

2 **SHB 1853 - H AMD 204**
3 By Representative Appelwick

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5 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the
6 following:

7 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** The legislature finds that consistent with
8 the goal of growth management that public services and facilities
9 necessary to support development be available without a decrease in
10 service levels, citizens should have the opportunity to decide whether
11 all land in a planned community which includes industrial, commercial,
12 and residential sites will be in the same school district.

13 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** Notwithstanding the provisions of RCW
14 28A.315.250, the school board of a school district containing or
15 adjoining a city or town with a population of less than three thousand
16 located in two school districts may give notice to the county auditor
17 that a special election shall be held at which voters in the two school
18 districts may authorize the removal of either portion of the city or
19 town and its planned community from one school district and the
20 transfer of that portion of the city or town and its planned community
21 to the other school district, under the following conditions: (1) One
22 of the two school districts either borders a United States military
23 reservation or includes territory located in a United States military
24 reservation; and (2) a public school building is not located in the
25 territory that is so removed and transferred.

26 The special election shall be held at a special election date
27 specified under RCW 29.13.020 at which a ballot proposition authorizing
28 the removal and transfer of the portion of the city or town and its
29 planned community from one school district to the other school district
30 is submitted to the voters of both school districts. If the ballot
31 proposition is approved by a simple majority vote of voters of the
32 school districts voting on the ballot proposition, the educational
33 service district superintendent within which the school districts are
34 located shall make an order so altering the boundaries of the school

1 districts. The cost of the election must be paid by the school
2 district requesting the special election.

3 This section expires January 1, 1999.

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** This act is necessary for the immediate
5 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the
6 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect
7 immediately."

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