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By Representatives Prentice, Heavey, R. King, Cole, O'Brien, Jones, Leonard, Riley, Wineberry and Dellwo.

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1 AN ACT Relating to workplace safety bonus programs; and adding a
2 new section to chapter 51.28 RCW.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 51.28 RCW
5 to read as follows:

6 No employer may implement a safety bonus program that rewards
7 workers for a specified safety performance or for maintaining an
8 accident-free workplace, including but not limited to the award of cash
9 bonuses, favorable working conditions, or other rewards to workers who
10 report no job-related injuries or accidents over a required time
11 period.