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- 1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the 2 following:
- 3 "Sec. 1. RCW 39.12.015 and 1965 ex.s. c 133 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:
- 5 <u>(1)</u> All determinations of the prevailing rate of wage shall be made 6 by the industrial statistician of the department of labor and 7 industries.
- 8 (2) A pilot project is created to establish the prevailing rate of wage for the following trades: Inside electricians; powerline 9 construction electricians; plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters; 10 sprinkler fitters; and roofers. Under the pilot project, the 11 industrial statistician shall establish the prevailing rate of wage by 12 adopting the hourly wage, usual benefits, and overtime pay established 13 in collective bargaining agreements for the specified trades. The 14 prevailing rate of wage under the pilot project must be published no 15 16 later than February 2015, and may be adjusted semiannually based on changes to the collective bargaining agreements. If there is no 17 collective bargaining agreement, the prevailing rate of wage shall be 18 established by conducting wage surveys. The pilot project expires 19 20 August 1, 2018."

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On page 1, line 3 of the title, after "available;" strike the remainder of the title and insert "amending RCW 39.12.015; and

1 providing an expiration date."

<u>EFFECT:</u> Creates a pilot project to determine the prevailing rate of wage for electricians, plumbers, and roofers by adopting the wage established in collective bargaining agreements. The pilot project expires August 1, 2018.

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