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SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6669

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By Senate Committee on Natural Resources & Parks (originally sponsored by Senators Rossi and T. Sheldon)

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1 AN ACT Relating to perpetual timber rights; and adding a new 2 section to chapter 76.09 RCW.

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

4 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 76.09 RCW 5 to read as follows:

6 Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter to the 7 contrary, for the purposes of RCW 76.09.050(1), 76.09.060(3) (b)(i)(A) and (c), and 76.09.065(2)(a), where timber rights have been transferred 8 by deed to a perpetual owner who is different from the forest 9 10 landowner, the owner of perpetual timber rights may sign the forest practices application and the statement of intent not to convert for a 11 12 set period of time. The forest practices application is not complete 13 until the holder of perpetual timber rights has submitted evidence to 14 the department that the signed forest practices application and the 15 signed statement of intent have been served on the forest landowner.

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