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EHB 1837 - S AMD By Senator Warnick

1 On page 2, at the beginning of line 33, insert "(1)"

2 On page 2, line 39, after "((The))" strike "<u>For employee home</u> 3 <u>offices</u>" and insert "<u>Except as provided in subsection (2) of this</u> 4 section"

5 On page 3, line 4, after "extent" strike "<u>comparable rules</u> 6 <u>applying to employee home offices are</u>"

7 On page 3, after line 6, insert the following:

8 "(2) The director may only adopt rules dealing with 9 musculoskeletal disorders for state agencies for a specific activity 10 or injury, and such rules must be approved by the legislature prior 11 to their effective date. The director is encouraged to work with 12 targeted industries to develop technical assistance programs and 13 conduct pilot projects for specific activities or injuries."

EFFECT: Removes limitation regarding home offices and instead provides limited authority to the Department of Labor and Industries to adopt specific rules dealing with musculoskeletal disorders for state agencies for a specific activity or injury with approval by the Legislature.

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