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## SENATE BILL 6584

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By Senators Thibaudeau and Deccio; by request of Department of Health Read first time 01/22/2002. Referred to Committee on Health & Long-Term Care.

- 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 <u>department under RCW 43.20B.020</u>.

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