

1 **2SHB 3008 - H AMD 978 ADOPTED 2-17-98**
2 By Representative Cooke

3 On page 2, beginning with chapter- on line 5, strike everything
4 down to and including shall- on page 2 line 13 and insert chapters
5 18.71 or 18.57 RCW primarily responsible for the care of a new born
6 infant, an advanced registered nurse who practices midwifery licensed
7 under chapter 18.79 RCW, or a midwife licensed under chapter 18.50 RCW,
8 who has reasonable cause to believe an infant has been exposed to
9 nonprescription use of controlled substances or alcohol must notify the
10 department of the name and address of the parent or parents of an
11 infant who is drug-affected.

12 (2) The physician or midwife responsible for the delivery of the
13 infant must-

EFFECT: Clarifies the role of pediatricians, obstetricians and
midwives; deletes the requirement that the attending provider must
arrange for testing to determine whether the infant is drug-
affected.