 2006 c 265 s 302 are each amended to
5 read as follows:

6 The chief of the Washington state patrol, through the director of
7 fire protection, shall have the power and it shall be his or her duty:

8 (1) In consultation with the director and with the advice and
9 assistance of persons representative of the various type agencies to be
10 licensed, to adopt recognized minimum standard requirements pertaining
11 to each category of agency established pursuant to this chapter
12 necessary to protect all persons residing therein from fire hazards;

13 (2) To adopt licensing minimum standard requirements to allow
14 children who attend classes in a school building during school hours to
15 remain in the same building to participate in before-school or after-
16 school programs;

17 (3) To make or cause to be made such inspections and investigations
18 of agencies as he or she deems necessary;

1 (~~(3)~~) (4) To make a periodic review of requirements under RCW
2 43.215.200(5) and to adopt necessary changes after consultation as
3 required in subsection (1) of this section;

4 (~~(4)~~) (5) To issue to applicants for licenses under this chapter
5 who comply with the requirements, a certificate of compliance, a copy
6 of which shall be presented to the department before a license shall be
7 issued, except that an initial license may be issued as provided in RCW
8 43.215.280.

9 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** The chief of the Washington state patrol,
10 through the director of fire protection, shall have the power and it
11 shall be his or her duty to adopt licensing minimum standard
12 requirements for before-school and after-school programs in existing
13 buildings approved by the state fire marshal.

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