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Sponsor(s): Senators Talmadge, Snyder, Moore, Niemi and Pelz

Brief Description: Retaining professional baseball in Seattle.

SB 6165 - DIGEST

Directs the governor to form a public nonprofit corporation to enter into a limited partnership for the acquisition of a professional sports franchise in King county.

Authorizes the state finance committee to issue general obligation bonds in the sum of one hundred million dollars to acquire the franchise.

Imposes a special excise tax on the furnishing of lodging in King county to pay off the bonds.