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SENATE SB 5873 SJM 8019

HOUSE HB 2139-S HB 2262 HB 2357-S HB 2660

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House Bills

HB 2139-S by House Committee on Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Representatives Cody and Hunter; by request of Department of Social and Health Services)

Concerning the establishment of new regional support network boundaries.

(AS OF HOUSE 2ND READING 3/08/12)

Addresses the department of social and health services' establishment of new regional support network boundaries.

-- 2011 2ND SPECIAL SESSION --

Dec 6 Public hearing in the House Committee on Ways & Means at 10:00 AM.

-- 2012 REGULAR SESSION --

Mar 7 WAYS - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Executive action taken in the House Committee on Ways & Means at 10:00 AM.

Mar 8 Placed on second reading. 1st substitute bill substituted. Rules suspended. Placed on Third Reading. Third reading, passed; yeas, 98; nays, 0; absent, 0; excused, 0.

-- IN THE SENATE --

Read first time, rules suspended, and placed on second reading calendar. Rules suspended. Placed on Third Reading. Third reading, passed; yeas, 49; nays, 0; absent, 0; excused, 0.

-- IN THE HOUSE --

Speaker signed.

-- IN THE SENATE --

President signed.

-- OTHER THAN LEGISLATIVE ACTION --
Delivered to Governor.

Ladenburg, Walsh, Goodman, Carlyle, Fitzgibbon, Jinkins, Roberts, Ryu, and Kenney

Regarding constraints of expenditures for WorkFirst and child care programs.

(AS OF HOUSE 2ND READING 3/08/12)

Modifies the operation of the WorkFirst program by the department of social and health services.

Requires the caseload forecast council to forecast the temporary assistance for needy families and the working connections child care programs as a courtesy.

-- 2012 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 10 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

Mar 8 Committee relieved of further consideration.

Placed on second reading.

Floor amendment(s) adopted.

Rules suspended. Placed on Third Reading.

Third reading, passed; yeas, 98; nays, 0; absent, 0; excused, 0.

-- IN THE SENATE --

Read first time, rules suspended, and placed on second reading calendar.

Floor amendment(s) adopted.

Rules suspended. Placed on Third Reading.

Third reading, passed; yeas, 49; nays, 0; absent, 0; excused, 0.

-- IN THE HOUSE --

House concurred in Senate amendments.

Passed final passage; yeas, 98; nays, 0; absent, 0; excused, 0.

Speaker signed.

-- IN THE SENATE --

President signed.

-- OTHER THAN LEGISLATIVE ACTION --

Speaker signed.

Delivered to Governor.

HB 2357-S by House Committee on Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Representatives

HB 2262 by Representatives Kagi, Hinkle, Darneille,

Darneille, Kirby, Ladenburg, Green, Jinkins, Kagi, and Tharinger)

Concerning sales and use tax for chemical dependency, mental health treatment, and therapeutic courts.

(AS OF HOUSE 2ND READING 3/08/12)

Modifies provisions relating to the sales and use tax for chemical dependency, mental health treatment, and therapeutic courts.

-- 2012 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 Public hearing in the House Committee on Ways & Means at 3:30 PM.

Mar 7 WAYS - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Minority; do not pass.

Executive action taken in the House Committee on Ways & Means at 10:00 AM.

Mar 8 Placed on second reading.

1st substitute bill substituted.

Rules suspended. Placed on Third Reading. Third reading, passed; yeas, 76; nays, 22; absent, 0; excused, 0.

-- IN THE SENATE --

Read first time, rules suspended, and placed on second reading calendar.

Rules suspended. Placed on Third Reading. Third reading, passed; yeas, 41; nays, 8; absent, 0; excused, 0.

-- IN THE HOUSE --

Speaker signed.

-- IN THE SENATE --

President signed.

-- OTHER THAN LEGISLATIVE ACTION --

Delivered to Governor.

HB 2660 by Representatives Clibborn, Ryu, Moeller, Finn, Billig, Eddy, Fitzgibbon, and Moscoso; by request of Governor Gregoire

Addressing transportation revenue.

(AS OF HOUSE 2ND READING 3/08/12)

Increases fees for abstracts of driving records, certificate of ownership, certain license plates, late penalties for title transfers, and dealer licenses.

Makes permanent, the one hundred fifty dollar fee that dealers may charge to recover certain administrative costs.

Establishes an annual license fee of one hundred dollars for electric vehicles.

Creates the public transportation grant program account.

-- 2012 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 23 First reading, referred to Transportation.

Jan 24 Public hearing in the House Committee on Transportation at 3:30 PM.

Feb 6 Executive session scheduled, but no action was taken in the House Committee on Transportation at 10:00 AM.

Feb 7 TR - Executive action taken by committee.

TR - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass.

Minority; do not pass.

Referred to Rules 2 Review.

Executive action taken in the House Committee on Transportation at 1:30 PM.

Mar 8 Rules Committee relieved of further consideration. Placed on second reading. 1st substitute bill not substituted.

Floor amendment(s) adopted.

Rules suspended. Placed on Third Reading.

Third reading, passed; yeas, 56; nays, 42; absent, 0; excused, 0.

-- IN THE SENATE --

Read first time, rules suspended, and placed on second reading calendar.

Rules suspended. Placed on Third Reading.

Third reading, passed; yeas, 30; nays, 19; absent, 0; excused, 0.

-- IN THE HOUSE --

Speaker signed.

-- IN THE SENATE --

President signed.

-- OTHER THAN LEGISLATIVE ACTION --

Speaker signed.

Delivered to Governor.

Senate Bills

SB 5873 by Senators Prentice, Parlette, Hewitt, Murray, Harper, Holmquist Newbry, Chase, Zarelli, Hobbs, King, Fain, Honeyford, Tom, Kilmer, and McAuliffe

Concerning the sales and use tax exemption for qualifying businesses of eligible server equipment. (REVISED FOR ENGROSSED: Amending the sales and use tax exemption for certain equipment used in computer data centers.)

(AS OF SENATE 2ND READING 3/08/12)

Revises the sales and use tax exemption for certain equipment used in computer data centers.

-- 2011 REGULAR SESSION --

Mar 11 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

Mar 16 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 3:30 PM.

-- 2011 1ST SPECIAL SESSION --

Apr 26 By resolution, reintroduced and retained in present status.

May 5 Executive session scheduled, but no action was taken in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 10:00 AM.

May 11 WM - Majority; do pass.

Minority; do not pass.

Minority; without recommendation.

Passed to Rules Committee for second reading.

Executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 10:30 AM.

May 12 Placed on second reading by Rules Committee.

Floor amendment(s) adopted.

Rules suspended. Placed on Third Reading.

Third reading, passed; yeas, 41; nays, 1; absent, 0; excused, 7.

-- IN THE HOUSE --

First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

- May 20 Public hearing in the House Committee on Ways & Means at 9:00 AM.
- May 23 WAYS - Majority; do pass with amendment(s).
Executive action taken in the House Committee on Ways & Means at 5:00 PM.
- May 24 Placed on second reading.
- May 25 Referred to Rules 2 Review.
By resolution, returned to Senate Rules Committee for third reading.
- 2011 2ND SPECIAL SESSION --
-- IN THE SENATE --
- Nov 28 By resolution, reintroduced and retained in present status.
- Dec 7 Senate Rules "X" file.
-- 2012 REGULAR SESSION --
- Jan 9 By resolution, reintroduced and retained in present status.
- Feb 29 Moved to Rules White Sheet.
Placed on second reading by Rules Committee.
- Mar 8 Floor amendment(s) adopted.
Rules suspended. Placed on Third Reading.
Third reading, passed; yeas, 48; nays, 1; absent, 0; excused, 0.

Senate Joint Memorials

- SJM 8019** by Senators Fraser, Regala, Rolfes, Shin, Nelson, Conway, Carrell, Swecker, Eide, Pridemore, Chase, Honeyford, Harper, and Ranker
Requesting the designation of a National Marine Heritage Area.
Requests the designation of a National Marine Heritage Area.
- 2012 REGULAR SESSION --
- Mar 8 First reading, referred to Government Operations, Tribal Relations & Elections.