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By Representatives Miloscia, Mulliken, DeBolt and Dunshee

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1 AN ACT Relating to state agency review of water and sewer general  
2 comprehensive plans; adding a new section to chapter 43.20 RCW; adding  
3 a new section to chapter 43.21A RCW; and adding a new section to  
4 chapter 70.116 RCW.

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

6 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 43.20 RCW  
7 to read as follows:

8 For any new or revised water or sewer general comprehensive plan  
9 submitted by a city, town, public utility district, or water-sewer  
10 district for review under this chapter, the department shall review and  
11 either approve, conditionally approve, reject, or request amendments  
12 within ninety days of the receipt of the submission of the plan. The  
13 department may extend this ninety-day time limitation for new  
14 submittals by up to an additional ninety days if insufficient time  
15 exists to adequately review the general comprehensive plan. In  
16 addition, the governing body of the city, town, public utility  
17 district, or water-sewer district and the department may mutually agree  
18 to an extension of the deadlines contained in this section.

1        NEW SECTION.   **Sec. 2.**   A new section is added to chapter 43.21A RCW  
2 to read as follows:

3        For any new or revised water or sewer general comprehensive plan  
4 submitted by a city, town, public utility district, or water-sewer  
5 district for review under this chapter, the department shall review and  
6 either approve, conditionally approve, reject, or request amendments  
7 within ninety days of the receipt of the submission of the plan. The  
8 department may extend this ninety-day time limitation for new  
9 submittals by up to an additional ninety days if insufficient time  
10 exists to adequately review the general comprehensive plan. In  
11 addition, the governing body of the city, town, public utility  
12 district, or water-sewer district and the department may mutually agree  
13 to an extension of the deadlines contained in this section.

14        NEW SECTION.   **Sec. 3.**   A new section is added to chapter 70.116 RCW  
15 to read as follows:

16        For any new or revised water or sewer general comprehensive plan  
17 submitted by a city, town, public utility district, or water-sewer  
18 district for review under this chapter, the department of health shall  
19 review and either approve, conditionally approve, reject, or request  
20 amendments within ninety days of the receipt of the submission of the  
21 plan. The department of health may extend this ninety-day time  
22 limitation for new submittals by up to an additional ninety days if  
23 insufficient time exists to adequately review the general comprehensive  
24 plan. In addition, the governing body of the city, town, public  
25 utility district, or water-sewer district and the department of health  
26 may mutually agree to an extension of the deadlines contained in this  
27 section.

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