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1 AN ACT Relating to reducing the population requirement in a
2 consortium of counties in order to operate a juvenile correctional
3 facility; and amending RCW 13.04.035.

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

5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 13.04.035 and 1996 c 284 s 1 are each amended to
6 read as follows:

7 Juvenile court shall be administered by the superior court,
8 except that by local court rule and agreement with the legislative
9 authority of the county this service may be administered by the
10 legislative authority of the county. Juvenile probation counselor and
11 detention services shall be administered by the superior court,
12 except that (1) by local court rule and agreement with the county
13 legislative authority, these services may be administered by the
14 county legislative authority; (2) if a consortium of three or more
15 counties, located east of the Cascade mountains and whose combined
16 population exceeds ((five)) two hundred ((thirty)) thousand, jointly
17 operates a juvenile correctional facility, the county legislative
18 authorities may prescribe for alternative administration of the
19 juvenile correctional facility by ordinance; and (3) in any county
20 with a population of one million or more, probation and detention
21 services shall be administered in accordance with chapter 13.20 RCW.

1 The administrative body shall appoint an administrator of juvenile
2 court, probation counselor, and detention services who shall be
3 responsible for day-to-day administration of such services, and who
4 may also serve in the capacity of a probation counselor. One person
5 may, pursuant to the agreement of more than one administrative body,
6 serve as administrator of more than one juvenile court.

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