

**2SSB 5769** - S AMD TO S AMD (S-2118.3/11) **188**

By Senators Honeyford, Swecker, Rockefeller

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1 On page 24, after line 27 of the amendment, insert the following:

2 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 308.** A new section is added to chapter 80.70  
3 RCW to read as follows:

4 An applicant for a natural gas-fired generation plant to be  
5 constructed in a county with a coal-fired electric generation facility  
6 subject to RCW 80.80.040(3)(c) is exempt from this chapter if the  
7 application is filed before December 31, 2025."

8 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct any  
9 internal references accordingly.

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10 On page 25, line 6 of the title amendment, after "80.04 RCW;"  
11 insert "adding a new section to chapter 80.70 RCW;"

EFFECT: Exempts the following from the carbon dioxide mitigation requirements for new fossil-fueled electric generating facilities: A natural gas-fired generation plant to be built in the same county where a coal-fired electric generation facility is subject to the new emissions performance standards created in this bill.

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