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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 66.24
4 RCW to read as follows:

5 (1) There is a wine retailer reseller endorsement to a beer
6 and/or wine specialty shop license issued under RCW 66.24.371, to
7 sell wine at retail in original containers to retailers licensed to
8 sell wine for consumption on the premises, for resale at their
9 licensed premises according to the terms of the license. However, no
10 single sale may exceed twenty-four liters, unless the sale is made by
11 a licensee that was a former state liquor store or contract liquor
12 store at the location from which such sales are made. For the
13 purposes of this title, a beer and/or wine specialty shop license is
14 a retail license, and a sale by a beer and/or wine specialty shop
15 license with a reseller endorsement is a retail sale only if not for
16 resale. The annual fee for the wine retailer reseller endorsement is
17 one hundred ten dollars for each store.

18 (2) A beer and/or wine specialty shop licensee with a wine
19 retailer reseller endorsement issued under this section may accept
20 delivery of wine at its licensed premises or at one or more warehouse
21 facilities registered with the board, which facilities may also
22 warehouse and distribute nonliquor items, and from which it may
23 deliver to its own licensed premises and, pursuant to sales permitted
24 by this title, to other licensed premises, to other registered
25 facilities, or to lawful purchasers outside the state. Facilities may
26 be registered and utilized by associations, cooperatives, or
27 comparable groups of beer and/or wine specialty shop licensees.

28 (3) A beer and/or wine specialty shop licensee, selling wine
29 under the endorsement created in this section, may sell a maximum of
30 five thousand liters of wine per day for resale to retailers licensed
31 to sell wine for consumption on the premises.

1 **Sec. 2.** RCW 66.28.340 and 2012 c 2 s 123 are each amended to
2 read as follows:

3 (1) A retailer authorized to sell wine may accept delivery of
4 wine at its licensed premises or at one or more warehouse facilities
5 registered with the board, which facilities may also warehouse and
6 distribute nonliquor items, and from which it may deliver to its own
7 licensed premises and, pursuant to sales permitted by this title, to
8 other licensed retailers, to other registered facilities, or to
9 lawful purchasers outside the state; such facilities may be
10 registered and utilized by associations, cooperatives, or comparable
11 groups of retailers including at least one retailer licensed to sell
12 wine. A restaurant retailer authorized to sell spirits may accept
13 delivery of spirits at its licensed premises or at one or more
14 warehouse facilities registered with the board, which facilities may
15 also warehouse and distribute nonliquor items, from which it may
16 deliver to its own licensed premises and, pursuant to sales permitted
17 by this title, to other licensed retailers, to other registered
18 facilities, or to lawful purchasers outside the state; such
19 facilities may be registered and utilized by associations,
20 cooperatives, or comparable groups of retailers including at least
21 one restaurant retailer licensed to sell spirits. Nothing in this
22 section authorizes sales of spirits or wine by a retailer holding
23 only an on-sale privilege to another retailer.

24 (2) A retailer authorized to sell both wine and spirits for
25 consumption off the licensed premises may accept delivery of wine and
26 spirits at its licensed premises, at another licensed premises as
27 designated by the retailer, or at one or more warehouse facilities
28 registered with the board, which facilities may also warehouse and
29 distribute nonliquor items, and from which it may deliver to its own
30 licensed premises and, pursuant to sales permitted by this title, to
31 other licensed retailers, to other registered facilities, or to
32 lawful purchasers outside the state. Such warehouse facilities may be
33 registered and utilized by associations, cooperatives, or comparable
34 groups of retailers including at least one retailer licensed to sell
35 both spirits and wine. For purposes of negotiating volume discounts,
36 a group of individual retailers authorized to sell both wine and
37 spirits for consumption off the licensed premises may accept delivery
38 of wine and spirits at a single location, which may be their
39 individual licensed premises or at any one of the individual

1 licensee's premises, or at a warehouse facility registered with the
2 board."

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3 On page 1, line 2 of the title, after "state;" strike the
4 remainder of the title and insert "amending RCW 66.28.340; and adding
5 a new section to chapter 66.24 RCW."

EFFECT: (1) A group of individual retailers who use collective buying to achieve volume discounts may only accept delivery of the order at a single location.

(2) Provides that a beer and/or wine specialty shop licensee may sell a maximum of five thousand liters of wine per day for resale to retailers licensed to sell wine for consumption on the premises.

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