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5 On page 4, beginning on line 31, strike everything through  
6 "engineering." on line 33

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10 On page 5, line 23, after "requirements" strike everything through  
11 "act"

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15 On page 6, beginning on line 24, strike all of section 305

16 Renumber the sections following consecutively, correct internal  
17 references accordingly, and correct the title.

18 On page 7, after line 4, insert the following:

19 "**Sec. 307.** RCW 39.12.015 and 1965 ex.s. c 133 s 2 are each amended  
20 to read as follows:

21 (1) All determinations of the prevailing rate of wage shall be made  
22 by the industrial statistician of the department of labor and  
23 industries. By January 1, 2003, the industrial statistician shall  
24 determine the prevailing rate of wage using a stratified random  
25 sampling method.

26 (2)(a) A stratified random sampling method must be used to the  
27 broadest extent possible.

28 (b) If it is determined by the industrial statistician, in  
29 consultation with the prevailing wage advisory committee established in

1 subsection (4) of this section, that sample size, strata size, or other  
2 factors do not permit the effective use of a stratified random sampling  
3 method, an equally reliable statistical method may be used.

4 (3) In order to ensure a fair and scientifically accurate  
5 stratified random sampling survey, the industrial statistician shall  
6 consult with the prevailing wage advisory committee established in  
7 subsection (4) of this section regarding the necessary scientific  
8 methods, implementation parameters, and resource allocations.

9 (4) The director shall appoint a prevailing wage advisory committee  
10 composed of eleven members: Four members representing subject workers,  
11 each of whom must be appointed from a list of names submitted by a  
12 recognized statewide organization of employees, representing a majority  
13 of employees in a cross-section of state industries; four members  
14 representing subject employers, each of whom must be appointed from a  
15 list of names submitted by a recognized statewide organization of  
16 employers, representing a majority of employers in a cross-section of  
17 state industries; and three ex officio members, without a vote, two of  
18 whom will represent the counties, and the other representing the  
19 department. The member representing the department shall serve as  
20 chairperson. Labor, business, and county representatives must include  
21 representatives from both large and small entities. The committee  
22 shall, as necessary, report to the legislative committees dealing with  
23 commerce and labor regarding the implementation of this section.

24 (5) Subsections (2), (3), and (4) of this section expire December  
25 31, 2003."

26 Renumber the sections following consecutively, correct internal  
27 references accordingly, and correct the title.

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31 On page 8, beginning on line 11, strike all of section 309

32 Renumber the sections following consecutively, correct internal  
33 references accordingly, and correct the title.

EFFECT: Deletes sections requiring the department of labor and industries to conduct an assessment of current practices relating to prevailing wages and deletes null and void section on prevailing wage provisions. Adopts language directing the industrial statistician to use stratified random sampling method to determine the prevailing wage rate.

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