

1 **HB 1602 - H AMD 224 ADOPTED 3-15-97**

2 By Representative Schoesler

3 Strike all material after the enacting clause and insert the
4 following:

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter
6 70.102 RCW to read as follows:

7 (1) The director shall establish a specialty chemicals
8 alternatives advisory committee to be composed of five members
9 appointed by the director: One member shall be a representative of
10 the Washington state university extension services; one member
11 shall represent a consumer based organization; one member shall
12 represent an agricultural chemical organization; one member shall
13 represent a household consumer products organization; and one
14 member shall represent the department of ecology.

15 (2) The purpose of the committee is to review and advise the
16 department on materials produced for the public on alternatives to
17 household chemicals. The purpose of the review is to advise the
18 department on the accuracy and scientific content of all materials
19 published by the department on chemical alternatives in order to
20 assure the accuracy of and public confidence in the information.-

EFFECT: A five member speciality chemicals alternatives board
is created composed of one representative each from the
department of ecology, the extension services of Washington
State University, a consumer based organization, an
agricultural chemical organization, and a household consumer
products organization. The purpose of the committee is to
review and advise the department on the accuracy of
publications on chemical alternatives.