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1 AN ACT Relating to the splitting of test samples with property
2 owners; adding a new section to chapter 43.21A RCW; adding a new
3 section to chapter 75.20 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 43.23
4 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 43.30 RCW; and adding a new
5 section to chapter 69.30 RCW.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

7 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 43.21A RCW
8 to read as follows:

9 When required to enter upon private property to obtain a sample of
10 surface water, ground water, soil, or air for laboratory analysis, the
11 department shall receive permission from the property owner to enter
12 the property, and shall also offer to divide the sample and provide
13 half to the property owner so he or she may have a separate analysis
14 conducted.

15 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 75.20 RCW
16 to read as follows:

17 When required to enter upon private property to obtain a sample of
18 surface water, ground water, soil, or air for laboratory analysis, the

1 department shall receive permission from the property owner to enter
2 the property, and shall also offer to divide the sample and provide
3 half to the property owner so he or she may have a separate analysis
4 conducted.

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** A new section is added to chapter 43.23 RCW
6 to read as follows:

7 When required to enter upon private property to obtain a sample of
8 surface water, ground water, soil, or air for laboratory analysis, the
9 department shall receive permission from the property owner to enter
10 the property, and shall also offer to divide the sample and provide
11 half to the property owner so he or she may have a separate analysis
12 conducted.

13 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 4.** A new section is added to chapter 43.30 RCW
14 to read as follows:

15 When required to enter upon private property to obtain a sample of
16 surface water, ground water, soil, or air for laboratory analysis, the
17 department shall receive permission from the property owner to enter
18 the property, and shall also offer to divide the sample and provide
19 half to the property owner so he or she may have a separate analysis
20 conducted.

21 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 5.** A new section is added to chapter 69.30 RCW
22 to read as follows:

23 When required to enter upon private property to obtain a sample of
24 surface water, ground water, soil, or air for laboratory analysis, the
25 department shall receive permission from the property owner to enter
26 the property, and shall also offer to divide the sample and provide
27 half to the property owner so he or she may have a separate analysis
28 conducted.

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