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HOUSE BILL 1549

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By Representatives Klippert and Dent

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to child care licensing assistance; and adding a
- 2 new section to chapter 43.216 RCW.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- MEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 43.216 RCW to read as follows:
- At the request of a prospective licensee considering or in the process of becoming licensed as an agency under this chapter, the department shall:
- 9 (1) Meet with the individual to explain the licensure 10 requirements; and
- 11 (2) Inspect the physical space that is contemplated for licensure 12 and inform the prospective licensee of:
- 13 (a) Any changes needed to the physical space that are required 14 for licensure; and
- 15 (b) Any other existing barriers to licensure.

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