

SHB 1367 - H AMD 331

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1 On page 6, beginning on line 3, strike all of sections 8 through
2 10 and insert the following:

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4 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 8. A new section is added to chapter 81.72
5 RCW to read as follows:

6 (1) Any city, town, county, or port district setting the rates
7 charged for taxicab services under this chapter must consider
8 adjusting the rates to offset any increased cost to any taxicab
9 transportation business from mandatory industrial or other insurance
10 coverage.

11 (2) Any business that as owner leases a taxicab licensed under
12 this chapter to a for hire operator must make a reasonable effort to
13 train the for hire operator in motor vehicle operation and safety
14 requirements and monitor operator compliance. Monitoring operator
15 compliance may include the use of vehicle operator monitoring
16 cameras."

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18 Renumber the remaining section consecutively and correct any
19 internal references accordingly.

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21 Correct the title.

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EFFECT: (1) Changes the provision regarding local jurisdiction
adjustment of rates to offset insurance costs from a requirement to
adjust rates to a requirement to consider adjusting rates.

(2) Provides that an owner of a taxicab licensed by a local
jurisdiction that leases the taxicab must make a reasonable effort
to train the operator in motor vehicle operation and safety

requirements and to monitor compliance. Provides that monitoring compliance may include operator monitoring cameras.

(3) Strikes provisions limiting local jurisdiction taxicab rate-setting authority to consumer rates.

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