ENGROSSED SENATE BILL 5257

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1 AN ACT Relating to administrative rule adoption procedures; and 2 amending RCW 34.05.360.

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

Sec. 1. RCW 34.05.360 and 1988 c 288 s 311 are each amended to 4 5 read as follows: The order of adoption by which each rule is adopted by an agency 6 7 shall contain all of the following: (1) If the head of the agency is appointed by the governor, then 8 the signature of the governor is required for significant legislative 9 10 rules; (2) The date the agency adopted the rule; 11 12 (((2))) <u>(3)</u> A concise statement of the purpose of the rule; 13 (((3))) <u>(4)</u> A reference to all rules repealed, amended, or suspended by the rule; 14 15 (((4))) (5) A reference to the specific statutory or other authority authorizing adoption of the rule; 16

1 (((5))) (6) Any findings required by any provision of law as a
2 precondition to adoption or effectiveness of the rule; and

3 (((++))) (7) The effective date of the rule if other than that 4 specified in RCW 34.05.380(2).

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