

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT  
**SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6150**

Chapter 97, Laws of 1998

55th Legislature  
1998 Regular Session

SELECTIVE FISHING METHODS--EVALUATION

EFFECTIVE DATE: 6/11/98

Passed by the Senate February 12, 1998  
YEAS 48 NAYS 0

BRAD OWEN

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**President of the Senate**

Passed by the House March 5, 1998  
YEAS 97 NAYS 0

CLYDE BALLARD

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**Speaker of the  
House of Representatives**

Approved March 20, 1998

CERTIFICATE

I, Mike O Connell, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6150** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

MIKE O'CONNELL

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**Secretary**

FILED

March 20, 1998 - 5:21 p.m.

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**Governor of the State of Washington**

**Secretary of State  
State of Washington**

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Passed Legislature - 1998 Regular Session

**State of Washington                      55th Legislature                      1998 Regular Session**

**By** Senate Committee on Natural Resources & Parks (originally sponsored by Senator Swecker)

Read first time 01/28/98.

1            AN ACT Relating to evaluating selective fishing methods; and  
2 creating a new section.

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

4            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 1.** The legislature is interested in improving  
5 the selective fishing capabilities of the state's salmon fisheries. In  
6 order to better understand how this goal can be accomplished, the  
7 department of fish and wildlife shall prepare a report detailing the  
8 selective fishing capabilities of existing types of commercial and  
9 recreational salmon fishing gear and of current fishing techniques.  
10 The report shall also include information on alternative types of  
11 fishing gear and fishing techniques. The department shall seek input  
12 from commercial, recreational, and tribal fishing interests in  
13 preparing the report. The report shall be submitted to the appropriate  
14 legislative committees by December 31, 1998.

          Passed the Senate February 12, 1998.

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