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## ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1877

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By House Committee on Education (originally sponsored by

Representatives McMahan, Brumsickle, Benton, Sheahan, Koster, Elliot, Pelesky, Johnson, Stevens, Casada, Silver and Thompson)

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to providing additional educational opportunities
- 2 for students; and adding a new section to chapter 28A.150 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 28A.150 5 RCW to read as follows:
- 6 (1) The board of directors of school districts may contract with
- 7 nonsectarian schools and organizations to provide educational services
- 8 for district students, including, but not limited to, students who have
- 9 been suspended or expelled, who are academically at risk, or who have
- 10 been subject to disciplinary actions due to behavioral problems. The
- 11 contract between the school district board of directors and the school
- 12 or organization shall specify the specific learning standards that
- 13 students who participate in the school or organization are expected to
- 14 achieve.
- 15 (2) The school district shall receive the same level of funding
- 16 from the state for school district students who are participating in
- 17 the services authorized in subsection (1) of this section. The
- 18 superintendent of public instruction shall provide school districts

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- 1 maximum flexibility when establishing funding criteria for school
- 2 district students participating in these schools and organizations.

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