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Sponsor(s): Senators Patterson, Eide, Kline, Heavey, Shin, Gardner, Costa, Thibaudeau, Prentice, Fairley and Kohl-Welles; by request of Secretary of State

Brief Description: Prohibiting commerce of certain cetaceans and sirenians in Washington state.

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Declares an intent to prevent suffering and mortality of cetaceans (dolphins, porpoises, and whales) and sirenians (manatees and dugongs) by prohibiting their capture when applicable to Washington territorial waters, transport, breeding, holding, and display in the state of Washington.