

HB 2521 - H AMD 1979

By Representative Couture

1 On page 3, beginning on line 3, after "transfers" strike ". The
2 fee must be set to an amount reasonably calculated to cover the direct
3 and indirect costs to the Washington state patrol incurred in
4 administering the firearm background check program. ((The fee must be
5 set to an amount necessary to cover the annual costs of operating and
6 maintaining the firearm background check system but shall not exceed
7 eighteen dollars.))" and insert ". The fee must be set to an amount
8 necessary to cover the annual costs of operating and maintaining the
9 firearm background check system by shall not exceed ((eighteen)
10 thirty-three dollars."

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12 On page 5, beginning on line 31, after "transfers" strike ". The
13 fee must be set to an amount reasonably calculated to cover the direct
14 and indirect costs to the Washington state patrol incurred in
15 administering the firearm background check program. ((The fee must be
16 set to an amount necessary to cover the annual costs of operating and
17 maintaining the firearm background check system but shall not exceed
18 eighteen dollars.))" and insert ". The fee must be set to an amount
19 necessary to cover the annual costs of operating and maintaining the
20 firearm background check system by shall not exceed ((eighteen)
21 thirty-three dollars."

EFFECT: Removes language allowing the Washington State Patrol to calculate the fee for the background check based on direct and indirect costs of administering the program and changes the cap from eighteen dollars to thirty-three dollars.

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