

ESHB 2111 - S COMM AMD

By Committee on Transportation

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

3 "Sec. 1. RCW 81.112.210 and 2009 c 279 s 5 are each amended to  
4 read as follows:

5 (1) An authority is authorized to establish, by resolution, a  
6 schedule of fines and penalties for civil infractions established in  
7 RCW 81.112.220. Fines established by (~~a regional transit~~) an  
8 authority shall not exceed those imposed for class 1 infractions under  
9 RCW 7.80.120.

10 (2)(a) (~~A regional transit~~) An authority may designate persons to  
11 monitor fare payment who are equivalent to and are authorized to  
12 exercise all the powers of an enforcement officer, defined in RCW  
13 7.80.040. An authority is authorized to employ personnel to either  
14 monitor fare payment, or to contract for such services, or both.

15 (b) In addition to the specific powers granted to enforcement  
16 officers under RCW 7.80.050 and 7.80.060, persons designated to monitor  
17 fare payment also have the authority to take the following actions:

18 (i) Request proof of payment from passengers;

19 (ii) Request personal identification from a passenger who does not  
20 produce proof of payment when requested;

21 (iii)(A) Issue a (~~citation conforming to the requirements~~  
22 ~~established in RCW 7.80.070~~) notice of infraction to passengers who do  
23 not produce proof of payment when requested.

24 (B) The notice of infraction form to be used for violations under  
25 this subsection must be approved by the administrative office of the  
26 courts and must not include vehicle information; and

27 (iv) Request that a passenger leave the (~~regional transit~~)  
28 authority facility when the passenger has not produced proof of payment  
29 after being asked to do so by a person designated to monitor fare  
30 payment.

1           (3) ((~~Regional transit~~)) Authorities shall keep records of  
2 citations in the manner prescribed by RCW 7.80.150. All civil  
3 infractions established by chapter 20, Laws of 1999 shall be heard and  
4 determined by a district or municipal court as provided in RCW 7.80.010  
5 (1), (2), and (4)."

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6           On page 1, line 2 of the title, after "fares;" strike the remainder  
7 of the title and insert "; and amending RCW 81.112.210."

EFFECT: (1) Removes the requirement for the Administrative Office  
of the Courts to review the infraction form proposed by an RTA in the  
same way as parking, standing, and stopping infractions.

(2) RTA infraction forms must not include vehicle information.

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