

2 **ESHB 1832** - S AMD 331
3 By Senator Regala

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5 On page 3, line 31, strike all material beginning with "By" and
6 ending with "unit. on page 4, line 6, and "insert the following:
7 "If, by December 1, 2001, or within twelve months of receiving an
8 initial organizing grant under this section, whichever occurs later, a
9 planning unit has not chosen to address instream flow in accordance
10 with RCW 90.82.080, the department shall retain one hundred thousand
11 dollars, or as much thereof as is required, of funds appropriated for
12 supplemental funding for optional plan components under this section to
13 carry out an assessment to support establishment of instream flow in
14 accordance with RCW 90.54.020(3)(a) and chapter 90.22 RCW."

15 On page 4, beginning on line 9, strike all material beginning with
16 "in" and ending with "amending" and insert "to".

17 On page 5, beginning on line 14, strike all material beginning with
18 "By" and ending with "laws" on line 24 and insert the following:
19 "By October 1, 2001 the department of ecology shall complete a final
20 nonproject environmental impact statement evaluating alternative
21 instream flow setting goals and methodologies. Planning units
22 addressing instream flows in accordance with RCW 90.82.080 must
23 consider the environmental impact statement. If different goals and
24 methodologies are selected, planning units shall have financial
25 responsibility for the additional environmental review required."

26 Renumber the sections consecutively and correct any internal
27 references accordingly.

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EFFECT: Clarifies that no change is being made to existing authority of planning units and the department of ecology regarding establishment and amendment of instream flows.