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SENATE BILL 5309

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By Senators Roach, Chase, Benton, Rivers, and Kline

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1            AN ACT Relating to the use of the job order contracting procedure  
2 by certain water-sewer districts; and amending RCW 39.10.420.

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

4            **Sec. 1.** RCW 39.10.420 and 2012 c 102 s 1 are each amended to read  
5 as follows:

6            (1) The following public bodies are authorized to use the job order  
7 contracting procedure:

8            (a) The department of enterprise services;

9            (b) The state universities, regional universities, and The  
10 Evergreen State College;

11            (c) Sound transit (central Puget Sound regional transit authority);

12            (d) Every city with a population greater than seventy thousand and  
13 any public authority chartered by such city under RCW 35.21.730 through  
14 35.21.755;

15            (e) Every county with a population greater than four hundred fifty  
16 thousand;

17            (f) Every port district with total revenues greater than fifteen  
18 million dollars per year;

1 (g) Every public utility district with revenues from energy sales  
2 greater than twenty-three million dollars per year;

3 (h) Every school district; ~~((and))~~

4 (i) The state ferry system; and

5 (j) Every water-sewer district with revenues from all sources of  
6 income greater than fifteen million dollars per year.

7 (2)(a) The department of enterprise services may issue job order  
8 contract work orders for Washington state parks department projects.

9 (b) The department of enterprise services, the University of  
10 Washington, and Washington State University may issue job order  
11 contract work orders for the state regional universities and The  
12 Evergreen State College.

13 (3) Public bodies may use a job order contract for public works  
14 projects when a determination is made that the use of job order  
15 contracts will benefit the public by providing an effective means of  
16 reducing the total lead-time and cost for the construction of public  
17 works projects for repair and renovation required at public facilities  
18 through the use of unit price books and work orders by eliminating  
19 time-consuming, costly aspects of the traditional public works process,  
20 which require separate contracting actions for each small project.

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