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1 AN ACT Relating to duties of the state auditor; and adding a new  
2 section to chapter 43.09 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 43.09 RCW  
5 under the subchapter heading "generally" to read as follows:

6 (1) The state auditor shall ensure collection of all moneys owed to  
7 the state, including state accounts receivable, from public or private  
8 persons, agencies, entities, or organizations, with appropriate  
9 interest on past due accounts under RCW 43.17.240.

10 (2) The state auditor shall contract with a private collection  
11 agency or agencies for the collection of accounts more than six months  
12 past due under this section, with the party responsible for the past  
13 due account to also be responsible for the costs of collection. The  
14 auditor shall refer any account more than six months past due under  
15 this section to the private collection agency or agencies for  
16 collection.

17 (3) The state auditor shall prepare a list bimonthly of all  
18 accounts receivable which includes the names of the debtors, the

1 amounts owed, and clearly indicates accounts that are delinquent and  
2 the amounts of the delinquencies.

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