

supply of certified home care aides to meet diverse long-term care client needs.

(25) The department of health must establish and perform, within existing funds, a formal review process of its existing rules. The goal of the review is to decrease the numbers of, simplify the process, and decrease the time required for obtaining licenses, permits, and inspections, as applicable, in order to reduce the regulatory burden on businesses without compromising public health and safety. Benchmarks must be adopted to assess the effectiveness of streamlining efforts. The department must establish a process for effectively applying sunset provisions to rules when applicable. The department must report to the applicable committees of the legislature with its review process and benchmarks by January 2014.

**Sec. 219 was partially vetoed. See message at end of chapter.*

NEW SECTION. **Sec. 220. FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS**

(1) ADMINISTRATION AND SUPPORT SERVICES

General Fund--State Appropriation (FY 2014)	\$56,437,000
General Fund--State Appropriation (FY 2015)	\$54,779,000
Data Processing Revolving Account--State	
Appropriation	\$1,249,000
TOTAL APPROPRIATION	\$112,465,000

The appropriations in this subsection are subject to the following conditions and limitations:

(a) \$35,000 of the general fund--state appropriation for fiscal year 2014 and \$35,000 of the general fund--state appropriation for fiscal year 2015 are provided solely for the support of a statewide council on mentally ill offenders that includes as its members representatives of community-based mental health treatment programs, current or former judicial officers, and directors and commanders of city and county jails and state prison facilities. The council will investigate and promote cost-effective approaches to meeting the long-term needs of adults and juveniles with mental disorders who have a history of offending or who are at-risk of offending, including their mental health, physiological, housing, employment, and job training needs.

(b) \$150,000 of the general fund--state appropriation for fiscal year 2014 and \$75,000 of the general fund--state appropriation for fiscal year 2015 are provided solely for the department to contract

1 with a consultant who can facilitate and provide project expertise on
2 the implementation of community and prison based offender programming
3 that follows the risk-needs-responsivity model.

4 (i) By September 1, 2013, the department shall provide to the
5 consultant an inventory of all existing programming both in prisons and
6 in community operations. The department shall consult with the
7 Washington state institute for public policy (WSIPP) to determine
8 whether programs are evidence-based or research-based using definitions
9 provided by WSIPP and shall include this information on the inventory.

10 (ii) By October 1, 2013, the consultant shall report to the
11 department, the office of financial management, and legislative fiscal
12 committees on the department's current plans and processes for managing
13 offender programming including processes for phasing-out ineffective
14 programs and implementing evidence-based or research-based programs.
15 All department programs should be considered by the consultant
16 regardless of whether they are included on the most recent list of
17 WSIPP approved identifiable evidence-based practices in (b)(i) of this
18 subsection.

19 (iii) The WSIPP, in consultation with the department, shall
20 systematically review selected programs to determine the effectiveness
21 of these programs at reducing recidivism or other outcomes. The WSIPP
22 shall conduct a benefit-cost analysis of these programs when feasible
23 and shall report to the legislature by December 1, 2013.

24 (iv) Based on the report provided by the consultant and the WSIPP
25 review of programs, the department shall work collaboratively with the
26 consultant to develop and complete a written comprehensive
27 implementation plan by January 15, 2014. The implementation plan must
28 clearly identify the types of programs to be included, the recommended
29 locations where the programs will be sited, an implementation timeline,
30 and a phasing of the projected number of participants needed to meet
31 the threshold of available program funds.

32 (v) Using the written implementation plan as a guide, the
33 department must have programs in place and fully phased-in no later
34 than June 30, 2015.

35 (vi) The department shall hold the consultant on retainer to assist
36 the department as needed throughout the implementation process. The
37 consultant shall review quarterly the actual implementation compared to
38 the written implementation plan and shall provide a report to the