
SENATE BILL 5797

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By Senators Parlette and Brandland

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1 AN ACT Relating to the timing of the inspection of adult family
2 homes; and amending RCW 70.128.070.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 70.128.070 and 1998 c 272 s 4 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 (1) A license shall remain valid unless voluntarily surrendered,
7 suspended, or revoked in accordance with this chapter.

8 (2)(a) Homes applying for a license shall be inspected at the time
9 of licensure.

10 (b) Homes licensed by the department shall be inspected at least
11 every ((eighteen)) twenty-four months, subject to available funds.

12 (c) The department may make an unannounced inspection of a licensed
13 home at any time to assure that the home and provider are in compliance
14 with this chapter and the rules adopted under this chapter.

15 (3) If the department finds that the home is not in compliance with
16 this chapter, it shall require the home to correct any violations as
17 provided in this chapter.

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