

**SHB 2824 - H AMD 1294**

By Representative Seaquist

NOT CONSIDERED 03/11/2010

1           On page 231, beginning on line 15, strike all of subsection (10)  
2 and insert the following:  
3           "(10) The legislature notes that the department of early learning  
4 is developing a plan for improving child care licensing and is  
5 consulting, as practicable, with parents, licensed child care  
6 providers, and stakeholders from the child care community. The plan  
7 shall outline the processes and specify the resources necessary for  
8 improvements such as continuing licenses, child care licensing  
9 technology, and weighted child care regulations, including development  
10 of risk-based decision making models and inclusive, evidence-based rule  
11 making. The department shall submit to the appropriate committees of  
12 the legislature a plan by January 15, 2011."

EFFECT: Clarifies that the plan required from the Department of Early Learning must identify the processes and resources needed for licensing improvements, but does not require implementation of improvements for which funding has not been provided.

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