

1 **HB 1548** - H COMM AMD
2 By Committee on Commerce & Labor

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6 section 17 of this act-

7 On page 3, beginning on line 16, after in the- strike
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10 section 17 of this act-

11 On page 12, after line 29, insert the following:

12 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 17.** A new section is added to chapter
13 49.46 RCW to read as follows:

14 The employment standards enforcement account is created in the
15 state treasury. All receipts from civil penalties assessed under
16 this chapter and chapter 49.48 RCW must be deposited in the
17 account. Moneys in the account may be spent only after
18 appropriation. Expenditures from the account may be used only for
19 the employment standards program administered by the department of
20 labor and industries.-

EFFECT: Creates the employment standards enforcement account;
requires that civil penalties for wage payment violations be
deposited in this account instead of the supplemental pension
fund; and requires that expenditures from this account be used
only for the Department of Labor and Industries' employment
standards program.