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By House Committee on Education (originally sponsored by Representatives Ogden, Brumsickle, Franklin, Jacobsen, Carlson, Springer, Orr, Leonard, H. Myers and Basich)

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to educational service districts; and reenacting
- 2 and amending RCW 28A.310.200.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 28A.310.200 and 1990 c 159 s 1 and 1990 c 33 s 278 are 5 each reenacted and amended to read as follows:
- In addition to other powers and duties as provided by law, every educational service district board shall:
- 8 (1) Approve the budgets of the educational service district in 9 accordance with the procedures provided for in this chapter.
- 10 (2) Meet regularly according to the schedule adopted at the 11 organization meeting and in special session upon the call of the chair 12 or a majority of the board.
- 13 (3) Approve the selection of educational service district personnel 14 and clerical staff as provided in RCW 28A.310.230.
- 15 (4) Fix the amount of and approve the bonds for those educational 16 service district employees designated by the board as being in need of 17 bonding.

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- 1 (5) Keep in the educational service district office a full and 2 correct transcript of the boundaries of each school district within the 3 educational service district.
- 4 (6) Acquire by borrowing funds or by purchase, lease, devise, bequest, and gift and otherwise contract for real and personal property 5 necessary for the operation of the educational service district and to 6 7 the execution of the duties of the board and superintendent thereof and 8 sell, lease, or otherwise dispose of that property not necessary for 9 district purposes. No real property shall be acquired or alienated without the prior approval of the state board of education and the 10 acquisition or alienation of all such property shall be subject to such 11 provisions as the board may establish. When borrowing funds for the 12 purpose of acquiring property, the educational service district board 13 shall pledge as collateral the property to be acquired. Borrowing 14 15 shall be evidenced by a note or other instrument between the district and the lender. The authority to borrow under this subsection shall be 16 limited to educational service districts serving a minimum of two 17 hundred thousand students in grades kindergarten through twelve. 18
 - (7) Under RCW 28A.310.010, upon the written request of the board of directors of a local school district or districts served by the educational service district, the educational service district board of directors may provide cooperative and informational services not in conflict with other law that provide for the development and implementation of programs, activities, services, or practices that support the education of preschool through twelfth grade students in the public schools or that support the effective, efficient, or safe management and operation of the school district or districts served by the educational service district.
- 29 <u>(8)</u> Adopt such bylaws and rules and regulations for its own 30 operation as it deems necessary or appropriate.
- (((+8))) (9) Enter into contracts, including contracts with common and educational service districts and the school for the deaf and the school for the blind for the joint financing of cooperative service programs conducted pursuant to RCW 28A.310.180(3), and employ consultants and legal counsel relating to any of the duties, functions, and powers of the educational service districts.

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