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5 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the  
6 following:

7 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** The legislature finds it necessary to  
8 expand the current pool of convicted offenders who must have a blood  
9 sample drawn for purposes of DNA identification analysis. The  
10 legislature further finds that there is a high rate of recidivism among  
11 certain types of violent and sex offenders and that drawing blood is  
12 minimally intrusive. Creating an expanded DNA data bank bears a  
13 rational relationship to the public's interest in enabling law  
14 enforcement to better identify convicted violent and sex offenders who  
15 are involved in unsolved crimes, who escape to reoffend, and who  
16 reoffend after release.

17 **Sec. 2.** RCW 43.43.754 and 1994 c 271 s 402 are each amended to  
18 read as follows:

19 Every adult or juvenile individual convicted of a felony or  
20 adjudicated guilty of an equivalent juvenile offense defined as a sex  
21 offense under RCW 9.94A.030(~~((+31+))~~) (33)(a) or a violent offense as  
22 defined in RCW 9.94A.030 shall have a blood sample drawn for purposes  
23 of DNA identification analysis. For persons convicted of such offenses  
24 or adjudicated guilty of an equivalent juvenile offense who are serving  
25 or who are to serve a term of confinement in a county jail or detention  
26 facility, the county shall be responsible for obtaining blood samples  
27 ((prior to release from)) either as part of the intake process into the  
28 county jail or detention facility for those persons convicted on or  
29 after the effective date of this act, or within a reasonable time after  
30 the effective date of this act for those persons incarcerated prior to  
31 the effective date of this act who have not yet had a blood sample  
32 drawn, beginning with those persons who will be released the soonest.  
33 For persons convicted of such offenses or adjudicated guilty of an  
34 equivalent juvenile offense, who are serving or who are to serve a term  
35 of confinement in a department of corrections facility or a division of

1 juvenile rehabilitation facility, the facility holding the person shall  
2 be responsible for obtaining blood samples (~~(prior to release from)~~)  
3 either as part of the intake process into such facility for those  
4 persons convicted on or after the effective date of this act, or within  
5 a reasonable time after the effective date of this act for those  
6 persons incarcerated prior to the effective date of this act who have  
7 not yet had a blood sample drawn, beginning with those persons who will  
8 be released the soonest. Any blood sample taken pursuant to RCW  
9 43.43.752 through 43.43.758 shall be used solely for the purpose of  
10 providing DNA or other blood grouping tests for identification analysis  
11 and prosecution of a sex offense or a violent offense.

12 This section applies to all adults who are convicted after July 1,  
13 1990; and to all adults who were convicted on or prior to July 1, 1990,  
14 and who are still incarcerated on or after the effective date of this  
15 act. This section applies to all juveniles who are adjudicated guilty  
16 after July 1, 1994; and to all juveniles who were adjudicated guilty on  
17 or prior to July 1, 1994, and who are still incarcerated on or after  
18 the effective date of this act.

19 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** If any provision of this act or its  
20 application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the  
21 remainder of the act or the application of the provision to other  
22 persons or circumstances is not affected."

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26 On page 1, line 1 of the title, after "identification;" strike the  
27 remainder of the title and insert "amending RCW 43.43.754; and creating  
28 a new section."

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