

NOT ADOPTED 04/10/2019

1 Beginning on page 1, line 3, after "**Sec. 1.**" strike all material  
2 through "2020" on page 5, line 3 and insert "(1) The department of  
3 labor and industries must convene a work group to study the safety of  
4 workers at high hazard facilities in Washington.

5 (2) The department of labor and industries must appoint members  
6 to the work group. The members of the work group must include:

7 (a) One representative from the department of labor and  
8 industries, who must chair the work group;

9 (b) At least one representative of an owner or operator of a high  
10 hazard facility, or a representative from a trade association that  
11 represents such owners or operators;

12 (c) At least one representative of a contractor that performs  
13 work at high hazard facilities, or a representative from an  
14 association that represents such contractors;

15 (d) At least one representative from a labor organization; and

16 (e) Up to three additional members.

17 (3) The work group must review the following:

18 (a) Current data regarding worker safety for both employees and  
19 contractors who perform work at high hazard facilities;

20 (b) Current state and federal data regarding apprenticeship  
21 programs for workers who perform work at high hazard facilities;

22 (c) The engineering news-record ratings for contractors who  
23 perform work at high hazard facilities;

24 (d) A comparison between Washington and other states regarding  
25 (a) through (c) of this subsection, as well as best practices in  
26 other states for ensuring safety at high hazard facilities.

27 (4) The department of labor and industries must convene the  
28 meetings and provide staff support to the work group.

29 (5) The work group must submit a report to the appropriate  
30 committees of the legislature with its findings and recommendations  
31 for improving the safety of workers at high hazard facilities by  
32 December 1, 2019.

1 (6) For the purposes of this section, "high hazard facility"  
2 means any stationary source that is engaged in activities described  
3 in code 324110 or 325110 of the North American industry  
4 classification system.

5 (7) This section expires June 30, 2020"

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6 On page 5, line 5, after "insert" strike "adding a new chapter to  
7 Title 49 RCW; prescribing penalties; providing an effective date;"  
8 and insert "creating a new section;"

EFFECT: Replaces the current provisions of the bill with a work group that is convened by the department of labor and industries to study the safety of workers at high hazard facilities and to make recommendations to the Legislature.

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