

P2SHB 1827 (H-2604.1/22) - H COMM AMD
By Committee on Appropriations

1 On page 2, line 23, after "services;" strike "and"

2 On page 2, line 26, after "Washington" insert "; and"

3 (e) Supporting the liquor and cannabis board in conducting a
4 study to determine if the statewide limit of retail outlets on the
5 effective date of this section is sufficient to meet the consumption
6 rate and population of the state as well as the legislature's social
7 equity goals"

8 On page 11, after line 17, insert the following:

9 **"Sec. 6.** RCW 69.50.354 and 2015 c 70 s 9 are each amended to
10 read as follows:

11 ((There)) (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this
12 section, there may be licensed, in no greater number in each of the
13 counties of the state than as the ((state liquor and cannabis)) board
14 shall deem advisable, retail outlets established for the purpose of
15 making marijuana concentrates, useable marijuana, and marijuana-
16 infused products available for sale to adults aged twenty-one and
17 over. Retail sale of marijuana concentrates, useable marijuana, and
18 marijuana-infused products in accordance with the provisions of this
19 chapter and the rules adopted to implement and enforce it, by a
20 validly licensed marijuana retailer or retail outlet employee, shall
21 not be a criminal or civil offense under Washington state law.

22 (2) If the board determines that an increase in the number of
23 retail outlet licenses in existence on January 1, 2020, is necessary,
24 the board must submit its recommendation to the legislature for
25 approval by the legislature."

26 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively, correct any
27 internal references accordingly, and correct the title.

EFFECT: Allows money from the Community Reinvestment Account to
be used for supporting the Liquor and Cannabis Board in conducting a

study to determine if the statewide limit of retail outlets on the effective date of section 2 is sufficient to meet the consumption rate and population of the state as well as the Legislature's social equity goals. Requires the Liquor and Cannabis Board, if it determines that an increase in the number of retail outlet licenses in existence on January 1, 2020, is necessary, to submit its recommendation to the Legislature for its approval.

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