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5 On page 3, after line 24 of the amendment, insert the following:

6 "Sec. 4. RCW 18.73.150 and 1979 ex.s. c 261 s 15 are each amended 7 to read as follows:

8 Any ambulance operated as such shall operate with sufficient personnel for adequate patient care, at least one of whom shall be an 9 10 emergency medical technician under standards promulgated by the secretary. The emergency medical technician shall have responsibility 11 for its operation and for the care of patients both before they are 12 13 placed aboard the vehicle and during transit. If there are two or more 14 emergency medical technicians operating the ambulance, a nondriving 15 medical technician shall be in command of the vehicle. The emergency medical technician in command of the vehicle shall be in the patient 16 17 compartment and in attendance to the patient.

The driver of the ambulance shall have at least a certificate of advance first aid qualification recognized by the secretary pursuant to RCW 18.73.120 <u>unless there are at least two certified emergency medical</u> <u>technicians in attendance of the patient, in which case the driver</u> <u>shall not be required to have such certificate</u>."

23 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct any 24 internal references accordingly.

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4 On page 7, line 6 of the title amendment, after "18.73.140," insert
5 "18.73.150,"
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