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<u>SHB 1133</u> H AMD to Appropriations Committee AMD - H AMD
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By Representatives D. Sommers, Brumsickle, Ballard, Bowman,
Mielke, R. Fisher and Leonard
On page 5 of the committee amendment, after line 4, insert:

6 <u>"NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 8. A new section is added to chapter 7 39.29 RCW to read as follows:

8 Personal service contracts between state agencies and state 9 legislators or between state agencies and companies in which a 10 state legislator has a majority interest often raise questions 11 regarding a conflict of interest. The following rules apply to 12 such proposed personal service contracts:

13 (1) The contract must be personally approved in writing by14 the agency director or commission chair; and

15 (2) The contract must be personally approved in writing by16 the director of the office of financial management; and

17 (3) The contract must be declared in writing by the chair of 18 the house or senate ethics committee to be consistent with the 19 ethical standards required of state legislators."

<u>EFFECT</u>: The amendment responds to public concerns regarding personal service contracts between state agencies and legislators.

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