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By Representatives H. Sommers, Sehlin, Clements, Conway and Kenney; by request of Liquor Control Board

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1 AN ACT Relating to payment of agency commissions for agency liquor
2 vendor stores; and amending RCW 66.08.026.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 66.08.026 and 1998 c 265 s 2 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 All administrative expenses of the board incurred on and after
7 April 1, 1963 shall be appropriated and paid from the liquor revolving
8 fund. These administrative expenses shall include, but not be limited
9 to: The salaries and expenses of the board and its employees, the cost
10 of establishing, leasing, maintaining, and operating state liquor
11 stores and warehouses, legal services, pilot projects, annual or other
12 audits, and other general costs of conducting the business of the
13 board, and the costs of supplying, installing, and maintaining
14 equipment used in state liquor stores and agency liquor vendor stores
15 for the purchase of liquor by nonlicensees using debit or credit cards.
16 The administrative expenses shall not, however, be deemed to include
17 costs of liquor and lottery tickets purchased, the cost of
18 transportation and delivery to the point of distribution, other costs
19 pertaining to the acquisition and receipt of liquor and lottery

1 tickets, packaging and repackaging of liquor, agency commissions for
2 agency liquor vendor stores, transaction fees associated with credit or
3 debit card purchases for liquor in state liquor stores and in the
4 stores of agency liquor vendors pursuant to RCW 66.16.040 and
5 66.16.041, sales tax, and those amounts distributed pursuant to RCW
6 66.08.180, 66.08.190, 66.08.200, 66.08.210 and 66.08.220. Agency
7 commissions for agency liquor vendor stores shall be established by the
8 liquor control board after consultation with the director of the office
9 of financial management.

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