
HOUSE BILL 2765

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1 AN ACT Relating to developing strategies to improve the energy
2 efficiency of existing homes; and creating a new section.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** The legislature finds that Washington's
5 homeowners and utilities support voluntary and cost-effective measures
6 that improve the energy efficiency of existing homes. The legislature
7 also finds that energy audits and energy performance scoring methods
8 are available to assist homeowners in making informed decisions on
9 energy efficiency upgrades, and that Washington's local governments and
10 utilities are leaders in initiating pilot projects to use energy audits
11 and other strategies to improve the energy efficiency of existing
12 homes. The legislature also finds that state and local programs on
13 energy efficiency should be compatible with pending federal energy
14 legislation. It is the intent of the legislature to determine
15 appropriate strategies to improve the energy efficiency of existing
16 homes.

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