
SENATE BILL 5747

State of Washington

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By Senators Fortunato, Hasegawa, Palumbo, and Takko

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Energy & Technology.

1 AN ACT Relating to studying the use of solid waste to produce
2 renewable energy; and creating a new section.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** (1) The legislature intends to support the
5 burning of solid waste, which is the ultimate renewable resource, to
6 produce renewable energy. By December 31, 2019, the department of
7 ecology and the utilities and transportation commission shall submit
8 a jointly prepared report to the legislature examining opportunities,
9 and making recommendations, for expanding the use of waste-to-energy
10 plants in Washington.

11 (2) The legislature intends to appropriate sufficient moneys to
12 carry out the purposes of this act.

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