

1 **SHB 2192** - H AMDS TO H AMD (H-3263.2/97) **709 WITHDRAWN 4-25-97**

2 By Representative Backlund

3 On page 4, line 25 of the striking amendment, after "site" insert
4 ", but the site must be in accordance with the results of the election
5 under section 606 of this act"

6 On page 41, after line 22 of the striking amendment, strike all of
7 section 607 and insert the following:

8 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 607.** The secretary of state shall submit
9 this act to the people for adoption and ratification, or rejection, at
10 a special election to be held in this state on June 17, 1997, in
11 accordance with Article II, section 1 of the state Constitution and the
12 laws adopted to facilitate its operation. The special election shall
13 be limited to submission of this act to the people. Additionally, the
14 secretary of state shall submit a choice for the preferred site of the
15 new stadium should this act be adopted. The ballot shall contain two
16 questions. The first question: "Shall certain taxes be raised to fund
17 a professional football stadium?" The second question, if the first is
18 approved: "Shall the location of the stadium be: (1) At the KingDome
19 site in the pioneer square district of Seattle; or (2) in a renovated
20 Husky stadium?" The ballot shall be so printed that a voter can
21 express separately by making one cross (X) for each, two preferences,
22 first, as to the voter's preference on approval or rejection of the
23 measure itself, and secondly, as between one location option or the
24 other. If the majority of those voting on the first preference is for
25 rejection of the measure, the measure fails. If a majority voting on
26 the first preference is for approval of the measure, then the measure
27 shall be law and the location shall be the location option receiving a
28 majority of the votes."

EFFECT: The ballot for the football stadium will ask whether voters approve a tax increase for a new football stadium and if so, to choose between the pioneer square district and Husky stadium as the location of the new football stadium.