

SENATE BILL REPORT

SB 5960

AS OF FEBRUARY 2, 1994

**Brief Description:** Allowing building owners to prohibit smoking in private enclosed work places within public places.

**SPONSORS:** Senator West

**SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES**

**Staff:** Richard Rodger (786-7461)

**Hearing Dates:** February 3, 1994

**BACKGROUND:**

The Washington Clean Indoor Air Act does not give specific authority to the owners of buildings to regulate smoking within the private enclosed workspaces. It has been suggested that the building owners should have the specific authority to regulate smoking within their buildings.

**SUMMARY:**

The owner of a building may regulate smoking in the private enclosed work spaces within his or her building.

**Appropriation:** none

**Revenue:** none

**Fiscal Note:** none requested