

1 **ESSB 6153** - H AMD TO H AMD(H-2783.1/01) **322 FAILED 6/15/01**  
2 By Representative \_\_\_\_

3 On page 2, line 30, increase the general fund-state appropriation  
4 for fiscal year 2002 by \$25,000.

5 Correct the total accordingly.

6 On page 6, after line 5, insert the following: "(10) \$25,000 of  
7 the general fund-state appropriation for fiscal year 2002 is provided  
8 solely for a feasibility study of determining best financial management  
9 practices for school districts in Washington. The committee shall  
10 conduct this feasibility study in consultation with the appropriate  
11 committees of the legislature, the office of financial management, the  
12 office of the superintendent of public instruction, the state board of  
13 education, educational service districts, and other appropriate state  
14 educational and community organizations. The study shall include, but  
15 not be limited to: (a) the identification and evaluation of systems of  
16 best financial management practices in other states, including their  
17 costs and realized benefits of implementation and (b) the review and  
18 evaluation of existing efforts in school districts in Washington to  
19 design, implement and improve systems of best financial management  
20 practices. The committee may contract for consulting services in  
21 conducting this feasibility study. The study shall be submitted to the  
22 appropriate committees of the legislature by January 2, 2002."

**EFFECT:** Directs the Joint Legislative Audit and Review Committee to conduct a feasibility study on determining best financial management practices for school districts.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Increases General Fund-State by \$25,000.