

1 **E2SSB 5633** - H AMD TO H AMD (H-2977.2)755 WITHDRAWN 4/12/95

2 By Representatives Talcott, Cairnes and Sheldon

3 On page 13, after line 25 insert the following:

4 "**NEW SECTION. Sec. 13.** A new section is added to chapter
5 90.48 RCW to read as follows:

6 The director shall issue water quality modification permits
7 to licensed applicators for the purpose of using herbicides
8 approved under federal pesticide control laws for controlling
9 elodea, pond weed, and algae on Lake Steilacoom. The issuance of
10 the permits shall be subject only to compliance with: federal and
11 state pesticide label requirements; the requirements of the
12 federal insecticide, fungicide, and rodenticide act; the
13 Washington pesticide control act; and the Washington pesticide
14 application act. The use of surfactants authorized for use with a
15 pesticide as part of a state or federal label for the pesticide
16 is regulated by the label and may not be further limited by the
17 permit.

18 The director of ecology may not use this permit authority to
19 otherwise condition or burden control efforts for these plants.
20 The director's authority to issue water quality modification
21 permits for activities other than the application of surfactants
22 and approved herbicides to control elodea, pond weed, and algae
23 is unaffected by this section."

24 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct
25 internal references accordingly.

26 On page 14, line 10 of the title amendment, strike "a new
27 section" and insert "new sections"

EFFECT: Grants elodea, pond weed, and algae control on Lake Steilacoom a water quality modification permit under certain conditions.

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