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2 **HB 2716** - S AMD TO ECP COMM AMD (S-5600.1) - 263

3 By Senator Prentice

4 On page 1, line 9, before "The" insert "(1)"

5 On page 1, after line 15, insert the following: "(2) For any permit  
6 decision subject to the exemption provided under this section, the  
7 department of ecology shall identify significant adverse environmental  
8 impacts of the proposal, and for such impacts, analyze alternatives to  
9 the proposal, and determine appropriate mitigation. The department of  
10 ecology shall also provide opportunity for public involvement, notice,  
11 and comment that is equal or greater than the public involvement  
12 provisions of 43.21C RCW, for any permit decision subject to th  
13 exemption provided under this section."

14 Renumber the sections consecutively and correct any internal  
15 references accordingly.

16 **EFFECT:** Ensures that the adverse environmental impacts of any  
17 proposal are addressed and mitigated through the wastewater  
18 discharge permit program, and that there is opportunity for public  
19 involvement.

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