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By Representatives DeBolt, Shea, Young, McCaslin, Eslick, Graham, and Kretz

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1 AN ACT Relating to promoting awareness of vaccine safety; and  
2 amending RCW 28A.210.060.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 28A.210.060 and 1990 c 33 s 190 are each amended to  
5 read as follows:

6 (1) In enacting RCW 28A.210.060 through 28A.210.170, it is the  
7 judgment of the legislature that it is necessary to protect the  
8 health of the public and individuals by providing a means for the  
9 eventual achievement of full immunization of school-age children  
10 against certain vaccine-preventable diseases.

11 (2) To assure the public regarding the safety of these  
12 immunization measures, nothing in RCW 28A.210.060 through 28A.210.170  
13 shall require administration of any vaccine that does not meet the  
14 following criteria:

15 (a) A pivotal trial conducted by the United States food and drug  
16 administration has evaluated the safety of the vaccine against a  
17 control group that received:

18 (i) A placebo;

19 (ii) Another vaccine or substance licensed by the United States  
20 food and drug administration that was evaluated against a control  
21 group that received a placebo;

1       (b) A pivotal trial conducted by the United States food and drug  
2 administration has evaluated the vaccine for at least one year after  
3 the administration of the vaccine to capture potential autoimmune,  
4 neurological, and chronic health effects that arise after  
5 administration of the vaccine;

6       (c) The vaccine has been evaluated for its potential to cause  
7 cancer;

8       (d) The vaccine has been evaluated for its potential to mutate  
9 genes;

10       (e) The vaccine has been evaluated for its potential to impair  
11 fertility;

12       (f) The vaccine has been evaluated for its potential to cause  
13 autism spectrum disorder; and

14       (g) The department of health has publicly disclosed the injury  
15 rate of the vaccine when administered with the vaccines required  
16 under RCW 28A.210.060 through 28A.210.170.

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