

E2SHB 2295 - S AMD 829
By Senator Kohl-Welles

NOT ADOPTED 3/10/04

1 On page 9, line 5, after "application." insert the following:

2 "Prior to approving or rejecting the application, the
3 superintendent of public instruction shall hold a public hearing to
4 take public comment on the application. At least ten days prior to the
5 public hearing taking place, the superintendent of public instruction
6 shall provide notice of the public hearing to the stakeholders."

7 On page 9, line 6, after "faith," strike "must" and insert "may"

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EFFECT: Amends the appeal process in three ways:
First, makes it permissive rather than required that the SPI
approve an application; Second, the SPI must hold a public hearing
before making a decision on an application is made; Third, the SPI
must provide notice of the public hearing to the stakeholders.