
SENATE BILL 5947

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By Senators Eide, Conway, Kohl-Welles, Rockefeller, Ranker, Shin, Nelson, White, Murray, Kline, and Chase

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1 AN ACT Relating to repealing certain tax exemptions to provide
2 funding for essential government services; creating a new section; and
3 repealing RCW 82.08.0272, 82.12.0272, 82.08.910, 82.12.910, 82.08.920,
4 and 82.12.920.

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

6 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** The legislature finds that the economic
7 crisis has impacted the many Washington families which do not earn
8 enough annually to keep pace with increasing health care, child care,
9 and work-related expenses. The legislature further finds that revenues
10 are insufficient to maintain necessary funding for education, public
11 safety, health care, and safety net services for elderly, disabled, and
12 vulnerable people during the unprecedented economic crisis in the 2011-
13 2013 fiscal biennium. Therefore, it is the intent of the legislature
14 to provide a means to stabilize revenue collections by repealing
15 certain nonessential tax exemptions.

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17 repealed:

- 1 (1) RCW 82.08.0272 (Exemptions--Sales of semen for artificial
2 insemination of livestock) and 1980 c 37 s 38;
- 3 (2) RCW 82.12.0272 (Exemptions--Use of personal property in single
4 trade shows) and 2009 c 535 s 616 & 1980 c 37 s 70;
- 5 (3) RCW 82.08.910 (Exemptions--Propane or natural gas to heat
6 chicken structures) and 2001 2nd sp.s. c 25 s 3;
- 7 (4) RCW 82.12.910 (Exemptions--Propane or natural gas to heat
8 chicken structures) and 2001 2nd sp.s. c 25 s 4;
- 9 (5) RCW 82.08.920 (Exemptions--Chicken bedding materials) and 2001
10 2nd sp.s. c 25 s 5; and
- 11 (6) RCW 82.12.920 (Exemptions--Chicken bedding materials) and 2001
12 2nd sp.s. c 25 s 6.

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