

**HB 1459-S - DIGEST**

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Authorizes the department, until July 2013, to enter into a written cost-reimbursement agreement with an applicant, permit holder, or project operator to recover from the applicant, permit holder, or project operator the reasonable costs incurred by the department in carrying out the requirements of chapter 78.52 RCW, as they relate to permit coordination, environmental review, application review, technical studies in support of permit processing, or orders issued by the oil and gas supervisor and permit compliance.