

1 **2SHB 1032** - H AMD 013 ADOPTED 2-7-97

2 By Representative Bush

3 On page 15, after line 34, insert the following:

4 "(5) No rule, adopted by an agency after the effective date of
5 this section, is effective for more than seven years after the rule
6 is adopted, unless the rule has been reviewed under the procedure
7 in this subsection. An agency shall review a rule to evaluate:

8 (a) Achievement of the goals and objectives of the rule;

9 (b) Technological changes that impact the implementation of or
10 compliance with the rule;

11 (c) Controversy surrounding the implementation or enforcement
12 of the rule, stating the nature of the controversy;

13 (d) The outcome of any court challenges to the validity of the
14 rule or its authority to draft the rule;

15 (e) Actual costs or changes undergone by the regulated
16 community; and

17 (f) Laws or other rules passed since the rule was adopted that
18 are in conflict, impact its implementation, or render the rule
19 obsolete.

20 The agency shall place in a rules review file documentation
21 sufficient to show that the agency conducted the review under this
22 section."

23 Renumber the remaining subsection consecutively.

EFFECT: Creates process for review of new rules. An agency must review a new rule to evaluate achievement of the goals and objectives of the rule, controversy surrounding its implementation or enforcement, and actual costs. The agency must undertake the review or the rule is no longer effective after seven years.