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By Senator Mulliken

1 On page 8, after line 19, insert the following:

2 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 5** A new section is added to chapter 29A.36 RCW  
3 to read as follows:

4 All provisional ballots must be visually distinguishable from the  
5 other ballots and must be either:

6 (1) Printed on colored paper; or

7 (2) Imprinted with a bar code for the purpose of identifying the  
8 ballot as a provisional ballot. The bar code must not identify the  
9 voter.

10 Provisional ballots must be incapable of being tabulated by poll-  
11 site counting devices."

12 Renumber the sections consecutively and correct any internal  
13 references accordingly.

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**EFFECT:** (1) Requires that provisional ballots and related materials be visually distinguishable and either printed on colored paper or imprinted with a bar code;

(2) Requires that provisional ballots be incapable of being tabulated by poll-site counting devices; and

(3) Requires that the bar code not identify the voter.