HOUSE BILL 1800

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By Representatives Ogden, Romero, Wang, Veloria, Anderson, Wineberry, Rayburn, R. Meyers, King and J. Kohl; by request of Office of Minority and Women's Business Enterprises

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to the funding of the office of minority and
- 2 women's business enterprises; and adding new sections to chapter 39.19
- 3 RCW.

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- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** The minority and women's business
 - enterprises account is created in the custody of the state treasurer.
- 7 All receipts from sections 2, 3, and 4 of this act shall be deposited
- 8 in the account. Expenditures from the account may be used only for the
- 9 purposes defraying all or part of the costs of the office in
- 10 administering this chapter. Only the director or the director's
- 11 designee may authorize expenditures from the account. Moneys in the
- 12 account may be spent only after appropriation.
- 13 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 2.** The office may charge a reasonable fee or
- 14 other appropriate charge, to be set by rule adopted by the office under
- 15 chapter 34.05 RCW, to a business using the services of the office.
- 16 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 3.** The office may charge to a political
- 17 subdivision in this state a reasonable fee or other appropriate charge,

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- 1 to be set by rule adopted by the office under chapter 34.05 RCW,
- 2 prorated on the relative benefit to the political subdivision, for the
- 3 certification under this chapter of a business.
- 4 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 4.** The office may charge to a state agency and
- 5 educational institutions, as both are defined in RCW 39.19.020, a
- 6 reasonable fee or other appropriate charge, to be set by rule adopted
- 7 by the office under chapter 34.05 RCW, based upon the state agency's or
- 8 educational institution's expenditure level of funds subject to the
- 9 office.
- 10 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 5.** Sections 1 through 4 of this act are each 11 added to chapter 39.19 RCW.

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