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Sponsor(s): Senators Costa, Thibaudeau, Parlette, Deccio, Jacobsen, Kohl-Welles and Oke

Brief Description: Permitting legislative hearings on initiatives and referendums. (REVISED FOR ENGROSSED: Permitting hearings on initiatives and referendums.)

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(AS OF SENATE 2ND READING 2/15/02)

Declares an intent for the secretary to be a facilitator in this process and as such should maintain a neutral or nonbiased course of action throughout the public hearing process.

Provides that the secretary of state shall hold public hearings on initiative measures certified to the general election ballot.