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	HOUSE BILL 2866

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- AN ACT Relating to legislative bill introductions; and adding a new
- 2 section to chapter 44.04 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 44.04 RCW 5 to read as follows:
- 6 (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, each
- 7 legislator may introduce three bills in each regular session of the
- 8 legislature at public cost. After the legislator has introduced three
- 9 bills, the legislator shall pay the cost of printing and any other
- 10 associated costs for additional bill introductions.
- 11 (2) Chairs of standing committees may sponsor legislation requested
- 12 by departments of state government in addition to the three bills
- 13 permitted in subsection (1) of this section.

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