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By Senate Committee on Health & Long-Term Care (originally sponsored by Senators Craswell, Barr, Pelz, Murray, Moore, West, Hayner, Newhouse, Williams, Metcalf, A. Smith, Vognild, McDonald, Stratton, Bauer, Oke and Roach)

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1 AN ACT Relating to conditions of participation in the prospective
2 cost-related reimbursement system; and amending RCW 74.46.660.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 74.46.660 and 1991 sp.s. c 8 s 13 are each amended to
5 read as follows:

6 In order to participate in the prospective cost-related
7 reimbursement system established by this chapter, the person or legal
8 organization responsible for operation of a facility shall:

9 (1) Obtain a state certificate of need and/or federal capital
10 expenditure review (section 1122) approval pursuant to chapter 70.38
11 RCW and Part 100, Title 42 CFR where required;

12 (2) Hold the appropriate current license;

13 (3) Hold current Title XIX certification;

14 (4) Hold a current contract to provide services under this chapter;

1 (5) Comply with all provisions of the contract and all application
2 regulations, including but not limited to the provisions of this
3 chapter; and

4 (6) Obtain and maintain medicare certification, under Title XVIII
5 of the social security act, 42 U.S.C. Sec. 1395, as amended, for ((~~no~~
6 ~~less than fifteen percent~~)) a portion of the facility's licensed beds.
7 Until June 1, 1993, the department may grant exemptions from the
8 medicare certification requirements of this subsection to nursing
9 facilities that are making good faith efforts to obtain medicare
10 certification.