

5179-S

Sponsor(s): Senate Committee on Ecology & Parks (originally sponsored by Senators Owen, Barr, Fraser, Rinehart and Sutherland)

Brief Description: Promoting vessel safety.

SB 5179-S - DIGEST

(DIGEST AS ENACTED)

Requires vessels equipped with a propane cooking or heating system to have a sensor and warning device capable of sensing vapors below the threshold which presents a danger of explosion.

Provides for the adoption of rules excluding open-air vessels from the requirement.

Requests the Coast Guard to adopt rules for the installation of the warning devices.

Provides penalties for violations of the act.