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Brief Description: Requiring the department of ecology to establish a comprehensive sludge management program.

**HB 2640 - DIGEST**

(SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE 1ST SUB)

Requires the department to implement a comprehensive sludge management program.

Provides that local governments may prohibit, on a permit-by-permit basis only, the use or disposal of sewage sludge that meets standards established by the act.

Requires agencies and private entities to establish beneficial uses for municipal sewage sludge.