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Sponsor(s): Senators Shin, Prentice, Hale, Jacobsen, Gardner, Heavey, B. Sheldon, Rasmussen, Oke, Costa, Winsley and Kohl-Welles; by request of Lieutenant Governor

Brief Description: Developing a state-wide strategic plan for economic development.

**SB 6540 - DIGEST**

(SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE 1ST SUB)

Declares an intent that a strategic state-wide economic development plan be created that reflects the following goals and objectives: (1) To create and maintain jobs and income that would not otherwise be created or maintained, and to increase wealth rather than to redistribute it;

(2) to add value to private sector economic activity; and

(3) to assist businesses in developing their business strategies, increasing the skills of their workers and managers, applying advanced technologies, developing infrastructure, accessing capital, and enhancing social capital.