Suggested amendment to EHB 1788

1. In Section 3, strike subsection (1), which current repeals RCW 2.48.010 and 1933 c 94 s 2. Re-number the remaining subsections of Section 3 accordingly.

2. Add a new amendatory section as follows:

RCW 2.48.010 and 1933 c 94 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:

There is hereby created as an agency of the state within the judicial branch, ((for the purpose and with the powers hereinafter set forth,)) an association to be known as the Washington State Bar Association or known by whatever name the Washington state supreme court may hereafter designate. The Washington state supreme court may provide for the powers, governance and operation of the association, the practice of law and the administration of justice. ((hereinafter designated as the state bar,)) The court may provide that the ((which)) association have a common seal and may sue and be sued, and ((which)) may, for the purpose of carrying into effect and promoting the objects of ((said)) the association, enter into contracts and acquire, hold, encumber and dispose of such real and personal property as is necessary thereto.
Attached please find the suggested amendments to EHB 1788 that I referenced on Friday that the Exec Team and I have been considering.

Below is also PJ's suggested language.

If there is any further information I can provide, please let me know.

Thanks,
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