HOUSE BILL 1561

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1 AN ACT Relating to the authority of a watershed management 2 partnership to exercise powers of its forming governments; and adding 3 a new section to chapter 39.34 RCW.

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

5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 39.34 RCW 6 to read as follows:

7 A watershed management partnership formed under the authority of 8 RCW 39.34.210 that is composed entirely of public agencies authorized to exercise the power of eminent domain in the manner provided by 9 chapter 8.12 RCW, and a separate legal entity established by such a 10 11 partnership to conduct the cooperated undertaking of the partnership 12 under the same statutory authority, may also exercise the power of eminent domain as provided in chapter 8.12 RCW; provided that, the 13 authority granted shall be limited to those purposes for which the 14 15 watershed management partnership was formed.

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