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HOUSE BILL 2433

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to a description of taxes and fees imposed by
- 2 government; and adding a new section to chapter 82.02 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 82.02 RCW 5 to read as follows:
- 6 (1) Governmental entities must annually compile and publish a list
- 7 of all taxes and fees currently being imposed. Any taxes or fees
- 8 imposed during the previous year must be separately identified in the
- 9 list. The list must include: (a) A general description of the base,
- 10 rate, administration, and distribution of receipts of the tax or fee;
- 11 (b) the total revenue collected or forecasted to be collected from the
- 12 tax or fee; and (c) the specific legal authority authorizing the tax or
- 13 fee.
- 14 (2) The list required under subsection (1) of this section must be
- 15 published by September 1, 2000, and every year thereafter. A copy of
- 16 this list must be provided to the legislative fiscal committees.

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- 1 (3) "Governmental entity" means an agency of the state, cities,
- 2 counties, special districts, or any other municipal corporation with
- 3 taxing authority.

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