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HOUSE BILL 1654

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By Representatives Schoesler, Appelwick, Hankins, Reams and D. Schmidt

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1            AN ACT Relating to contracts with certified public accountants to  
2      conduct financial audits of public school districts; and amending RCW  
3      43.09.045.

4      BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5            **Sec. 1.** RCW 43.09.045 and 1995 c 301 s 4 are each amended to read  
6      as follows:

7            (1) Except under subsection (2) of this section, the state auditor  
8      may contract with public accountants certified in Washington to carry  
9      out those portions of the duties of auditing state agencies and local  
10     governments as the state auditor may determine.

11           (2) The state auditor shall contract with public accountants  
12     certified in Washington to carry out those portions of the duties under  
13     this chapter of conducting financial audits of public school districts  
14     organized under chapter 28A.315 RCW.

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