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- 2 **SHB 2457** S Comm Amd
- 3 By Committee on Agriculture and Water Resources
- 4 ADOPTED 3/3/92
- 5 On page 2, line 2, after "restricted" strike "by other means as to
- 6 the hours of operation" and insert "as to the hours of the day or day
- 7 or days of the week"
- 8 **SHB 2457** S AMD
- 9 By Senators Barr and W. Hansen
- 10 ADPOPTED 3/3/92
- 11 On page 2, after line 5, insert the following:
- 12 "Sec. 2. RCW 46.61.655 and 1990 c 250 s 56 are each amended to
- 13 read as follows:
- 14 (1) No vehicle shall be driven or moved on any public highway
- 15 unless such vehicle is so constructed or loaded as to prevent any of
- 16 its load from dropping, sifting, leaking, or otherwise escaping
- 17 therefrom, except that sand may be dropped for the purpose of securing
- 18 traction. Any person operating a vehicle from which any glass or
- 19 objects have fallen or escaped, which would constitute an obstruction
- 20 or injure a vehicle or otherwise endanger travel upon such public
- 21 highway shall immediately cause the public highway to be cleaned of all
- 22 such glass or objects and shall pay any costs therefor.
- 23 (2) No person may operate on any public highway any vehicle with
- 24 any load unless the load and such covering as required thereon by
- 25 subsection (3) of this section is securely fastened to prevent the
- 26 covering or load from becoming loose, detached, or in any manner a

- 1 hazard to other users of the highway.
- 2 (3) Any vehicle operating on a paved public highway with a load of
- 3 dirt, sand, or gravel susceptible to being dropped, spilled, leaked, or
- 4 otherwise escaping therefrom shall be covered so as to prevent
- 5 spillage. Covering of such loads is not required if six inches of
- 6 freeboard is maintained within the bed.
- 7 (4) Any vehicle with deposits of mud, rocks, or other debris on the
- 8 vehicle's body, fenders, frame, undercarriage, wheels, or tires shall
- 9 be cleaned of such material before the operation of the vehicle on a
- 10 paved public highway.
- 11 (5) The state patrol may make necessary rules to carry into effect
- 12 the provisions of this section, applying such provisions to specific
- 13 conditions and loads and prescribing means, methods, and practices to
- 14 effectuate such provisions.
- 15 (6) Nothing in this section may be construed to prohibit a public
- 16 maintenance vehicle from dropping sand on a highway to enhance
- 17 traction, or sprinkling water or other substances to clean or maintain
- 18 a highway.
- 19 <u>(7) This section does not apply to waste products falling from</u>
- 20 vehicles hauling live farm animals when crossing a ferry capable only
- 21 of transporting fewer than twenty-five vehicles."

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On page 1, line 2 of the title, after "7.48.305" insert "and

24 46.61.655"