1 <u>ESSB 6153</u> - H AMD TO H AMD(H-2783.1/01) **336 FAILED 6/15/01** 2 By Representative Linville

3 On page 84 of the amendment, line 14 after "effort." insert the 4 following:

5 "The persistent bioaccumulative toxic chemical strategy shall 6 consider the following chemicals or chemical groups: Aldrin/Dieldrin; 7 Benzo(a)pyrene; Chlordane; DDT; Dioxins/Furans; Hexachlorobenzene; 8 Mercury; polychloronated biphenols; and Toxaphene.

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The persistent bioaccumulative toxic chemical strategy shall:

10 (a) Work with the U.S. environmental protection agency to 11 identify federal and state programs that currently manage persistent 12 bioaccumulative toxins and determine which regulatory controls and 13 options should be utilized to implement a state-specific persistent 14 bioaccumulative toxin strategy.

(b) Identify the gaps in existing state and federal programs that regulate persistent bioaccumulative toxins.

17 (c) Develop an initial chemical action plan with a specific 18 stakeholder group for one of the nine chemicals or chemical groups 19 listed in this subsection.

(d) Develop and implement a plan for both public education andmonitoring of persistent bioaccumulative toxins.

(e) Report to the appropriate standing legislative committees by December 15, 2001, the results of the chemical action plan developed in accordance with (c) of this subsection, along with information on federal and state programs and regulations being used to regulate persistent bioaccumulative toxins, including what state action is appropriate."

EFFECT: Adds specific requirements for implementation of the Department of Ecology's specific bioaccumulative toxic chemical strategy.

FISCAL IMPACT: None; no increase in appropriation levels.

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