

1 **2SHB 1524** - H AMD **236 WITHDRAWN 3/9/95**

2 By Representative Kremen

3 On page 18, after line 22, insert the following:

4 "**NEW SECTION. Sec. 24.** RCW 19.94.195 and 1992 c 237 ú 10 are
5 each amended to read as follows:

6 (1) Except as provided in subsection (3) of this section, the
7 department shall adopt the specifications, tolerances, and other
8 technical requirements for commercial weighing or measuring
9 instruments or devices, together with amendments thereto, as
10 recommended by the most recent edition of Handbook 44 published by
11 the national institute of standards and technology or any successor
12 organization as the specifications, tolerances, and other technical
13 requirements for commercial weighing or measuring instruments or
14 devices commercially used in this state.

15 (2)(a) To promote uniformity, any supplements or amendments to
16 Handbook 44 or any similar subsequent publication of the national
17 institute of standards and technology or any successor organization
18 shall be deemed to have been adopted under this section except as
19 provided in subsection (3) of this section.

20 (b) The director may, however, within thirty days of the
21 publication or effective date of Handbook 44 or any supplements,
22 amendments, or similar publications give public notice that a
23 hearing will be held to determine if such publications should not
24 be applicable under this section. Any such hearing shall be
25 conducted under chapter 34.05 RCW.

26 (3) No tolerance which favors the seller shall be permitted
27 for an instrument or device that measures for retail sale the
28 amount of motor vehicle fuel delivered to a customer at an
29 establishment that sells motor vehicle fuel at retail."

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- 1 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct the title
- 2 accordingly.

EFFECT: Does not permit a calibration or testing tolerance that favors the seller for devices that measure motor vehicle fuel sales at retail outlets.