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SENATE BILL 5815

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By Senators Prentice, Winsley, Snyder, Honeyford and Rasmussen; by request of Liquor Control Board

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1 AN ACT Relating to payment of agency commissions for agency liquor 2 vendor stores; and amending RCW 66.08.026.

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

4 **sec. 1.** RCW 66.08.026 and 1998 c 265 s 2 are each amended to read 5 as follows:

All administrative expenses of the board incurred on and after 6 April 1, 1963 shall be appropriated and paid from the liquor revolving 7 fund. These administrative expenses shall include, but not be limited 8 9 to: The salaries and expenses of the board and its employees, the cost 10 of establishing, leasing, maintaining, and operating state liquor stores and warehouses, legal services, pilot projects, annual or other 11 12 audits, and other general costs of conducting the business of the board, and the costs of supplying, installing, and maintaining 13 equipment used in state liquor stores and agency liquor vendor stores 14 15 for the purchase of liquor by nonlicensees using debit or credit cards. 16 The administrative expenses shall not, however, be deemed to include 17 lottery tickets purchased, the costs of liquor and cost of transportation and delivery to the point of distribution, other costs 18 pertaining to the acquisition and receipt of liquor and lottery 19

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tickets, packaging and repackaging of liquor, agency commissions for 1 agency liquor vendor stores, transaction fees associated with credit or 2 3 debit card purchases for liquor in state liquor stores and in the 4 stores of agency liquor vendors pursuant to RCW 66.16.040 and 66.16.041, sales tax, and those amounts distributed pursuant to RCW 5 66.08.180, 66.08.190, 66.08.200, 66.08.210 and 66.08.220. 6 Agency 7 commissions for agency liquor vendor stores shall be established by the 8 liquor control board after consultation with the director of the office 9 of financial management.

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