

ESSB 6001 - H AMD TO H AMD (H3547.1) **843**
By Representative Morris

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1 On page 6 of the amendment, line 36, after "commitments."
2 insert the following:

3 "All baseload electric generation that commences operation
4 after June 30, 2008, and is located in Washington, must comply with
5 the greenhouse gases emissions performance standard established in
6 subsection (1) of this section."

7 On page 8 of the amendment, line 13, after "plan" insert the
8 following:

9 ", for baseload electric generation that will rely on section
10 5(6) to demonstrate compliance, but that will commence
11 sequestration after the date that electricity is first produced"

12 On page 8 of the amendment, line 31, after "whether" insert
13 "sequestration or"

14 On page 8 of the amendment, line 35, after "review of" insert
15 "sequestration or"

16 On page 8 of the amendment, line 36, after "the department"
17 insert "consistent with the conditions under subsection (11)(a) of
18 this section"

19 On page 8 of the amendment, line 36, after "adequacy of" insert
20 "sequestration or"

21 On page 12 of the amendment, line 15, after "commission shall"
22 insert "consult with the department to"

1 On page 12 of the amendment, line 17, after "act." insert the
2 following:

3 "The department shall report to the commission whether baseload
4 electric generation will comply with the greenhouse gases emissions
5 performance standard for the duration of the period the baseload
6 electric generation is supplied to the electrical company."

7 On page 12 of the amendment, line 31, after "chapter" insert
8 "and after consultation with the department"

EFFECT: Requires all baseload electric generation that commences operation after June 30, 2008, and is located in Washington, to comply with the greenhouse gases emissions performance standard.

Specifies for baseload electric facilities that will rely on section 5(6) to demonstrate compliance, but will commence sequestration after the date that electricity is first produced, the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council and the Department of Ecology in adopting rules shall include criteria to be applied in evaluating the carbon sequestration plan.

Requires the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council and the Department of Ecology to determine whether sequestration or a plan for sequestration will provide safe, reliable, and permanent protection against the greenhouse gases entering the atmosphere from the power plant and all ancillary facilities.

Requires the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council's contract for review of sequestration or the carbon sequestration plan with the Department of Ecology to be consistent with the conditions in subsection (11)(a) of this section.

Requires the Utilities and Transportation Commission to consult with the Department of Ecology to apply the procedures adopted by the Department of Ecology to verify the emissions of greenhouse gases from baseload electric generation.

Requires the Department of Ecology to report to the Utilities and Transportation Commission whether baseload electric generation will comply with the greenhouse gases emissions performance standard for the duration of the period the baseload electric generation is supplied to the electrical company.

Requires the governing board of a consumer owned utility to consult with the Department of Ecology before making a determination on any long-term financial commitment by the utility.