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5 On page 158, after line 13, insert the following:

6 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 709.** A new section is added to chapter 43.200
7 RCW to read as follows:

8 The director of ecology shall require that generators of waste pay
9 a fee for each cubic foot of waste disposed at any facility in the
10 state equal to thirty dollars. The fee shall be imposed specifically
11 on the generator of the waste and shall not be considered to apply in
12 any way to the low-level site operator's disposal activities. The fee
13 on each cubic foot of waste shall be allocated in the following manner:
14 Twenty-five dollars placed in the health services account and five
15 dollars placed in the water quality account."

16 Renumber the sections consecutively and correct any internal
17 references accordingly.

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21 On page 160, line 11 of the title amendment, after "44.28 RCW;"
22 insert "adding a new section to chapter 43.200 RCW;"

23 EFFECT: Establishes a \$30 per cubic foot fee on low-level
24 radioactive waste estimated to raise \$6 million per biennium to
25 compensate for the loss of revenues in the health services account and
26 the water quality account.

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