Sponsor(s): Representatives Honeyford, McMorris and Clements

Brief Title: Modifying civil penalties for accident prevention program violations.

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Revises RCW 49.17.180 to provide that a civil penalty may not be assessed against an employer for failure to address a hazard within an accident prevention program unless: (1) There is a separate specific standard in rule or variance addressing the subject matter of the hazard; or

(2) as a result of the separate recognized hazard, the employer has been found to be in violation of RCW 49.17.060.

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