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By Senators Regala, Poulsen, Finkbeiner, Franklin, Morton, Deccio, Fraser and Kline

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to expanding the authority to request the utilities
- 2 and transportation commission to approve low-income discounts for
- 3 electric or gas services; and amending RCW 80.28.068.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 80.28.068 and 1999 c 62 s 1 are each amended to read 6 as follows:
- 7 Upon request by an electrical or gas company, or the attorney
- 8 general, the commission may approve rates, charges, services, and/or
- 9 physical facilities at a discount for low-income senior customers and
- 10 low-income customers. Expenses and lost revenues as a result of these
- 11 discounts shall be included in the company's cost of service and
- 12 recovered in rates to other customers.

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