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HOUSE BILL 1866

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By Representatives Dent, Chapman, Corry, Griffey, Dolan, Reeves, and Appleton

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to professional development requirements for
- 2 child day care centers; and adding a new section to chapter 43.216
- 3 RCW.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 43.216 6 RCW to read as follows:
- 7 (1) The department shall allow all child day care centers until
- 8 at least August 1, 2024, to comply with any changes made to
- 9 professional development requirements after the effective date of
- 10 this section.
- 11 (2) For purposes of this section, "professional development
- 12 requirements" means any professional credentials including academic
- 13 degrees, coursework, or certificates, attendance at conferences,
- 14 informal learning, or other education required for licensure by the
- 15 department.

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