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## HOUSE BILL 2097

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By Representative Dunshee; by request of Department of Social and Health Services

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to the tax on intermediate care facilities for the
- 2 mentally retarded; amending RCW 82.65A.030; providing an effective
- 3 date; and declaring an emergency.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 82.65A.030 and 1992 c 80 s 3 are each amended to read 6 as follows:
- 7 In addition to any other tax, a tax is imposed on every
- 8 intermediate care facility for the mentally retarded for the act or
- 9 privilege of engaging in business within this state, and shall be
- 10 imposed on similar services as allowed under medicaid reimbursement law
- 11 and rule as determined by the secretary of the department of social and
- 12 <u>health services</u>. The tax is equal to the gross income attributable to
- 13 services for the mentally retarded, multiplied by the rate ((of fifteen
- 14 percent)) allowed under medicaid reimbursement law and rule as
- 15 determined by the secretary of the department of social and health
- 16 services.
- 17 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 2.** This act is necessary for the immediate
- 18 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the

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- 1 state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take
- 2 effect April 1, 1993.

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