

1 **HB 2089** - H AMD to AMD (H2953.1) **848 ADOPTED 4/13/95**

2 By Representative B. Thomas

3 On page 1, after line 5, strike everything through line 23,  
4 and insert:

5 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 68.** (1) There is hereby created a joint  
6 select committee on education expenditures taxation, composed of  
7 twelve members, with six members of the senate, three from each of  
8 the two largest caucuses, to be appointed by the president of the  
9 senate; and six members of the house of representatives, three from  
10 each of the two largest caucuses, to be appointed by the speaker of  
11 the house of representatives. The speaker of the house of  
12 representatives and the president of the senate shall designate  
13 cochairs of the committee. The expenses of the committee members  
14 shall be paid by the legislature under chapter 44.04 RCW. Staff  
15 support for the committee shall be provided by senate committee  
16 services and house of representatives office of program research as  
17 mutually agreed by the cochairs of the committee. The committee  
18 may also use the research services provided to the legislature by  
19 the department of revenue under RCW 82.01.060(4).

20 (2) The committee shall complete a thorough review of the  
21 effect of Washington's tax system on expenditures by public schools  
22 and institutions of higher education, with particular emphasis on  
23 the appropriateness of a sales and use tax exemption for those  
24 expenditures. The committee shall submit its final report to the  
25 legislature by December 31, 1995."

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27 Renumber subsections consecutively, correct any internal  
28 references accordingly, and correct the title.