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3 By Senator Rinehart

4 On page 18, after line 2, strike all of section 14 and insert the  
5 following:

6 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 14.** The legislative fiscal committees shall  
7 report to the legislature by December 1, 1999, on the economic impacts  
8 of the manufacturers' tax exemption. This report shall analyze  
9 employment and other relevant economic data from before and after the  
10 enactment of the tax exemptions authorized under this act and shall  
11 measure the effect on the creation or retention of family wage jobs and  
12 diversification of the state's economy. Analytic techniques may  
13 include, but not be limited to, comparisons of Washington to other  
14 states that did not enact business tax changes, comparisons across  
15 Washington counties based on usage of the tax exemptions, and  
16 comparisons across similar firms based on their use of the tax  
17 exemptions. In performing the analysis, the legislative fiscal  
18 committees shall consult with business and labor interests. The  
19 department or revenue, the employment security department, and other  
20 agencies shall provide to the legislative fiscal committees such data  
21 as the legislative fiscal committees may request in performing the  
22 analysis required under this section."

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