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**SENATE BILL 6007**

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**State of Washington 66th Legislature 2019 Regular Session**

**By** Senator Keiser

AN ACT Relating to increasing the tax on cigarettes; and amending RCW 82.24.026.

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

**Sec.**  RCW 82.24.026 and 2011 c 334 s 1 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) In addition to the tax imposed upon the sale, use, consumption, handling, possession, or distribution of cigarettes set forth in RCW 82.24.020, there is imposed a tax in an amount equal to ((~~three~~)) 6.75 cents per cigarette.

((~~Beginning July 1, 2010,~~)) (2) The revenue collected under this section must be deposited into the general fund.

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