
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 3132

State of Washington 61st Legislature 2010 Regular Session

By House General Government Appropriations (originally sponsored by Representative Van De Wege)

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1 AN ACT Relating to eliminating the Columbia River Gorge Compact;
2 creating a new section; and repealing RCW 43.97.015, 43.97.025,
3 43.97.035, 35.22.700, 35.63.150, 35A.63.200, 36.32.550, 36.70.980, and
4 90.58.600.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

6 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** It is the intent of the legislature to
7 repeal the Columbia River Gorge Compact with the Congress of the United
8 States and the state of Oregon due to the financial constraints facing
9 the state. While the legislature recognizes the importance of the
10 Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area Act, P.L. 99-963, it finds it
11 can no longer support the financial obligations under this interstate
12 compact. The legislature intends to renegotiate the compact when
13 financial circumstances improve.

14 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** The following acts or parts of acts are each
15 repealed:

16 (1) RCW 43.97.015 (Columbia River Gorge Compact--Columbia River
17 Gorge commission) and 1987 c 499 s 1;

1 (2) RCW 43.97.025 (Grant of authority--Appointment of members to
2 commission--Vacancies) and 1987 c 499 s 2;
3 (3) RCW 43.97.035 (Commission members--Compensation--Travel
4 expenses) and 1987 c 499 s 3;
5 (4) RCW 35.22.700 (Conformance with chapter 43.97 RCW required) and
6 1987 c 499 s 5;
7 (5) RCW 35.63.150 (Conformance with chapter 43.97 RCW required) and
8 1987 c 499 s 6;
9 (6) RCW 35A.63.200 (Conformance with chapter 43.97 RCW required)
10 and 1987 c 499 s 7;
11 (7) RCW 36.32.550 (Conformance with chapter 43.97 RCW required) and
12 1987 c 499 s 8;
13 (8) RCW 36.70.980 (Conformance with chapter 43.97 RCW required) and
14 1987 c 499 s 9; and
15 (9) RCW 90.58.600 (Conformance with chapter 43.97 RCW required) and
16 1987 c 499 s 10.

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