

1 **ESSB 6153** - H AMD TO H AMD(H-2783.1/01) **267 WITHDRAWN 6/15/01**
2 By Representative Pearson

3 On page 163, after line 22, insert the following:

4 **NEW SECTION. Sec. 612. FOR THE HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING**
5 **BOARD--SECURITY AGAINST ECO-SABOTAGE**

6	General Fund--State Appropriation (FY 2002) . . . \$	3,000,000
7	General Fund--State Appropriation (FY 2003) . . . \$	3,000,000
8	TOTAL APPROPRIATION \$	6,000,000

9 The appropriations in this section are provided solely to the
10 higher education coordinating board to disperse as grants to accredited
11 institutions of higher education in the state of Washington for the
12 purpose of improving security at research facilities. The funds shall
13 be dispersed based on the history of actual or threatened attacks on a
14 research facility by individuals or groups involved in eco-sabotage,
15 actual or threatened attacks on research facility staff or students by
16 individuals or groups involved in eco-sabotage, and vulnerability to
17 attack by individuals or groups involved in eco-sabotage as determined
18 by the security staff of an accredited institution of higher education.

Renumber the remaining section consecutively and correct any internal references accordingly.

EFFECT: Provides \$3 million a year for the next two years to tighten security at state university research facilities against eco-sabotage attacks.