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HOUSE BILL 1856

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By Representatives Skinner and Cody

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1            AN ACT Relating to the Washington state dental quality assurance  
2 commission; and amending RCW 18.32.0351.

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

4            **Sec. 1.** RCW 18.32.0351 and 1994 sp.s. c 9 s 204 are each amended  
5 to read as follows:

6            The Washington state dental quality assurance commission is  
7 established, consisting of (~~fourteen~~) sixteen members each appointed  
8 by the governor to a four-year term. No member may serve more than two  
9 consecutive full terms. In appointing the initial members of the  
10 commission, it is the intent of the legislature that, to the extent  
11 possible, members of the previous boards and committees regulating  
12 these professions be appointed to the commission. Members of the  
13 commission hold office until their successors are appointed. The  
14 governor may appoint members of the initial commission to staggered  
15 terms of from one to four years. Thereafter, all members shall be  
16 appointed to full four-year terms. Twelve members of the commission

1 must be dentists, two members must be dental hygienists, and two  
2 members must be public members.

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