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By Representatives P. Sullivan, Walsh, Simpson, Green, Buri, Kessler, Haler, Morrell, McCoy, Williams, Linville, Hasegawa, Roberts, Sells, McDermott, Chase and Ormsby

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1 AN ACT Relating to active duty members of the national guard;  
2 adding a new section to chapter 38.40 RCW; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 38.40 RCW  
5 to read as follows:

6 Every member of the national guard called into active duty shall be  
7 issued a life insurance policy with a benefit of two hundred fifty  
8 thousand dollars. The premium for the policy shall be paid out of the  
9 general fund of Washington for the period of time that the member of  
10 the national guard is on active duty.

11 Under this section, "active duty" means active state service,  
12 active training duty, and federal service.

13 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** This act is necessary for the immediate  
14 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the  
15 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect  
16 immediately.

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