

2 **SB 5213** - S AMD - 210

3 By Senators Smith and Johnson

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5 On page 14, after line 26, insert the following:

6 "Sec. 9. RCW 26.19.065 and 1991 c 367 s 33 are each amended to  
7 read as follows:

8 (1) **Limit at forty-five percent of a parent's net income.** Neither  
9 parent's total child support obligation may exceed forty-five percent  
10 of net income except for good cause shown. Good cause includes but is  
11 not limited to possession of substantial wealth, children with day care  
12 expenses, special medical need, educational need, psychological need,  
13 and larger families.

14 (2) **Income below six hundred dollars.** When combined monthly net  
15 income is less than six hundred dollars, a support order of not less  
16 than twenty-five dollars per child per month shall be entered for each  
17 parent unless the obligor parent establishes that it would be unjust or  
18 inappropriate to do so in that particular case. The decision whether  
19 there is a sufficient basis to deviate below the presumptive minimum  
20 payment must take into consideration the best interests of the child  
21 and the circumstances of each parent. Such circumstances can include  
22 comparative hardship to the affected households, assets or liabilities,  
23 and earning capacity. A parent's support obligation shall not reduce  
24 his or her net income below the need standard for one person  
25 established pursuant to RCW 74.04.770, except for the ((mandatory))  
26 presumptive minimum payment of twenty-five dollars per child per month  
27 ((as required in this section)) or in cases where the court finds  
28 reasons for deviation ((under section 32 of this act)). This section  
29 shall not be construed to require monthly substantiation of income.

30 (3) **Income above five thousand and seven thousand dollars.** The  
31 economic table is presumptive for combined monthly net incomes up to  
32 and including five thousand dollars. When combined monthly net income  
33 exceeds five thousand dollars, support shall not be set at an amount  
34 lower than the presumptive amount of support set for combined monthly  
35 net incomes of five thousand dollars unless the court finds a reason to  
36 deviate below that amount. The economic table is advisory but not

1 presumptive for combined monthly net incomes that exceed five thousand  
 2 dollars. When combined monthly net income exceeds seven thousand  
 3 dollars, the court may set support at an advisory amount of support set  
 4 for combined monthly net incomes between five thousand and seven  
 5 thousand dollars or the court may exceed the advisory amount of support  
 6 set for combined monthly net incomes of seven thousand dollars upon  
 7 written findings of fact.

8 **Sec. 10.** RCW 26.19.020 and 1991 c 367 s 25 are each amended to  
 9 read as follows:

10 ECONOMIC TABLE  
 11 MONTHLY BASIC SUPPORT OBLIGATION  
 12 PER CHILD  
 13 KEY: A = AGE 0-11 B = AGE 12-18

14	15	16		17	
COMBINED	MONTHLY	ONE	TWO	ONE	TWO
NET	NET	CHILD	CHILDREN	CHILD	CHILDREN
INCOME	INCOME	FAMILY	FAMILY	FAMILY	FAMILY
		A	B	A	B
21	0				
22	100				
23	200				
24	300	24 For income less than \$600 the obligation			
25	400	25 is based upon the resources and living expenses			
26	500	26 of each household. Minimum support shall not			
27		27 be less than \$25 per child per month <u>except when</u>			
28		28 <u>allowed by RCW 26.19.065(2).</u>			
29	600	133	164	103	127
30	700	155	191	120	148
31	800	177	218	137	170
32	900	199	246	154	191
33	1000	220	272	171	211
34	1100	242	299	188	232
35	1200	264	326	205	253
36	1300	285	352	221	274

1	1400	307	379	238	294
2	1500	327	404	254	313
3	1600	347	428	269	333
4	1700	367	453	285	352
5	1800	387	478	300	371
6	1900	407	503	316	390
7	2000	427	527	331	409
8	2100	447	552	347	429
9	2200	467	577	362	448
10	2300	487	601	378	467
11	2400	506	626	393	486
12	2500	526	650	408	505
13	2600	534	661	416	513
14	2700	542	670	421	520
15	2800	549	679	427	527
16	2900	556	686	431	533
17	3000	561	693	436	538
18	3100	566	699	439	543
19	3200	569	704	442	546
20	3300	573	708	445	549
21	3400	574	710	446	551
22	3500	575	711	447	552
23	3600	577	712	448	553
24	3700	578	713	449	554
25	3800	581	719	452	558
26	3900	596	736	463	572
27	4000	609	753	473	584
28	4100	623	770	484	598
29	4200	638	788	495	611
30	4300	651	805	506	625
31	4400	664	821	516	637
32	4500	677	836	525	649
33	4600	689	851	535	661
34	4700	701	866	545	673
35	4800	713	882	554	685
36	4900	726	897	564	697
37	5000	738	912	574	708
38	5100	751	928	584	720
39	5200	763	943	593	732

1	5300	776	959	602	744
2	5400	788	974	612	756
3	5500	800	989	622	768
4	5600	812	1004	632	779
5	5700	825	1019	641	791
6	5800	837	1035	650	803
7	5900	850	1050	660	815
8	6000	862	1065	670	827
9	6100	875	1081	680	839
10	6200	887	1096	689	851
11	6300	899	1112	699	863
12	6400	911	1127	709	875
13	6500	924	1142	718	887
14	6600	936	1157	728	899
15	6700	949	1172	737	911
16	6800	961	1188	747	923
17	6900	974	1203	757	935
18	7000	986	1218	767	946

19 COMBINED

20 MONTHLY	THREE		FOUR		FIVE	
21 NET	CHILDREN		CHILDREN		CHILDREN	
22 INCOME	FAMILY		FAMILY		FAMILY	

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24		A	B	A	B	A	B
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30 400 is based upon the resources and living expenses  
31 500 of each household. Minimum support shall not be  
32 less than \$25 per child per month except when allowed by  
33 RCW 26.19.065(2).

34 600 86 106 73 90 63 78

35 700 100 124 85 105 74 91

36 800 115 142 97 120 84 104

37 900 129 159 109 135 95 118

1	1000	143	177	121	149	105	130
2	1100	157	194	133	164	116	143
3	1200	171	211	144	179	126	156
4	1300	185	228	156	193	136	168
5	1400	199	246	168	208	147	181
6	1500	212	262	179	221	156	193
7	1600	225	278	190	235	166	205
8	1700	238	294	201	248	175	217
9	1800	251	310	212	262	185	228
10	1900	264	326	223	275	194	240
11	2000	277	342	234	289	204	252
12	2100	289	358	245	303	213	264
13	2200	302	374	256	316	223	276
14	2300	315	390	267	330	233	288
15	2400	328	406	278	343	242	299
16	2500	341	421	288	356	251	311
17	2600	346	428	293	362	256	316
18	2700	351	435	298	368	259	321
19	2800	356	440	301	372	262	324
20	2900	360	445	305	376	266	328
21	3000	364	449	308	380	268	331
22	3100	367	453	310	383	270	334
23	3200	369	457	312	386	272	336
24	3300	371	459	314	388	273	339
25	3400	372	460	315	389	274	340
26	3500	373	461	316	390	275	341
27	3600	374	462	317	391	276	342
28	3700	375	463	318	392	277	343
29	3800	377	466	319	394	278	344
30	3900	386	477	326	404	284	352
31	4000	395	488	334	413	291	360
32	4100	404	500	341	422	298	368
33	4200	413	511	350	431	305	377
34	4300	422	522	357	441	311	385
35	4400	431	532	364	449	317	392
36	4500	438	542	371	458	323	400
37	4600	446	552	377	467	329	407
38	4700	455	562	384	475	335	414
39	4800	463	572	391	483	341	422

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2	5000	479	592	404	500	353	437
3	5100	487	602	411	509	359	443
4	5200	494	611	418	517	365	451
5	5300	503	621	425	525	371	458
6	5400	511	632	432	533	377	466
7	5500	518	641	439	542	383	473
8	5600	527	651	446	551	389	480
9	5700	535	661	452	559	395	488
10	5800	543	671	459	567	401	495
11	5900	551	681	466	575	407	502
12	6000	559	691	473	584	413	509
13	6100	567	701	479	593	418	517
14	6200	575	710	486	601	424	524
15	6300	583	721	493	609	430	532
16	6400	591	731	500	617	436	539
17	6500	599	740	506	626	442	546
18	6600	607	750	513	635	448	554
19	6700	615	761	520	643	454	561
20	6800	623	770	527	651	460	568
21	6900	631	780	533	659	466	575
22	7000	639	790	540	668	472	583

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4 On page 1, line 3 of the title, after "26.09.175," strike "and  
5 26.21.115" and insert "26.21.115, 26.19.065, and 26.19.020"

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