
SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6015

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By Senate Committee on Health & Long-Term Care (originally sponsored by Senators Deccio and Wood)

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1 AN ACT Relating to water recreation review, inspection, and permit
2 requirements; and amending RCW 70.90.120 and 70.90.150.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 70.90.120 and 1987 c 222 s 5 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 (1) The board shall adopt rules under the administrative procedure
7 act, chapter 34.05 RCW, governing safety, sanitation, and water quality
8 for water recreation facilities. The rules shall include but not be
9 limited to requirements for design; operation; injury and illness
10 reporting; biological and chemical contamination standards; water
11 quality monitoring; inspection; permit application and issuance; and
12 enforcement procedures. However, a water recreation facility intended
13 for the exclusive use of residents of any apartment house complex or of
14 a group of rental housing units of less than fifteen living units, or
15 of a mobile home park, or of a condominium complex or any group or
16 association of less than (~~fifteen~~) seventy-five home owners shall not
17 be subject to preconstruction design review, routine inspection, or
18 permit or fee requirements; and water treatment of hydroelectric

1 reservoirs or natural streams, creeks, lakes, or irrigation canals
2 shall not be required.

3 (2) In adopting rules under subsection (1) of this section
4 regarding the operation or design of a recreational water contact
5 facility, the board shall review and consider any recommendations made
6 by the recreational water contact facility advisory committee.

7 **Sec. 2.** RCW 70.90.150 and 1986 c 236 s 6 are each amended to read
8 as follows:

9 (1) Local health officers may establish and collect fees
10 (~~sufficient~~) limited to cover their costs incurred in carrying out
11 their duties under this chapter and the rules adopted under this
12 chapter. No fee or fee increase may be adopted without a public
13 hearing. A reduction in the operating permit fee of at least seventy-
14 five percent shall be granted when a facility operator demonstrates a
15 satisfactory level of training in pool safety, water quality,
16 maintenance, and operations.

17 (2) The department may establish and collect fees (~~sufficient~~)
18 limited to cover its costs incurred in carrying out its duties under
19 this chapter. The fees shall be deposited in the state general fund.
20 No fee or fee increase may be adopted without a public hearing. A
21 reduction in the operating permit fee of at least seventy-five percent
22 shall be granted when a facility operator demonstrates a satisfactory
23 level of training in pool safety, water quality, maintenance, and
24 operations.

25 (3) A person shall not be required to submit fees at both the state
26 and local levels.

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