## HOUSE BILL 1156

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**By** Representatives Ericksen, Cooper, Mielke, Ogden, DeBolt and K. Schmidt

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1 AN ACT Relating to motor carrier drug testing programs; adding a 2 new section to chapter 81.80 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

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 81.80 RCW 5 to read as follows:

6 (1) Any person or entity operating as a motor carrier shall comply 7 with the requirements under the United States department of transportation federal motor carrier safety regulations 8 for 9 implementing a motor vehicle driver drug testing program. Any person 10 or entity in violation of this section shall be fined five thousand dollars and an additional five hundred dollars for each motor vehicle 11 12 driver employed by the person or entity who is not in compliance with 13 the motor vehicle driver drug testing requirements.

14 (2) No person or entity may operate as a motor carrier who is not15 in compliance with this section.

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