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HOUSE BILL 1237

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By Representatives G. Fisher and Rust; by request of Department of Ecology

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to well drilling; and adding a new section to
- 2 chapter 18.104 RCW.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 18.104 RCW 5 to read as follows:
- 6 (1) For each new well that is established, a well fee shall be 7 remitted by the water well contractor to the department along with the 8 well report required under RCW 18.104.050 as follows:
- 9 (a) For a new water well with a minimum top casing diameter of less 10 than twelve inches, one hundred dollars;
- 11 (b) For a new water well with a minimum top casing diameter of 12 twelve inches or greater, two hundred dollars;
- (c) For a new resource protection, observation, or monitoring well,
- 14 or for a geotechnical soil boring, one hundred dollars for the first
- 15 well or boring and fifty dollars for each additional well or boring at
- 16 the same site; or
- 17 (d) For construction and decommissioning a dewatering well, one
- 18 hundred dollars for the first well and fifty dollars for each
- 19 additional dewatering well at the same site.

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1 (2) Fees shall be paid by check or money order. Cash shall not be accepted.

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