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By Representatives Sommers, Chase, Ogden, Haigh and Edwards; by request of Department of Health

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1 AN ACT Relating to syphilis laboratory tests; and amending RCW  
2 70.24.100.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 70.24.100 and 1991 c 3 s 323 are each amended to read  
5 as follows:

6 A standard serological test shall be a laboratory test for syphilis  
7 approved by the secretary of health (~~and~~). The standard serological  
8 test shall be performed either by a laboratory approved by the  
9 secretary of health for the performance of the particular serological  
10 test used or by the state department of health, on request of the  
11 physician (~~free of charge~~) and payment of a fee established by the  
12 department under RCW 43.20B.020.

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