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SIXTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE					
Monday, February 27, 2012					50th Day - 2012 Regular Session
SENATE	SB 5992-S	SB 6442-S	SB 6608	SB 6609	SB 6610
HOUSE	HB 2798				

This publication includes digest and history for bills, joint memorials, joint resolutions, concurrent resolutions, initiatives, and substitutes. Engrossed measures may be republished if the amendment makes a substantive change.

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House Bills

HB 2798 by Representatives Hudgins and Pedersen

Changing judicial stabilization trust account surcharges. Increases judicial stabilization trust account surcharges.

-- 2012 REGULAR SESSION --

Feb 24 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

Senate Bills

SB 5992-S by Senate Committee on Transportation (originally sponsored by Senators Haugen and King; by request of Governor Gregoire)

Making 2011-2013 supplemental transportation appropriations.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Makes 2011-2013 supplemental transportation appropriations.

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- Feb 21 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Transportation at 3:30 PM.
- Feb 22 Executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Transportation at 3:30 PM.
- Feb 23 TRAN Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass. Minority; without recommendation. Passed to Rules Committee for second reading.

SB 6442-S by Senate Committee on Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Senators Hobbs, Litzow, Keiser, Holmquist Newbry, Hatfield, Hewitt, Kastama, Schoesler, Tom, Fain, Hill, Zarelli, Hargrove, Kline, Murray, Shin, Sheldon, Fraser, Haugen, Morton, Honeyford, Benton, Carrell, Delvin, and King)

Establishing a consolidating purchasing system for public school employees.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Establishes a consolidated system for purchasing insurance benefits for school employees and their dependents.

Creates the school employees' benefits board within the state health care authority to design and approve insurance benefit plans for school employees.

Creates the school employees' insurance account, the school employees' insurance administrative account, the school employees' benefits board medical benefits administration account, and the self-insured dental plan benefits administration account.

- -- 2012 REGULAR SESSION --
- Jan 26 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Health & Long-Term Care at 1:30 PM.
- Feb 2 Executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Health & Long-Term Care at 12:15 PM.
- Feb 6 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 1:30 PM.
- Feb 22 Executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 3:30 PM.
- Feb 23 WM Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass. Minority; do not pass. Minority; without recommendation. Passed to Rules Committee for second reading.
- SB 6608 by Senators Harper, Pflug, Frockt, Kline, and Eide
- Changing judicial stabilization trust account surcharges. Increases judicial stabilization trust account surcharges.

-- 2012 REGULAR SESSION --

Feb 24 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 6609 by Senator Keiser

Concerning the medicaid personal care services program. Modifies provisions relating to the medicaid personal

care services program.

-- 2012 REGULAR SESSION --Feb 24 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 6610 by Senators Chase, Prentice, Kline, Nelson, Conway, and McAuliffe

Increasing accountability for the tax preferences for manufacturing machinery and equipment by requiring a net benefit to the state and deferring sales and use tax.

Authorizes the deferral of state and local sales and use taxes: (1) For certain sales to a manufacturer or processor for hire of machinery and equipment;

(2) For certain sales to a person engaged in testing for a manufacturer or processor for hire of machinery and equipment; and

(3) For certain sales of or charges made for labor and services rendered in respect to the machinery and equipment.

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