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HOUSE BILL 3040

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By Representatives Smith, Sterk, Bush, Johnson and Thompson

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1            AN ACT Relating to meeting the state-wide school assessments; and  
2 adding a new section to chapter 28A.230 RCW.

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

4            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.230  
5 RCW to read as follows:

6            Beginning in the 1999-2000 school year, students unable to meet the  
7 content standards established for the state-wide assessment developed  
8 for elementary students in accordance with RCW 28A.630.885 shall be  
9 retained in their current grade until they are able to meet the  
10 established standards. All students retained shall be allowed to  
11 retake the assessment the following school year during the regularly  
12 scheduled administration of the assessment.

13            Beginning in the 2000-01 school year, students unable to meet the  
14 content standards established for the state-wide assessment developed  
15 for middle school students in accordance with RCW 28.630.885 shall be  
16 retained in their current grade until they are able to meet the  
17 established standards. All students retained shall be allowed to

- 1 retake the assessment the following school year during the regularly
- 2 scheduled administration of the assessment.

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