

SHB 2191 - H AMD 642

By Representative Scott

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1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the
2 following:

3 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 43.215
4 RCW to read as follows:

5 (1) Before requiring any alterations to a child care facility due
6 to inconsistencies with requirements in chapter 19.27 RCW, the
7 department shall:

8 (a) Consult with the city or county enforcement official; and

9 (b) Receive written verification from the city or county
10 enforcement official that the alteration is required.

11 (2) The department's consultation with the city or county
12 enforcement official is limited to licensed child care space.

13 (3) Unless there is imminent danger to children or staff, the
14 department may not modify, suspend, or revoke a child care license or
15 business activities while the department is waiting to:

16 (a) Consult with the city or county enforcement official under
17 subsection (1)(a) of this section; or

18 (b) Receive written verification from the city or county
19 enforcement official that the alteration is required under subsection
20 (1)(b) of this section.

21 (4) For the purposes of this section, "child care facility" means
22 a family day care home, school-age care, and child day care center."
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24 Correct the title.

EFFECT:

- Adds that the Department of Early Learning must receive written verification from the city or county enforcement official before requiring any alterations to a child care

facility.

- Defines "child care facility" as a family day care home, school-age care, and child day care center.

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