

SHB 2376 - H AMD 840

By Representative Taylor

1 On page 298, after line 28, insert the following:

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3 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 922. A new section is added to chapter 43.88
4 RCW to read as follows:

5 (1) On or before November 1, 2016, each state agency shall submit
6 a written report to the speaker and minority leader of the Washington
7 house of representatives, the majority and minority leaders of the
8 Washington senate, and the governor, providing a comprehensive,
9 detailed description of every agreement between the agency and the
10 federal government. At minimum, the report must contain the following
11 information:

12 (a) The type of agreement, including a comprehensive description
13 of its contents;

14 (b) The purposes, goals, and public benefits to be derived from
15 the agreement;

16 (c) A detailed description, including the dollar amounts, of any
17 grants, funds, revenues, or fiscal impacts likely to result from the
18 agreement;

19 (d) The identification of the specific statute, rule, or
20 constitutional provision providing the legal basis for the agreement;

21 (e) The identification of the specific agencies, both state and
22 federal, entering into the agreement; and

23 (f) The identification of every state officer, employee, or other
24 state agent participating in the creation, negotiation, or approval of
25 the agreement.

26 (2) The definitions in this subsection apply throughout this
27 section.

1 (a) "Agency" means and includes every state office, officer, and
2 employee, and every institution, department, board, and commission.

3 (b) "Agreement" means any contract, agreement, memorandum of
4 understanding, or other arrangement between a state agency and the
5 federal government that requires an agency or other state governmental
6 entity to take action or otherwise expend state resources in order to
7 comply with the terms of the agreement.

8 (3) This section applies to all agreements in effect as of the
9 effective date of this section and to all agreements entered into or
10 renewed on or after July 1, 2016."

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12 Renumber remaining sections consecutively and correct internal
13 references accordingly.

14 Correct the title.

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EFFECT: By November 1, 2016, requires state agencies to submit
a report to the Governor and legislative leadership on agencies'
agreements with the federal government.

FISCAL IMPACT: No net change to appropriated levels.

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