

1 **2SHB 2091** - H AMD

2 By Representative Sump

3 On page 1, line 9, after follows:- strike everything through RCW
4 76.09.020.- on page 3, line 18, and insert:

5 The legislature finds that the forests and fish report as defined
6 in RCW 76.09.020: (a) provides direction to the forest practices board,
7 the department of natural resources, and the department of ecology with
8 respect to the adoption, implementation, and enforcement of rules
9 relating to forest practices and the protection of aquatic resources;
10 (b) suggests that some of these costs be shared with the general
11 public; and (c) provides for small landowners to have their costs
12 covered for the extraordinary economic losses attributable to the
13 revisions to the forest practices rules required by chapter . . . ,
14 Laws of 1999 (this act).

15 The legislature also requests that the federal government equally,
16 fairly and fully apply the requirements of the federal endangered
17 species act on all parties and landowners within the state of
18 Washington, including the state, local governments, federal entities
19 and federally recognized tribes.

20 Nothing in this act shall impair existing water rights.-

21 Effect: The Legislature finds that the Forests and Fish
22 Report provides direction to the Forest Practices Board, the
23 departments of Natural Resources and Ecology for the adoption of rules
24 relating to forest practices; Suggests some costs related to these new
25 rules be shared by general public; Compensates small landowners for
26 economic losses attributable to the new forest practice rules; and
27 requests federal government fully apply requirements of the federal
28 endangered species act on all parties, including the tribes.