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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 NEW SECTION. **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

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

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