

SHB 1311 - H AMD 182

By Representative Reeves

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1 On page 4, line 21, after "performed" strike "including" and
2 insert ", including, if applicable,"

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4 On page 10, beginning on line 2, after "days" strike all material
5 through "general" on line 4

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7 On page 11, beginning on line 21, after "(5)" strike all material
8 through "RCW." on line 30 and insert "A violation of this chapter by a
9 credit services organization is an unfair business practice as
10 provided in chapter 19.86 RCW."

EFFECT: (1) Requires credit services organizations to include an accounting of funds paid by the consumer and held or disbursed on the consumer's behalf in a consumer's monthly statement only if that practice is applicable.

(2) Removes the Attorney General's authority to prescribe a shorter contract period than 180 days for a credit services organization to perform services.

(3) Strikes the *per se* violation of the Consumer Protection Act (CPA) and restores current law that states a violation of the Credit Services Organization Act is an unfair business practice under the CPA.

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