

2 **SSB 5208** - S AMD to S AMD S-2311.1 - 171
3 By Senator McAuliffe

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5 On page 1, line 33, strike "Information regarding the levels of
6 metals in this product is available" and insert "You have the right to
7 receive specific information about the Washington State standards from
8 the distributor of this product and"

9 On page 1, line 34, after "http://www.wa.gov/agr/;" insert the
10 following:

11 "(g) At a minimum the label shall state: (i) The levels of metals
12 in the product expressed in parts per million, for the following
13 metals: lead, cadium, arsenic, cobolt, mercury, molybdenum, nickel,
14 selenium, and zinc; and (ii) the level of dioxins contained in the
15 product if the product contains any solid waste as defined in RCW
16 70.95.030, hazardous waste as defined in RCW 70.95.010, by-products or
17 co-products, resulting from an industrial process that creates or
18 releases dioxin;

19 (h) For the purposes of this section, "industrial processes that
20 create or release dioxin" means processes that use or burn chlorine or
21 chlorine compounds such as processes at pulp mills, cement kilns, waste
22 incinerators, oil refineries, and steel smelting operations;"

23 Correct any internal references accordingly.

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EFFECT: Expands the consumer's right-to-know and requires labeling which lists the levels of metals and dioxins in the product.