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HOUSE BILL 1425

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By Representatives Linville, Mulliken, Ericksen and Scott

Read first time . Referred to Committee on .

1            AN ACT Relating to municipal water or sewer utilities; and adding  
2 new sections to chapter 35.92 RCW.

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

4            NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 35.92 RCW  
5 to read as follows:

6            A city or town contiguous with Canada may contract with a Canadian  
7 corporation for the purchase of water and for the construction,  
8 purchase, maintenance, and supply of waterworks to furnish the city or  
9 town and other areas within its water service area, and inhabitants  
10 thereof, and residents of Canada with an ample supply of water.

11           NEW SECTION.    **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 35.92 RCW  
12 to read as follows:

13           A city or town contiguous with Canada may contract with a Canadian  
14 corporation for the discharge of sewage from all or any portion of the  
15 city's or town's sewer service area into the sewer system of the  
16 Canadian corporation. A city or town contiguous with Canada may  
17 contract with a Canadian corporation for the construction, operation,  
18 or maintenance of sewers and sewage treatment and disposal facilities

1 for their joint use and benefit upon such terms and conditions and for  
2 such period of time as the contracting parties may determine, which may  
3 include vesting one of the contracting parties with the sole authority  
4 to construct, operate, or maintain the facilities with the other  
5 contracting party or parties paying an agreed-upon portion of the  
6 expenses to the party with sole authority to construct, operate, or  
7 maintain the facilities.

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