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By Representative Klippert

1 On page 46, after line 21, insert the following:

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3 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 18. A new section is added to chapter 7.68  
4 RCW to read as follows:

5 The department's crime victims' compensation program must  
6 distribute emergency financial assistance to victims of property  
7 crimes. Emergency financial assistance for victims of property  
8 crimes may be used to restore the immediate health, safety, or self-  
9 sufficiency of the victim. Assistance may include impound fees,  
10 insurance deductibles, or replacing broken doors, windshields, or  
11 other property damage directly related to the property crime and  
12 that directly impacts a victim's immediate safety, health, or  
13 livelihood. Benefits per victim shall not exceed one thousand  
14 dollars in emergency financial assistance per fiscal year."

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16 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct any  
17 internal references according.

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19 Correct the title.

EFFECT: Requires the Department of Labor and Industries to  
distribute emergency financial assistance to property crime victims.

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