

2 **SHB 1308** - S COMM AMD  
3 By Committee on Agriculture

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5 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the  
6 following:

7 "**Sec. 1.** RCW 16.67.040 and 1991 c 9 s 1 are each amended to read  
8 as follows:

9 There is hereby created a Washington state beef commission to be  
10 thus known and designated. The commission shall be composed of  
11 (~~three~~) one beef producer(~~s~~), (~~two~~) one dairy (beef)  
12 producer(~~s~~), (~~three~~) one feeder(~~s~~), one livestock salesyard  
13 operator, and one meat packer. In addition there will be one ex  
14 officio member without the right to vote from the department of  
15 agriculture to be designated by the director thereof.

16 A majority of voting members shall constitute a quorum for the  
17 transaction of any business.

18 All appointed members as stated in RCW 16.67.060 shall be citizens  
19 and residents of this state, over the age of twenty-five years, each of  
20 whom is and has been actually engaged in that phase of the cattle  
21 industry he or she represents for a period of five years, and has  
22 during that period derived a substantial portion of his or her income  
23 therefrom, or have a substantial investment in cattle as an owner,  
24 lessee, partner, or a stockholder owning at least ten percent of the  
25 voting stock in a corporation engaged in the production of cattle or  
26 dressed beef, or a manager or executive officer of such corporation.  
27 Producer members of the commission shall not be directly engaged in the  
28 business of being a meat packer, or as a feeder, feeding cattle other  
29 than their own. Said qualifications must continue throughout each  
30 member's term of office.

31 **Sec. 2.** RCW 16.67.050 and 1991 c 9 s 2 are each amended to read as  
32 follows:

33 The appointive positions on the commission shall be designated as  
34 follows: The three beef producers shall be designated positions one,  
35 two and three; one dairy (beef) producer shall be designated position

1 four and one, position ten; the three feeders shall be designated  
2 positions five, six and seven; the livestock salesyard operator shall  
3 be designated position eight; the meat packer shall be designated  
4 position nine.

5 The regular term of office shall be three years from the date of  
6 appointment and until their successors are appointed. However, the  
7 first term of office for position ten shall terminate July 1, 1994, and  
8 the first terms of the members whose terms began on July 1, 1969 shall  
9 be as follows: Positions one, four and seven shall terminate July 1,  
10 1970; positions two, five and eight shall terminate July 1, 1971;  
11 positions three, six and nine shall terminate July 1, 1972.

12 This section shall expire on June 30, 1993.

13 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** A new section is added to chapter 16.67 RCW  
14 to read as follows:

15 Commencing on July 1, 1993, the appointive positions on the  
16 commission shall be designated as follows: The beef producer shall be  
17 designated position one; the dairy (beef) producer shall be designated  
18 position two; the feeder shall be designated position three; the  
19 livestock salesyard operator shall be designated position four; and the  
20 meat packer shall be designated position five.

21 The initial terms of positions one and four shall terminate July 1,  
22 1994; positions two and five shall terminate July 1, 1995; and position  
23 three shall terminate July 1, 1996. The regular term of office of  
24 subsequent appointees shall be three years from the date of appointment  
25 and until their successors are appointed.

26 **Sec. 4.** RCW 16.67.060 and 1991 c 9 s 3 are each amended to read as  
27 follows:

28 The director shall appoint the members of the commission. In  
29 making such appointments, the director shall take into consideration  
30 recommendations made to him or her by organizations who represent or  
31 who are engaged in the same type of production or business as the  
32 person recommended for appointment as a member of the commission.

33 Commencing on June 1, 1993, and by June 1 of each subsequent year,  
34 organizations under this section shall make a recommendation as  
35 required, to the director of a person to serve on the commission.

1        NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 5.**    This act is necessary for the immediate  
2 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the  
3 state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take  
4 effect June 1, 1993."

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8        On page 1, line 1 of the title, after "commission;" strike the  
9 remainder of the title and insert "amending RCW 16.67.040, 16.67.050,  
10 and 16.67.060; adding a new section to chapter 16.67 RCW; providing an  
11 effective date; and declaring an emergency."

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