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By Representatives Locke, Dellwo and Miller; by request of Department of Social and Health Services

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1 AN ACT Relating to the acquired human immunodeficiency syndrome
2 insurance program; amending RCW 70.24.440; adding a new section to
3 chapter 74.09 RCW; and recodifying RCW 70.24.440.

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

5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 70.24.440 and 1989 c 260 s 3 are each amended to read
6 as follows:

7 (1) "~~((Class—IV))~~ Acquired human immunodeficiency ~~((virus))~~
8 syndrome insurance program," as used in this section, means the program
9 financed by state funds to assure health insurance coverage for
10 individuals with ~~((class—IV))~~ acquired human immunodeficiency ~~((virus~~
11 infection)) syndrome, as defined by the state board of health, who meet
12 eligibility requirements established by the department of social and
13 health services.

14 (2) The department of social and health services may pay for health
15 insurance coverage with funds appropriated for this purpose on behalf
16 of persons ~~((who are infected))~~ with ~~((class—IV))~~ acquired human
17 immunodeficiency ~~((virus,))~~ syndrome, who meet ~~((program))~~ department
18 eligibility requirements, and who are eligible for "continuation
19 coverage" as provided by the federal consolidated omnibus budget

1 reconciliation act of 1985 or group health insurance policies((
2 PROVIDED, That this authorization to pay for health insurance shall
3 cease on June 30, 1991, as to any coverage not initiated prior to that
4 date)).

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** RCW 70.24.440 shall be recodified in chapter
6 74.09 RCW.

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