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**HOUSE BILL 2713**

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**By** Representatives Santos, Mena, Ramel, Davis, Ryu, Ormsby, Parshley, Macri, Gregerson, Obras, Scott, Pollet, and Fosse

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1 AN ACT Relating to imposing a business and occupation tax  
2 surcharge on the operators of private detention facilities; and  
3 adding a new section to chapter 82.04 RCW.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 82.04  
6 RCW to read as follows:

7 (1) Beginning July 1, 2026, in addition to all other taxes  
8 imposed under this chapter, persons must pay a surcharge on  
9 Washington taxable income arising from operating a private detention  
10 facility as defined in RCW 70.395.020 if the person has annual  
11 Washington gross receipts in excess of \$1,000,000.

12 (2) The rate of the surcharge is one percent of taxable income  
13 attributable to the operation of a private detention facility.

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