SENATE BILL 6316

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By Senators Rasmussen, Morton and Swecker

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1 AN ACT Relating to dairy nutrient management program funding; and 2 creating a new section.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 Sec. 1. (1) In consultation with the state NEW SECTION. 5 conservation commission and local conservation districts, the office of financial management shall develop recommendations to provide adequate б 7 funding for the dairy nutrient management program established pursuant The recommendations shall 8 chapter 90.64 RCW. include to an identification of need, if any, for additional funding for each of the 9 10 following purposes: (a) To perform functions required by conservation districts and the state conservation commission; (b) to provide 11 technical assistance for development of plans; and (c) for cost-share 12 13 moneys for implementation of the plans based on fifty percent of the 14 eligible costs to be derived from public sources. The recommendations 15 shall be for the amount of funding required each fiscal year for these 16 purposes assuming that the deadlines established in chapter 262, Laws 17 of 1998 will be met. If a lower level of funding is recommended, then the recommendation for additional funding shall be accompanied by a 18

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1 recommendation that the deadlines established in RCW 90.64.030(9) be 2 extended to a specified date.

3 (2) The office of financial management shall submit its written 4 recommendations to the co-chief clerks of the house of representatives 5 and the secretary of the senate before December 20, 2000.

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