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By Representatives Linville, Schoesler, Kenney, McDonald, Hunt, Simpson, G., Haigh, Shabro, Morrell, Clibborn, Newhouse, Clements, Hudgins and Benson; by request of Department of Agriculture

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1 AN ACT Relating to animal identification systems; and adding a new
2 section to chapter 16.57 RCW.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 16.57 RCW
5 to read as follows:

6 The director may adopt rules to establish a system of animal
7 identification to support the agriculture industry in meeting federal
8 requirements. The director may cooperate with and enter into
9 agreements with other states and agencies of federal government to
10 carry out such a system and to promote consistency of regulation.

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