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Sponsor(s): Senators Metcalf, Murray and Conner

Brief Description: Increasing the procurement of recycled products.

**SB 5143 - DIGEST**

(SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE 2ND SUB)

Requires the department of general administration to adopt standards that specify the minimum content of recycled materials in products.

Directs all public agencies to review their procurement policies to determine whether recycled products are excluded.

Establishes procedures to provide for the preferential purchase of recycled content products.

Directs the department to implement an education program to encourage maximum procurement of recycled products.

Creates a sewage sludge task force.

Requires a study of the state building code to encourage greater use of recycled building materials.

Repeals RCW 43.19.537.