

1 **ESSB 5967** - H AMD to REV COMM AMD **556 WITHDRAWN 4-16-93**

2 By Representative Tate

3 On page 56 of the amendment, after line 9, insert:

4 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 403.** A new section is added to chapter
5 82.04 RCW to read as follows:

6 This chapter does not apply to persons engaging in business as
7 physicians, dentists, osteopaths, chiropractors, optometrists,
8 podiatrists, and other health practitioners whether or not licensed
9 or certified, in respect to amounts received from the United States
10 or any instrumentality thereof as payments for health care services
11 provided under Title XVIII (medicare) or Title XIX (medicaid) of
12 the federal social security act. This section shall expire July 1,
13 1997."

EFFECT: Exempts health care providers from B&O tax on
medicare and medicaid receipts.