

2SHB 1131 - H AMD 315

By Representative Berry

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1 On page 29, line 5, after "(ii)" strike "How reimbursements will
2 be distributed" and insert "How and when reimbursements for curbside
3 collection services will be remitted to government entities on a
4 schedule conforming to payment schedules established in contracts
5 with government entities for curbside collection or recycling
6 processing services;

7 (iii) How and when payments for curbside collection services will
8 be remitted to solid waste collection companies regulated by the
9 utilities and transportation commission, consistent with section 407
10 of this act"

11 Renumber the remaining subsections consecutively and correct any
12 internal references accordingly.

13 On page 42, line 36, after "COMMISSION." insert "(1)"

14 On page 43, line 3, after "certificate" strike "to provide the
15 service" and insert "for each residential customer to whom service is
16 provided. The rate of reimbursement must be"

17 On page 43, line 4, after "commission" insert "and in accordance
18 with rules for solid waste collection company reimbursement
19 established by the commission as described in section 407 of this
20 act"

21 On page 43, line 6, after "service." insert the following:
22 "(2)"

23 On page 43, at the beginning of line 9, strike "(1)" and insert
24 "(a)"

25 On page 43, at the beginning of line 13, strike "(2)" and insert
26 "(b)"

1 On page 43, at the beginning of line 15, strike "(3)" and insert
2 "(c)"

3 On page 43, at the beginning of line 18, strike "(4)" and insert
4 "(d)"

5 On page 43, after line 19, insert the following:
6 "(3) A solid waste collection company may include text on service
7 bills indicating that recycling services are being provided at no
8 charge to the customer."

9 On page 129, after line 27, insert the following:

10 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 407.** A new section is added to chapter 81.77
11 RCW to read as follows:

12 (1) The commission shall adopt rules to establish schedules for
13 payments from producer responsibility organizations formed under
14 chapter 70A.--- RCW (the new chapter created in section 601 of this
15 act) to solid waste collection companies for full cost recovery and
16 reimbursement mechanisms for residential recycling customers.

17 (2)(a) For solid waste collection company payment schedules, the
18 commission shall adopt rules to ensure that solid waste collection
19 companies maintain:

20 (i) Financial solvency; and

21 (ii) Ordinary cash flow.

22 (b) Under the rules adopted by the commission, payment schedules
23 must be consistent with:

24 (i) Any tariffs approved by the commission;

25 (ii) Payment schedules included in comprehensive solid waste
26 management plans prepared under RCW 70A.205.045;

27 (iii) Local service level ordinances; and

28 (iv) Other factors determined by the commission to be necessary
29 and in the public interest."

30 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively, correct any
31 internal references accordingly, and correct the title.

EFFECT: Requires the utilities and transportation commission to adopt rules to establish schedules for the payments from producer responsibility organizations to solid waste collection companies, and requires that the payment schedules meet specified criteria. Requires payment schedules for payments to solid waste collection companies and local governments to be described in a producer responsibility

organization's plan. Authorizes solid waste collection companies to include text on service bills indicating that recycling services are being provided at no charge to the customer.

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