
ENGROSSED SENATE BILL 5704

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By Senators Owen and Metcalf.

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Environment & Natural Resources.

1 AN ACT Relating to flood control planning; and amending RCW
2 86.16.025.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 86.16.025 and 1989 c 64 s 2 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 With respect to such features as may affect flood conditions, the
7 department shall have authority to examine, approve or reject designs
8 and plans for any structure or works, public or private, to be erected
9 or built or to be reconstructed or modified upon the banks or in or
10 over the channel or over and across the floodway of any stream or body
11 of water in this state. If a county, or an incorporated city or town,
12 within which a floodplain exists, fails to adopt by October 31, 1991,
13 a flood plain management ordinance that meets the minimum requirements
14 of the national flood insurance program, the department shall adopt by
15 rule a flood plain management ordinance for that entity that meets the

1 minimum federal requirements.