

1 **SHB 1113 - H AMD 118 ADOPTED 3-14-97**

2 By Representative Chandler

3 On page 6, after line 6, insert the following:

4 (9) Nothing in this section authorizes a change in a water
5 right or a portion of a water right that has not been perfected
6 through beneficial use prior to the change.-

EFFECT: The authority provided by the bill to change a water right to use the water made surplus through efficiencies applies only to water beneficially used under the right before the change.