

1 **SHB 2147 - H AMD 0136 WITHDRAWN 3-17-03**  
2 By Representative Talcott

3 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the  
4 following:

5 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter  
6 28A.235 RCW to read as follows:

7 By July 1, 2004, each school district shall adopt, or amend if  
8 necessary, a policy for protecting children in preschool through  
9 sixth grade who assist in elementary school kitchens. The policy  
10 shall include, but need not be limited to, a permission slip to be  
11 signed and returned to the appropriate food service management,  
12 guidelines for exposure to hazardous equipment, requirements for  
13 reporting injuries, and a list of appropriate kitchen activities  
14 and duties that may be assigned to a child assisting or working in  
15 an elementary school kitchen. The policy may be integrated into  
16 each elementary school's comprehensive safe school plan."

**EFFECT:** Requires each school district to adopt or amend if  
necessary a policy for protecting children who help in  
elementary school kitchens. Describes the components of the  
policy and permits the district to integrate the policy into  
each elementary school's safe school plan.