

1 **HB 2251 - H AMD 586**

2 By Representative McMorris

3 On page 3, after line 19, insert the following:

4 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** If any part of this act is found to be in
5 conflict with federal requirements that are a prescribed condition to
6 the allocation of federal funds to the state or the eligibility of
7 employers in this state for federal unemployment tax credits, the
8 conflicting part of this act is inoperative solely to the extent of the
9 conflict, and such finding or determination does not affect the
10 operation of the remainder of this act. Rules adopted under this act
11 must meet federal requirements that are a necessary condition to the
12 receipt of federal funds by the state or the granting of federal
13 unemployment tax credits to employers in this state.

14 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 4.** Sections 1 and 2 of this act apply with
15 respect to weeks of unemployment beginning on the Sunday following the
16 effective date of this section.

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

21 Correct the title.

EFFECT: The amendment adds a federal severability clause and an immediate effective date, with the bill applying to weeks of unemployment beginning the first Sunday after the effective date.