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- AN ACT Relating to sex offenses; amending RCW 9.94A.310; reenacting
- 2 and amending RCW 9.94A.320 and 9.94A.120; adding a new section to
- 3 chapter 9.94A RCW; prescribing penalties; providing an effective date;
- 4 and declaring an emergency.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 6 NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 9.94A RCW
- 7 to read as follows:
- 8 (1) The legislature finds that:
- 9 (a) Rape and other sex offenses involving forcible compulsion are
- 10 among the most terrifying and demeaning criminal acts an individual can
- 11 perpetrate against another human being and the personal trauma and
- 12 anguish suffered by the victims of rape and indecent liberties and by
- 13 their families can create devastating difficulties which often take
- 14 years to overcome;
- 15 (b) The pain and complications caused by rape and indecent
- 16 liberties are even more severe where deadly weapons are involved, where
- 17 the victim is kidnapped or receives serious physical injuries, where
- 18 the victim is less than fourteen years old, where the perpetrator has

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wrongfully entered the building or vehicle where the victim is situated, or where forcible compulsion is used; and

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- 3 (c) The severity of punishment for those who commit rape or 4 indecent liberties should be commensurate with the crime the 5 perpetrators have forced upon their victims and strict penalties for 6 such cruel and humiliating violations of a person's dignity and honor 7 are both appropriate and just.
 - (2) The legislature hereby intends to ensure that the penalties imposed for rape and indecent liberties are significant and that the victims of rape and indecent liberties will be better able to lead lives free of fear knowing that the perpetrators of such crimes against them will be incarcerated for a substantial length of time.

13 **Sec. 2.** RCW 9.94A.310 and 1996 c 205 s 5 are each amended to read 14 as follows:

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16					S	entenc	ing Gr	id				
17	SERIO	USNESS	3									
18	SCORE					OFFEND	ER SCC	RE				
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20		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	more	
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22		((XV)) <u>X</u>	IV	Life Sent	tence withou	ut Parole/De	eath Penalty	7				
23												
24		((XIV))	23y4m	24y4m	25y4m	26y4m	27y4m	28y4m	30y4m	32y10m	36y	40y
25		XIII	240-	250-	261-	271-	281-	291-	312-	338-	370-	411-
26			320	333	347	361	374	388	416	450	493	548
27												
28		((XHH))	12y	13y	14y	15y	16y	17y	19y	21y	25y	29y
29		XII	123-	134-	144-	154-	165-	175-	195-	216-	257-	298-
30			164	178	192	205	219	233	260	288	342	397
31												
32		((XH))	9y	9y11m	10y9m	11y8m	12y6m	13y5m	15y9m	17y3m	20y3m	23y3m
33		<u>XI</u>	93-	102-	111-	120-	129-	138-	162-	178-	209-	240-
34			123	136	147	160	171	184	216	236	277	318
35												
36		((XI	7y6m	8y4m	9y2m	9y11m	10y9m	11y7m	14y2m	15y5m	17y11m	20y5m
37			78-	86-	95-	102-	111-	120-	146-	159-	185-	210-
38			102	114	125	136	147	158	194	211	245	280))

X	5y	5y6m	бу	6y6m	7y	7y6m	9y6m	10y6m	12y6m
	51-	57-	62-	67-	72-	77-	98-	108-	129-
	68	75	82	89	96	102	130	144	171
IX	3y	3y6m	4y	4y6m	5y	5y6m	7y6m	8y6m	10y6m
	31-	36-	41-	46-	51-	57-	77-	87-	108-
	41	48	54	61	68	75	102	116	144
VIII	2y	2y6m	3у	3y6m	4y	4y6m	6y6m	7y6m	8y6m
	21-	26-	31-	36-	41-	46-	67-	77-	87-
	27	34	41	48	54	61	89	102	116
VII	18m	2y	2y6m	Зу	3y6m	4y	5y6m	6у6m	7y6m
	15-	21-	26-	31-	36-	41-	57-	67-	77-
	20	27	34	41	48	54	75	89	102
VI	13m	18m	2y	2y6m	3у	3y6m	4y6m	5y6m	6y6m
	12+-	15-	21-	26-	31-	36-	46-	57-	67-
	14	20	27	34	41	48	61	75	89
V	9m	13m	15m	18m	2y2m	3y2m	4y	5y	бу
	6-	12+-	13-	15-	22-	33-	41-	51-	62-
	12	14	17	20	29	43	54	68	82
IV	6m	9m	13m	15m	18m	2y2m	3y2m	4y2m	5y2m
	3-	6-	12+-	13-	15-	22-	33-	43-	53-
	9	12	14	17	20	29	43	57	70
III	2m	5m	8m	11m	14m	20m	2y2m	-	4y2m
	1-	3-	4-	9-	12+-	17-	22-	33-	43-
	3	8	12	12	16	22	29	43	57
II		4m	6m	8m	13m	16m	20m	2y2m	3y2m
	0-90	2-	3-	4-	12+-	14-	17-	22-	33-
	Days	6	9	12	14	18	22	29	43
I			3m	4m	5m	8m	13m	16m	20m
	0-60	0-90	2-	2-	3-	4-	12+-	14-	17-

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NOTE: Numbers in the first horizontal row of each seriousness category represent sentencing midpoints in years(y) and months(m). Numbers in the second and third rows represent presumptive sentencing ranges in months, or in days if so designated. 12+ equals one year and one day.

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- (2) For persons convicted of the anticipatory offenses of criminal attempt, solicitation, or conspiracy under chapter 9A.28 RCW, the presumptive sentence is determined by locating the sentencing grid sentence range defined by the appropriate offender score and the seriousness level of the completed crime, and multiplying the range by 75 percent.
- (3) The following additional times shall be added to the 11 presumptive sentence for felony crimes committed after July 23, 1995, 12 13 if the offender or an accomplice was armed with a firearm as defined in RCW 9.41.010 and the offender is being sentenced for one of the crimes 14 15 listed in this subsection as eligible for any firearm enhancements 16 based on the classification of the completed felony crime. 17 offender or an accomplice was armed with a firearm as defined in RCW 9.41.010 and the offender is being sentenced for an anticipatory 18 19 offense under chapter 9A.28 RCW to commit one of the crimes listed in 20 this subsection as eligible for any firearm enhancements, the following additional times shall be added to the presumptive sentence determined 21 under subsection (2) of this section based on the felony crime of 22 conviction as classified under RCW 9A.28.020: 23
- (a) Five years for any felony defined under any law as a class A felony or with a maximum sentence of at least twenty years, or both, and not covered under (f) of this subsection.
- (b) Three years for any felony defined under any law as a class B felony or with a maximum sentence of ten years, or both, and not covered under (f) of this subsection.
- 30 (c) Eighteen months for any felony defined under any law as a 31 class C felony or with a maximum sentence of five years, or both, and 32 not covered under (f) of this subsection.
- If the offender is being sentenced for 33 (d) any firearm 34 enhancements under (a), (b), and/or (c) of this subsection and the 35 offender has previously been sentenced for any deadly weapon enhancements after July 23, 1995, under (a), (b), and/or (c) of this 36 37 subsection or subsection (4) (a), (b), and/or (c) of this section, or both, any and all firearm enhancements under this subsection shall be 38 39 twice the amount of the enhancement listed.

1 (e) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any and all 2 firearm enhancements under this section are mandatory, shall be served 3 in total confinement, and shall not run concurrently with any other 4 sentencing provisions.

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- (f) The firearm enhancements in this section shall apply to all felony crimes except the following: Possession of a machine gun, possessing a stolen firearm, reckless endangerment in the first degree, theft of a firearm, unlawful possession of a firearm in the first and second degree, and use of a machine gun in a felony.
- 10 (g) If the presumptive sentence under this section exceeds the 11 statutory maximum for the offense, the statutory maximum sentence shall 12 be the presumptive sentence unless the offender is a persistent 13 offender as defined in RCW 9.94A.030.
- 14 The following additional times shall be added to the 15 presumptive sentence for felony crimes committed after July 23, 1995, 16 if the offender or an accomplice was armed with a deadly weapon as 17 defined in this chapter other than a firearm as defined in RCW 9.41.010 and the offender is being sentenced for one of the crimes listed in 18 19 this subsection as eligible for any deadly weapon enhancements based on 20 the classification of the completed felony crime. If the offender or an accomplice was armed with a deadly weapon other than a firearm as 21 defined in RCW 9.41.010 and the offender is being sentenced for an 22 anticipatory offense under chapter 9A.28 RCW to commit one of the 23 24 crimes listed in this subsection as eligible for any deadly weapon 25 enhancements, the following additional times shall be added to the 26 presumptive sentence determined under subsection (2) of this section based on the felony crime of conviction as classified under RCW 27 28 9A.28.020:
- 29 (a) Two years for any felony defined under any law as a class A 30 felony or with a maximum sentence of at least twenty years, or both, 31 and not covered under (f) of this subsection.
- 32 (b) One year for any felony defined under any law as a class B 33 felony or with a maximum sentence of ten years, or both, and not 34 covered under (f) of this subsection.
- 35 (c) Six months for any felony defined under any law as a class C 36 felony or with a maximum sentence of five years, or both, and not 37 covered under (f) of this subsection.
- (d) If the offender is being sentenced under (a), (b), and/or (c) of this subsection for any deadly weapon enhancements and the offender

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- l has previously been sentenced for any deadly weapon enhancements after
- 2 July 23, 1995, under (a), (b), and/or (c) of this subsection or
- 3 subsection (3) (a), (b), and/or (c) of this section, or both, any and
- 4 all deadly weapon enhancements under this subsection shall be twice the
- 5 amount of the enhancement listed.
- 6 (e) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any and all deadly
- 7 weapon enhancements under this section are mandatory, shall be served
- 8 in total confinement, and shall not run concurrently with any other
- 9 sentencing provisions.
- 10 (f) The deadly weapon enhancements in this section shall apply to
- 11 all felony crimes except the following: Possession of a machine gun,
- 12 possessing a stolen firearm, reckless endangerment in the first degree,
- 13 theft of a firearm, unlawful possession of a firearm in the first and
- 14 second degree, and use of a machine gun in a felony.
- 15 (g) If the presumptive sentence under this section exceeds the
- 16 statutory maximum for the offense, the statutory maximum sentence shall
- 17 be the presumptive sentence unless the offender is a persistent
- 18 offender as defined in RCW 9.94A.030.
- 19 (5) The following additional times shall be added to the
- 20 presumptive sentence if the offender or an accomplice committed the
- 21 offense while in a county jail or state correctional facility as that
- 22 term is defined in this chapter and the offender is being sentenced for
- 23 one of the crimes listed in this subsection. If the offender or an
- 24 accomplice committed one of the crimes listed in this subsection while
- 25 in a county jail or state correctional facility as that term is defined
- 26 in this chapter, and the offender is being sentenced for a
- 27 anticipatory offense under chapter 9A.28 RCW to commit one of the
- 28 crimes listed in this subsection, the following additional times shall
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- 29 be added to the presumptive sentence determined under subsection (2) of
- 30 this section:
- 31 (a) Eighteen months for offenses committed under RCW
- 32 69.50.401(a)(1) (i) or (ii) or 69.50.410;
- 33 (b) Fifteen months for offenses committed under RCW
- 34 69.50.401(a)(1) (iii), (iv), and (v);
- 35 (c) Twelve months for offenses committed under RCW 69.50.401(d).
- For the purposes of this subsection, all of the real property of
- 37 a state correctional facility or county jail shall be deemed to be part
- 38 of that facility or county jail.

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(6) An additional twenty-four months shall be added to the
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    presumptive sentence for any ranked offense involving a violation of
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    chapter 69.50 RCW if the offense was also a violation of RCW 69.50.435.
         Sec. 3. RCW 9.94A.320 and 1996 c 302 s 6, 1996 c 205 s 3, and
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    1996 c 36 s 2 are each reenacted and amended to read as follows:
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                                     TABLE 2
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                CRIMES INCLUDED WITHIN EACH SERIOUSNESS LEVEL
8
    ((<del>XV</del>))
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      XIV
              Aggravated Murder 1 (RCW 10.95.020)
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    ((<del>XIV</del>))
              Murder 1 (RCW 9A.32.030)
11
     XIII
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              Homicide by abuse (RCW 9A.32.055)
13
              Rape 1 (RCW 9A.44.050)
              Rape of a Child 1 (RCW 9A.44.073)
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    ((<del>XIII</del>))
16
              Murder 2 (RCW 9A.32.050)
      XII
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              Rape 2 (with forcible compulsion) (RCW
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                    9A.44.050(1)(a))
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              Rape of a Child 2 (RCW 9A.44.076)
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    ((<del>XII</del>))
              Assault 1 (RCW 9A.36.011)
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              Assault of a Child 1 (RCW 9A.36.120)
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              <u>Indecent Liberties (with forcible compulsion)</u>
24
                    (RCW 9A.44.100(1)(a))
25
              Rape 1 (RCW 9A.44.040)
     ((<del>XI</del>
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              Rape of a Child 1 (RCW 9A.44.073)))
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              Kidnapping 1 (RCW 9A.40.020)
28
              Rape 2 (without forcible compulsion) (RCW
                    9A.44.050(1) (b), (c), (d), and (e)
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               ((Rape of a Child 2 (RCW 9A.44.076)))
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              Child Molestation 1 (RCW 9A.44.083)
              Damaging building, etc., by explosion with
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threat to human being (RCW 70.74.280(1))

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1		Over 18 and deliver heroin or narcotic from
2		Schedule I or II to someone under 18
3		(RCW 69.50.406)
4		Leading Organized Crime (RCW 9A.82.060(1)(a))
5	IX	Assault of a Child 2 (RCW 9A.36.130)
6		Robbery 1 (RCW 9A.56.200)
7		Manslaughter 1 (RCW 9A.32.060)
8		Explosive devices prohibited (RCW 70.74.180)
9		((Indecent Liberties (with forcible
10		compulsion) (RCW 9A.44.100(1)(a))))
11		Endangering life and property by explosives
12		with threat to human being (RCW
13		70.74.270)
14		Over 18 and deliver narcotic from Schedule
15		III, IV, or V or a nonnarcotic from
16		Schedule I-V to someone under 18 and 3
17		years junior (RCW 69.50.406)
18		Controlled Substance Homicide (RCW 69.50.415)
19		Sexual Exploitation (RCW 9.68A.040)
20		Inciting Criminal Profiteering (RCW
21		9A.82.060(1)(b))
22		Vehicular Homicide, by being under the
23		influence of intoxicating liquor or any
24		drug (RCW 46.61.520)
25	VIII	Arson 1 (RCW 9A.48.020)
26		Promoting Prostitution 1 (RCW 9A.88.070)
27		Selling for profit (controlled or
28		counterfeit) any controlled substance
29		(RCW 69.50.410)
30		Manufacture, deliver, or possess with intent
31		to deliver heroin or cocaine (RCW
32		69.50.401(a)(1)(i))
33		Manufacture, deliver, or possess with intent
34		to deliver methamphetamine (RCW
35		69.50.401(a)(1)(ii))
36		Possession of ephedrine or pseudoephedrine
37		with intent to manufacture
38		methamphetamine (RCW 69.50.440)

1		Vehicular Homicide, by the operation of any
2		vehicle in a reckless manner (RCW
3		46.61.520)
4	VII	Burglary 1 (RCW 9A.52.020)
5		Vehicular Homicide, by disregard for the
6		safety of others (RCW 46.61.520)
7		Introducing Contraband 1 (RCW 9A.76.140)
8		Indecent Liberties (without forcible
9		compulsion) (RCW $9A.44.100(1)$ (b) and
10		(c))
11		Child Molestation 2 (RCW 9A.44.086)
12		Dealing in depictions of minor engaged in
13		sexually explicit conduct (RCW
14		9.68A.050)
15		Sending, bringing into state depictions of
16		minor engaged in sexually explicit
17		conduct (RCW 9.68A.060)
18		Involving a minor in drug dealing (RCW
19		69.50.401(f))
20		Reckless Endangerment 1 (RCW 9A.36.045)
21		Unlawful Possession of a Firearm in the first
22		degree (RCW 9.41.040(1)(a))
23	VI	Bribery (RCW 9A.68.010)
24		Manslaughter 2 (RCW 9A.32.070)
25		Rape of a Child 3 (RCW 9A.44.079)
26		Intimidating a Juror/Witness (RCW 9A.72.110,
27		9A.72.130)
28		Damaging building, etc., by explosion with no
29		threat to human being (RCW 70.74.280(2))
30		Endangering life and property by explosives
31		with no threat to human being (RCW
32		70.74.270)
33		Incest 1 (RCW 9A.64.020(1))
34		Manufacture, deliver, or possess with intent
35		to deliver narcotics from Schedule I or
36		
30		II (except heroin or cocaine) (RCW

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1		Intimidating a Judge (RCW 9A.72.160)
2		Bail Jumping with Murder 1 (RCW
3		9A.76.170(2)(a))
4		Theft of a Firearm (RCW 9A.56.300)
5	V	Persistent prison misbehavior (RCW 9.94.070)
6		Criminal Mistreatment 1 (RCW 9A.42.020)
7		Abandonment of dependent person 1 (RCW
8		9A.42.060)
9		Rape 3 (RCW 9A.44.060)
10		Sexual Misconduct with a Minor 1 (RCW
11		9A.44.093)
12		Child Molestation 3 (RCW 9A.44.089)
13		Kidnapping 2 (RCW 9A.40.030)
14		Extortion 1 (RCW 9A.56.120)
15		Incest 2 (RCW 9A.64.020(2))
16		Perjury 1 (RCW 9A.72.020)
17		Extortionate Extension of Credit (RCW
18		9A.82.020)
19		Advancing money or property for extortionate
20		extension of credit (RCW 9A.82.030)
21		Extortionate Means to Collect Extensions of
22		Credit (RCW 9A.82.040)
23		Rendering Criminal Assistance 1 (RCW
24		9A.76.070)
25		Bail Jumping with class A Felony (RCW
26		9A.76.170(2)(b))
27		Sexually Violating Human Remains (RCW
28		9A.44.105)
29		Delivery of imitation controlled substance by
30		person eighteen or over to person under
31		eighteen (RCW 69.52.030(2))
32		Possession of a Stolen Firearm (RCW
33		9A.56.310)
34	IV	Residential Burglary (RCW 9A.52.025)
35		Theft of Livestock 1 (RCW 9A.56.080)
36		Robbery 2 (RCW 9A.56.210)
37		Assault 2 (RCW 9A.36.021)
38		Escape 1 (RCW 9A.76.110)

1		Arson 2 (RCW 9A.48.030)
2		Commercial Bribery (RCW 9A.68.060)
3		Bribing a Witness/Bribe Received by Witness
4		(RCW 9A.72.090, 9A.72.100)
5		Malicious Harassment (RCW 9A.36.080)
6		Threats to Bomb (RCW 9.61.160)
7		Willful Failure to Return from Furlough (RCW
8		72.66.060)
9		Hit and Run Injury Accident (RCW
10		46.52.020(4))
11		Hit and Run with Vessel Injury Accident
12		(RCW 88.12.155(3))
13		Vehicular Assault (RCW 46.61.522)
14		Manufacture, deliver, or possess with intent
15		to deliver narcotics from Schedule III,
16		IV, or V or nonnarcotics from Schedule
17		I-V (except marijuana or
18		methamphetamines) (RCW 69.50.401(a)(1)
19		(iii) through (v))
20		Influencing Outcome of Sporting Event (RCW
21		9A.82.070)
22		Use of Proceeds of Criminal Profiteering (RCW
23		9A.82.080 (1) and (2))
24		Knowingly Trafficking in Stolen Property (RCW
25		9A.82.050(2))
26	III	Criminal Mistreatment 2 (RCW 9A.42.030)
27		Abandonment of dependent person 2 (RCW
28		9A.42.070)
29		Extortion 2 (RCW 9A.56.130)
30		Unlawful Imprisonment (RCW 9A.40.040)
31		Assault 3 (RCW 9A.36.031)
32		Assault of a Child 3 (RCW 9A.36.140)
33		Custodial Assault (RCW 9A.36.100)
34		Unlawful possession of firearm in the second
35		degree (RCW 9.41.040(1)(b))
36		Harassment (RCW 9A.46.020)
37		Promoting Prostitution 2 (RCW 9A.88.080)
38		Willful Failure to Return from Work Release
39		(RCW 72.65.070)

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1		Burglary 2 (RCW 9A.52.030)
2		Introducing Contraband 2 (RCW 9A.76.150)
3		Communication with a Minor for Immoral
4		Purposes (RCW 9.68A.090)
5		Patronizing a Juvenile Prostitute (RCW
6		9.68A.100)
7		Escape 2 (RCW 9A.76.120)
8		Perjury 2 (RCW 9A.72.030)
9		Bail Jumping with class B or C Felony (RCW
10		9A.76.170(2)(c))
11		Intimidating a Public Servant (RCW 9A.76.180)
12		Tampering with a Witness (RCW 9A.72.120)
13		Manufacture, deliver, or possess with intent
14		to deliver marijuana (RCW
15		69.50.401(a)(1)(iii))
16		Delivery of a material in lieu of a
17		controlled substance (RCW 69.50.401(c))
18		Manufacture, distribute, or possess with
19		intent to distribute an imitation
20		controlled substance (RCW 69.52.030(1))
21		Recklessly Trafficking in Stolen Property
22		(RCW 9A.82.050(1))
23		Theft of livestock 2 (RCW 9A.56.080)
24		Securities Act violation (RCW 21.20.400)
25	II	Unlawful Practice of Law (RCW 2.48.180)
26		Malicious Mischief 1 (RCW 9A.48.070)
27		Possession of Stolen Property 1 (RCW
28		9A.56.150)
29		Theft 1 (RCW 9A.56.030)
30		Trafficking in Insurance Claims (RCW
31		48.30A.015)
32		Unlicensed Practice of a Profession or
33		Business (RCW 18.130.190(7))
34		Health Care False Claims (RCW 48.80.030)
35		Possession of controlled substance that is
36		either heroin or narcotics from Schedule
37		I or II (RCW 69.50.401(d))
38		Possession of phencyclidine (PCP) (RCW
39		69.50.401(d))

1		Create, deliver, or possess a counterfeit
2		controlled substance (RCW 69.50.401(b))
3		Computer Trespass 1 (RCW 9A.52.110)
4		Escape from Community Custody (RCW 72.09.310)
5	I	Theft 2 (RCW 9A.56.040)
6		Possession of Stolen Property 2 (RCW
7		9A.56.160)
8		Forgery (RCW 9A.60.020)
9		Taking Motor Vehicle Without Permission (RCW
10		9A.56.070)
11		Vehicle Prowl 1 (RCW 9A.52.095)
12		Attempting to Elude a Pursuing Police Vehicle
13		(RCW 46.61.024)
14		Malicious Mischief 2 (RCW 9A.48.080)
15		Reckless Burning 1 (RCW 9A.48.040)
16		Unlawful Issuance of Checks or Drafts (RCW
17		9A.56.060)
18		Unlawful Use of Food Stamps (RCW 9.91.140 (2)
19		and (3))
20		False Verification for Welfare (RCW
21		74.08.055)
22		Forged Prescription (RCW 69.41.020)
23		Forged Prescription for a Controlled
24		Substance (RCW 69.50.403)
25		Possess Controlled Substance that is a
26		Narcotic from Schedule III, IV, or V or
27		Non-narcotic from Schedule I-V (except
28		phencyclidine) (RCW 69.50.401(d))

29 **Sec. 4.** RCW 9.94A.120 and 1996 c 275 s 2, 1996 c 215 s 5, 1996 c 30 199 s 1, and 1996 c 93 s 1 are each reenacted and amended to read as 31 follows:

- When a person is convicted of a felony, the court shall impose punishment as provided in this section.
- (1) Except as authorized in subsections (2), (4), (5), (6), and (8) of this section, the court shall impose a sentence within the sentence range for the offense.
- 37 (2) The court may impose a sentence outside the standard sentence 38 range for that offense if it finds, considering the purpose of this

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chapter, that there are substantial and compelling reasons justifying an exceptional sentence.

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- (3) Whenever a sentence outside the standard range is imposed, the court shall set forth the reasons for its decision in written findings of fact and conclusions of law. A sentence outside the standard range shall be a determinate sentence.
- 7 (4) A persistent offender shall be sentenced to a term of total 8 confinement for life without the possibility of parole or, when 9 authorized by RCW 10.95.030 for the crime of aggravated murder in the 10 first degree, sentenced to death, notwithstanding the maximum sentence under any other law. An offender convicted of the crime of murder in 11 the first degree shall be sentenced to a term of total confinement not 12 less than twenty years. An offender convicted of the crime of assault 13 in the first degree or assault of a child in the first degree where the 14 15 offender used force or means likely to result in death or intended to 16 kill the victim shall be sentenced to a term of total confinement not less than five years. An offender convicted of the crime of rape in 17 the first degree shall be sentenced to a term of total confinement not 18 19 less than five years. The foregoing minimum terms of total confinement are mandatory and shall not be varied or modified as provided in 20 subsection (2) of this section. In addition, all offenders subject to 21 the provisions of this subsection shall not be eligible for community 22 custody, earned early release time, furlough, home detention, partial 23 24 confinement, work crew, work release, or any other form of early 25 release as defined under RCW 9.94A.150 (1), (2), (3), (5), (7), or (8), 26 or any other form of authorized leave of absence from the correctional 27 facility while not in the direct custody of a corrections officer or officers during such minimum terms of total confinement except in the 28 29 case of an offender in need of emergency medical treatment or for the 30 purpose of commitment to an inpatient treatment facility in the case of an offender convicted of the crime of rape in the first degree. 31
 - (5) In sentencing a first-time offender the court may waive the imposition of a sentence within the sentence range and impose a sentence which may include up to ninety days of confinement in a facility operated or utilized under contract by the county and a requirement that the offender refrain from committing new offenses. The sentence may also include up to two years of community supervision, which, in addition to crime-related prohibitions, may include

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1 requirements that the offender perform any one or more of the 2 following:

(a) Devote time to a specific employment or occupation;

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- 4 (b) Undergo available outpatient treatment for up to two years, or inpatient treatment not to exceed the standard range of confinement for that offense;
- 7 (c) Pursue a prescribed, secular course of study or vocational 8 training;
- 9 (d) Remain within prescribed geographical boundaries and notify 10 the court or the community corrections officer prior to any change in 11 the offender's address or employment;
- 12 (e) Report as directed to the court and a community corrections 13 officer; or
- 14 (f) Pay all court-ordered legal financial obligations as provided 15 in RCW 9.94A.030 and/or perform community service work.
- 16 (6)(a) An offender is eligible for the special drug offender 17 sentencing alternative if:
- (i) The offender is convicted of the manufacture, delivery, or possession with intent to manufacture or deliver a controlled substance classified in Schedule I or II that is a narcotic drug or a felony that is, under chapter 9A.28 RCW or RCW 69.50.407, a criminal attempt, criminal solicitation, or criminal conspiracy to commit such crimes, and the violation does not involve a sentence enhancement under RCW 9.94A.310 (3) or (4);
- 25 (ii) The offender has no prior convictions for a felony in this 26 state, another state, or the United States; and
- (iii) The offense involved only a small quantity of the particular controlled substance as determined by the judge upon consideration of such factors as the weight, purity, packaging, sale price, and street value of the controlled substance.
- (b) If the midpoint of the standard range is greater than one year 31 and the sentencing judge determines that the offender is eligible for 32 33 this option and that the offender and the community will benefit from 34 the use of the special drug offender sentencing alternative, the judge 35 may waive imposition of a sentence within the standard range and impose a sentence that must include a period of total confinement in a state 36 37 facility for one-half of the midpoint of the standard range. During incarceration in the state facility, offenders sentenced under this 38 39 subsection shall undergo a comprehensive substance abuse assessment and

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receive, within available resources, treatment services appropriate for 1 2 the offender. The treatment services shall be designed by the division of alcohol and substance abuse of the department of social and health 3 4 services, in cooperation with the department of corrections. 5 midpoint of the standard range is twenty-four months or less, no more than three months of the sentence may be served in a work release 6 7 The court shall also impose one year of concurrent community 8 custody and community supervision that must include appropriate 9 outpatient substance abuse treatment, crime-related prohibitions including a condition not to use illegal controlled substances, and a 10 requirement to submit to urinalysis or other testing to monitor that 11 The court may require that the monitoring for controlled 12 13 substances be conducted by the department or by a treatment alternatives to street crime program or a comparable court or agency-14 15 referred program. The offender may be required to pay thirty dollars per month while on community custody to offset the cost of monitoring. 16 17 In addition, the court shall impose three or more of the following conditions: 18

- (i) Devote time to a specific employment or training;
- (ii) Remain within prescribed geographical boundaries and notify the court or the community corrections officer before any change in the offender's address or employment;
 - (iii) Report as directed to a community corrections officer;
- 24 (iv) Pay all court-ordered legal financial obligations;
- 25 (v) Perform community service work;

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- 26 (vi) Stay out of areas designated by the sentencing judge.
- 27 (c) If the offender violates any of the sentence conditions in (b) 28 department this subsection, the shall impose sanctions 29 administratively, with notice to the prosecuting attorney and the 30 sentencing court. Upon motion of the court or the prosecuting attorney, a violation hearing shall be held by the court. If the court 31 finds that conditions have been willfully violated, the court may 32 impose confinement consisting of up to the remaining one-half of the 33 34 midpoint of the standard range. All total confinement served during the period of community custody shall be credited to the offender, 35 regardless of whether the total confinement is served as a result of 36 37 the original sentence, as a result of a sanction imposed by the department, or as a result of a violation found by the court. The term 38

of community supervision shall be tolled by any period of time served in total confinement as a result of a violation found by the court.

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- (d) The department shall determine the rules for calculating the value of a day fine based on the offender's income and reasonable obligations which the offender has for the support of the offender and any dependents. These rules shall be developed in consultation with the administrator for the courts, the office of financial management, and the commission.
- 9 (7) If a sentence range has not been established for the 10 defendant's crime, the court shall impose a determinate sentence which may include not more than one year of confinement, community service 11 12 work, a term of community supervision not to exceed one year, and/or 13 other legal financial obligations. The court may impose a sentence which provides more than one year of confinement if the court finds, 14 15 considering the purpose of this chapter, that there are substantial and compelling reasons justifying an exceptional sentence. 16
 - (8)(a)(i) When an offender is convicted of a sex offense other than a violation of RCW 9A.44.050 or a sex offense that is also a serious violent offense and has no prior convictions for a sex offense or any other felony sex offenses in this or any other state, the sentencing court, on its own motion or the motion of the state or the defendant, may order an examination to determine whether the defendant is amenable to treatment.

The report of the examination shall include at a minimum the The defendant's version of the facts and the official version of the facts, the defendant's offense history, an assessment of problems in addition to alleged deviant behaviors, the offender's social and employment situation, and other evaluation measures used. The report shall set forth the sources of the evaluator's information.

The examiner shall assess and report regarding the defendant's amenability to treatment and relative risk to the community. proposed treatment plan shall be provided and shall include, at a 32 33 minimum:

- (A) Frequency and type of contact between offender and therapist;
- 35 (B) Specific issues to be addressed in the treatment and description of planned treatment modalities; 36
- 37 (C) Monitoring plans, including any requirements regarding living 38 conditions, lifestyle requirements, and monitoring by family members 39 and others;

p. 17 HB 1153 1 (D) Anticipated length of treatment; and

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(E) Recommended crime-related prohibitions.

The court on its own motion may order, or on a motion by the state shall order, a second examination regarding the offender's amenability to treatment. The evaluator shall be selected by the party making the motion. The defendant shall pay the cost of any second examination ordered unless the court finds the defendant to be indigent in which case the state shall pay the cost.

- (ii) After receipt of the reports, the court shall consider whether the offender and the community will benefit from use of this special sexual offender sentencing alternative and consider the victim's opinion whether the offender should receive a treatment disposition under this subsection. If the court determines that this special sex offender sentencing alternative is appropriate, the court shall then impose a sentence within the sentence range. ((If this sentence is less than eight years of confinement,)) The court may suspend the execution of the sentence and impose the following conditions of suspension:
- (A) The court shall place the defendant on community custody for the length of the suspended sentence or three years, whichever is greater, and require the offender to comply with any conditions imposed by the department of corrections under subsection (14) of this section; and
- 24 (B) The court shall order treatment for any period up to three 25 years in duration. The court in its discretion shall order outpatient 26 sex offender treatment or inpatient sex offender treatment, if 27 available. A community mental health center may not be used for such treatment unless it has an appropriate program designed for sex 28 29 The offender shall not change sex offender offender treatment. treatment providers or treatment conditions without first notifying the 30 prosecutor, the community corrections officer, and the court, and shall 31 not change providers without court approval after a hearing if the 32 prosecutor or community corrections officer object to the change. 33 addition, as conditions of the suspended sentence, the court may impose 34 35 other sentence conditions including up to six months of confinement, not to exceed the sentence range of confinement for that offense, 36 37 crime-related prohibitions, and requirements that the offender perform any one or more of the following: 38
 - (I) Devote time to a specific employment or occupation;

- 1 (II) Remain within prescribed geographical boundaries and notify 2 the court or the community corrections officer prior to any change in 3 the offender's address or employment;
- 4 (III) Report as directed to the court and a community corrections 5 officer;
- 6 (IV) Pay all court-ordered legal financial obligations as provided 7 in RCW 9.94A.030, perform community service work, or any combination 8 thereof; or
- 9 (V) Make recoupment to the victim for the cost of any counseling 10 required as a result of the offender's crime.
- (iii) The sex offender therapist shall submit quarterly reports on the defendant's progress in treatment to the court and the parties. The report shall reference the treatment plan and include at a minimum the following: Dates of attendance, defendant's compliance with requirements, treatment activities, the defendant's relative progress in treatment, and any other material as specified by the court at

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sentencing.

- (iv) At the time of sentencing, the court shall set a treatment 18 19 termination hearing for three months prior to the anticipated date for completion of treatment. Prior to the treatment termination hearing, 20 the treatment professional and community corrections officer shall 21 submit written reports to the court and parties regarding the 22 defendant's compliance with treatment and monitoring requirements, and 23 24 recommendations regarding termination from treatment, including 25 proposed community supervision conditions. Either party may request 26 and the court may order another evaluation regarding the advisability of termination from treatment. The defendant shall pay the cost of any 27 additional evaluation ordered unless the court finds the defendant to 28 29 be indigent in which case the state shall pay the cost. 30 treatment termination hearing the court may: (A) Modify conditions of 31 community custody, and either (B) terminate treatment, or (C) extend treatment for up to the remaining period of community custody. 32
- (v) If a violation of conditions occurs during community custody, the department shall either impose sanctions as provided for in RCW 9.94A.205(2)(a) or refer the violation to the court and recommend revocation of the suspended sentence as provided for in (a)(vi) of this subsection.
- (vi) The court may revoke the suspended sentence at any time during the period of community custody and order execution of the

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sentence if: (A) The defendant violates the conditions of the suspended sentence, or (B) the court finds that the defendant is failing to make satisfactory progress in treatment. All confinement time served during the period of community custody shall be credited to the offender if the suspended sentence is revoked.

(vii) Except as provided in (a) (viii) of this subsection, after July 1, 1991, examinations and treatment ordered pursuant to this subsection shall only be conducted by sex offender treatment providers certified by the department of health pursuant to chapter 18.155 RCW.

(viii) A sex offender therapist who examines or treats a sex offender pursuant to this subsection (8) does not have to be certified by the department of health pursuant to chapter 18.155 RCW if the court finds that: (A) The offender has already moved to another state or plans to move to another state for reasons other than circumventing the certification requirements; (B) no certified providers are available for treatment within a reasonable geographical distance of the offender's home; and (C) the evaluation and treatment plan comply with this subsection (8) and the rules adopted by the department of health.

For purposes of this subsection, "victim" means any person who has sustained emotional, psychological, physical, or financial injury to person or property as a result of the crime charged. "Victim" also means a parent or guardian of a victim who is a minor child unless the parent or guardian is the perpetrator of the offense.

(b) When an offender commits any felony sex offense on or after July 1, 1987, and is sentenced to a term of confinement of more than one year but less than six years, the sentencing court may, on its own motion or on the motion of the offender or the state, request the department of corrections to evaluate whether the offender is amenable to treatment and the department may place the offender in a treatment program within a correctional facility operated by the department.

Except for an offender who has been convicted of a violation of RCW 9A.44.040 or 9A.44.050, if the offender completes the treatment program before the expiration of his or her term of confinement, the department of corrections may request the court to convert the balance of confinement to community supervision and to place conditions on the offender including crime-related prohibitions and requirements that the offender perform any one or more of the following:

(i) Devote time to a specific employment or occupation;

- 1 (ii) Remain within prescribed geographical boundaries and notify 2 the court or the community corrections officer prior to any change in 3 the offender's address or employment;
- 4 (iii) Report as directed to the court and a community corrections 5 officer;
 - (iv) Undergo available outpatient treatment.

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If the offender violates any of the terms of his or her community supervision, the court may order the offender to serve out the balance of his or her community supervision term in confinement in the custody of the department of corrections.

Nothing in this subsection (8)(b) shall confer eligibility for such programs for offenders convicted and sentenced for a sex offense committed prior to July 1, 1987. This subsection (8)(b) does not apply to any crime committed after July 1, 1990.

- (c) Offenders convicted and sentenced for a sex offense committed prior to July 1, 1987, may, subject to available funds, request an evaluation by the department of corrections to determine whether they are amenable to treatment. If the offender is determined to be amenable to treatment, the offender may request placement in a treatment program within a correctional facility operated by the department. Placement in such treatment program is subject to available funds.
- (9)(a) When a court sentences a person to a term of total 23 24 confinement to the custody of the department of corrections for an 25 offense categorized as a sex offense or a serious violent offense 26 committed after July 1, 1988, but before July 1, 1990, assault in the second degree, assault of a child in the second degree, any crime 27 against a person where it is determined in accordance with RCW 28 29 9.94A.125 that the defendant or an accomplice was armed with a deadly 30 weapon at the time of commission, or any felony offense under chapter 31 69.50 or 69.52 RCW not sentenced under subsection (6) of this section, committed on or after July 1, 1988, the court shall in addition to the 32 other terms of the sentence, sentence the offender to a one-year term 33 34 of community placement beginning either upon completion of the term of confinement or at such time as the offender is transferred to community 35 custody in lieu of earned early release in accordance with RCW 36 37 9.94A.150 (1) and (2). When the court sentences an offender under this subsection to the statutory maximum period of confinement then the 38 39 community placement portion of the sentence shall consist entirely of

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- such community custody to which the offender may become eligible, in accordance with RCW 9.94A.150 (1) and (2). Any period of community custody actually served shall be credited against the community placement portion of the sentence.
- 5 (b) When a court sentences a person to a term of total confinement to the custody of the department of corrections for an offense 6 7 categorized as a sex offense committed on or after July 1, 1990, but 8 before June 6, 1996, a serious violent offense, vehicular homicide, or 9 vehicular assault, committed on or after July 1, 1990, the court shall 10 in addition to other terms of the sentence, sentence the offender to community placement for two years or up to the period of earned early 11 release awarded pursuant to RCW 9.94A.150 (1) and (2), whichever is 12 13 longer. The community placement shall begin either upon completion of the term of confinement or at such time as the offender is transferred 14 15 to community custody in lieu of earned early release in accordance with RCW 9.94A.150 (1) and (2). When the court sentences an offender under 16 17 this subsection to the statutory maximum period of confinement then the community placement portion of the sentence shall consist entirely of 18 19 the community custody to which the offender may become eligible, in accordance with RCW 9.94A.150 (1) and (2). Any period of community 20 custody actually served shall be credited against the community 21 placement portion of the sentence. Unless a condition is waived by the 22 court, the terms of community placement for offenders sentenced 23 24 pursuant to this section shall include the following conditions:
- 25 (i) The offender shall report to and be available for contact with 26 the assigned community corrections officer as directed;
- 27 (ii) The offender shall work at department of corrections-approved 28 education, employment, and/or community service;
- 29 (iii) The offender shall not consume controlled substances except 30 pursuant to lawfully issued prescriptions;
- 31 (iv) An offender in community custody shall not unlawfully possess 32 controlled substances;
- (v) The offender shall pay supervision fees as determined by the department of corrections; and
- (vi) The residence location and living arrangements are subject to the prior approval of the department of corrections during the period of community placement.

- 1 (c) As a part of any sentence imposed under (a) or (b) of this 2 subsection, the court may also order any of the following special 3 conditions:
- 4 (i) The offender shall remain within, or outside of, a specified 5 geographical boundary;
- 6 (ii) The offender shall not have direct or indirect contact with 7 the victim of the crime or a specified class of individuals;
- 8 (iii) The offender shall participate in crime-related treatment or 9 counseling services;
- 10 (iv) The offender shall not consume alcohol;

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- 11 (v) The offender shall comply with any crime-related prohibitions; 12 or
 - (vi) For an offender convicted of a felony sex offense against a minor victim after June 6, 1996, the offender shall comply with any terms and conditions of community placement imposed by the department of corrections relating to contact between the sex offender and a minor victim or a child of similar age or circumstance as a previous victim.
 - (d) Prior to transfer to, or during, community placement, any conditions of community placement may be removed or modified so as not to be more restrictive by the sentencing court, upon recommendation of the department of corrections.
 - (10)(a) When a court sentences a person to the custody of the department of corrections for an offense categorized as a sex offense committed on or after June 6, 1996, the court shall, in addition to other terms of the sentence, sentence the offender to community custody for three years or up to the period of earned early release awarded pursuant to RCW 9.94A.150 (1) and (2), whichever is longer. The community custody shall begin either upon completion of the term of confinement or at such time as the offender is transferred to community custody in lieu of earned early release in accordance with RCW 9.94A.150 (1) and (2).
- 32 (b) Unless a condition is waived by the court, the terms of 33 community custody shall be the same as those provided for in subsection 34 (9)(b) of this section and may include those provided for in subsection 35 (9)(c) of this section. As part of any sentence that includes a term 36 of community custody imposed under this subsection, the court shall 37 also require the offender to comply with any conditions imposed by the 38 department of corrections under subsection (14) of this section.

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(c) At any time prior to the completion of a sex offender's term of community custody, if the court finds that public safety would be enhanced, the court may impose and enforce an order extending any or all of the conditions imposed pursuant to this section for a period up to the maximum allowable sentence for the crime as it is classified in chapter 9A.20 RCW, regardless of the expiration of the offender's term of community custody. If a violation of a condition extended under this subsection occurs after the expiration of the offender's term of community custody, it shall be deemed a violation of the sentence for the purposes of RCW 9.94A.195 and may be punishable as contempt of court as provided for in RCW 7.21.040.

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- (11) If the court imposes a sentence requiring confinement of thirty days or less, the court may, in its discretion, specify that the sentence be served on consecutive or intermittent days. A sentence requiring more than thirty days of confinement shall be served on consecutive days. Local jail administrators may schedule court-ordered intermittent sentences as space permits.
- (12) If a sentence imposed includes payment of a legal financial 18 19 obligation, the sentence shall specify the total amount of the legal financial obligation owed, and shall require the offender to pay a 20 specified monthly sum toward that legal financial obligation. 21 Restitution to victims shall be paid prior to any other payments of 22 monetary obligations. Any legal financial obligation that is imposed 23 24 by the court may be collected by the department, which shall deliver 25 the amount paid to the county clerk for credit. The offender's compliance with payment of legal financial obligations shall be 26 supervised by the department. All monetary payments ordered shall be 27 paid no later than ten years after the last date of release from 28 29 confinement pursuant to a felony conviction or the date the sentence 30 was entered. Independent of the department, the party or entity to whom the legal financial obligation is owed shall have the authority to 31 utilize any other remedies available to the party or entity to collect 32 the legal financial obligation. Nothing in this section makes the 33 34 department, the state, or any of its employees, agents, or other 35 persons acting on their behalf liable under any circumstances for the payment of these legal financial obligations. If an order includes 36 37 restitution as one of the monetary assessments, the county clerk shall 38 make disbursements to victims named in the order.

(13) Except as provided under RCW 9.94A.140(1) and 9.94A.142(1), a court may not impose a sentence providing for a term of confinement or community supervision or community placement which exceeds the statutory maximum for the crime as provided in chapter 9A.20 RCW.

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- (14) All offenders sentenced to terms involving community supervision, community service, community placement, or legal financial obligation shall be under the supervision of the department of corrections and shall follow explicitly the instructions and conditions of the department of corrections.
- 10 (a) The instructions shall include, at a minimum, reporting as
 11 directed to a community corrections officer, remaining within
 12 prescribed geographical boundaries, notifying the community corrections
 13 officer of any change in the offender's address or employment, and
 14 paying the supervision fee assessment.
- 15 (b) For sex offenders sentenced to terms involving community custody for crimes committed on or after June 6, 1996, the department 16 17 may include, in addition to the instructions in (a) of this subsection, any appropriate conditions of supervision, including but not limited 18 19 to, prohibiting the offender from having contact with any other specified individuals or specific class of individuals. The conditions 20 authorized under this subsection (14)(b) may be imposed by the 21 department prior to or during a sex offender's community custody term. 22 If a violation of conditions imposed by the court or the department 23 24 pursuant to subsection (10) of this section occurs during community 25 custody, it shall be deemed a violation of community placement for the 26 purposes of RCW 9.94A.207 and shall authorize the department to transfer an offender to a more restrictive confinement status as 27 provided in RCW 9.94A.205. At any time prior to the completion of a 28 29 sex offender's term of community custody, the department may recommend 30 to the court that any or all of the conditions imposed by the court or 31 the department pursuant to subsection (10) of this section be continued beyond the expiration of the offender's term of community custody as 32 authorized in subsection (10)(c) of this section. 33

The department may require offenders to pay for special services rendered on or after July 25, 1993, including electronic monitoring, day reporting, and telephone reporting, dependent upon the offender's ability to pay. The department may pay for these services for offenders who are not able to pay.

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(15) All offenders sentenced to terms involving community supervision, community service, or community placement under the supervision of the department of corrections shall not own, use, or possess firearms or ammunition. Offenders who own, use, or are found to be in actual or constructive possession of firearms or ammunition shall be subject to the appropriate violation process and sanctions. "Constructive possession" as used in this subsection means the power and intent to control the firearm or ammunition. "Firearm" as used in this subsection means a weapon or device from which a projectile may be fired by an explosive such as gunpowder.

- 11 (16) The sentencing court shall give the offender credit for all 12 confinement time served before the sentencing if that confinement was 13 solely in regard to the offense for which the offender is being 14 sentenced.
 - (17) A departure from the standards in RCW 9.94A.400 (1) and (2) governing whether sentences are to be served consecutively or concurrently is an exceptional sentence subject to the limitations in subsections (2) and (3) of this section, and may be appealed by the defendant or the state as set forth in RCW 9.94A.210 (2) through (6).
 - (18) The court shall order restitution whenever the offender is convicted of a felony that results in injury to any person or damage to or loss of property, whether the offender is sentenced to confinement or placed under community supervision, unless extraordinary circumstances exist that make restitution inappropriate in the court's judgment. The court shall set forth the extraordinary circumstances in the record if it does not order restitution.
 - (19) As a part of any sentence, the court may impose and enforce an order that relates directly to the circumstances of the crime for which the offender has been convicted, prohibiting the offender from having any contact with other specified individuals or a specific class of individuals for a period not to exceed the maximum allowable sentence for the crime, regardless of the expiration of the offender's term of community supervision or community placement.
- (20) In any sentence of partial confinement, the court may require the defendant to serve the partial confinement in work release, in a program of home detention, on work crew, or in a combined program of work crew and home detention.
- 38 (21) All court-ordered legal financial obligations collected by 39 the department and remitted to the county clerk shall be credited and

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- 1 paid where restitution is ordered. Restitution shall be paid prior to
- 2 any other payments of monetary obligations.
- 3 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 5.** This act is necessary for the immediate
- 4 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the
- 5 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect
- 6 July 1, 1997.
- 7 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 6.** If any provision of this act or its
- 8 application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the
- 9 remainder of the act or the application of the provision to other
- 10 persons or circumstances is not affected.

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