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**SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1490**

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**State of Washington                      56th Legislature                      1999 Regular Session**

**By** House Committee on Natural Resources (originally sponsored by Representatives Hatfield, Doumit, Buck and Kessler)

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1            AN ACT Relating to the delivery of salmon into the ports of the  
2 state; and adding a new section to chapter 75.28 RCW.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 75.28 RCW  
5 to read as follows:

6            (1) The legislature finds that landing salmon into the ports of  
7 Washington state, regardless of where such salmon have been harvested,  
8 is economically beneficial to those ports as well as to the citizens of  
9 the state of Washington. It is therefore the intent of the legislature  
10 to encourage this practice.

11            (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of RCW 75.28.010(1)(b) and  
12 75.28.113, a Washington citizen who holds a valid Oregon or California  
13 salmon troll license may land salmon taken during lawful seasons in  
14 Oregon and California into Washington ports without obtaining a salmon  
15 delivery license. This exception is valid only when the salmon were  
16 taken in offshore waters south of Cape Falcon.

1       (3) The department shall adopt rules necessary to implement this  
2 section, including rules identifying the appropriate methods for  
3 verifying that salmon were in fact taken south of Cape Falcon.

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