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3 By Senator Shin

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5 Beginning on page 1, after line 7, strike all material through
6 "Washington." on page 2, line 12 and insert the following:

7 "WHEREAS, The aquaculture industry in Washington state produces
8 high-quality, pathogen-free, nonanadromous aquacultural products for
9 sale to public agencies and private companies throughout the world; and

10 WHEREAS, Washington state's aquaculture industry employs hundreds
11 of people in well-paying, technical positions located in many rural
12 communities throughout the state, generating forty million dollars
13 worth of products; and

14 WHEREAS, Canadian fish farmers have expressed the desire to
15 purchase high-quality nonanadromous aquacultural products from
16 Washington state producers; and

17 WHEREAS, Many fish farmers in the United States currently purchase
18 nonanadromous aquacultural products from Canada; and

19 WHEREAS, Increased freedom to engage in the commercial trade of
20 nonanadromous aquacultural products between the United States and
21 Canada will only help our two nations grow more prosperous;

22 NOW, THEREFORE, Your Memorialists respectfully pray that the
23 government of the United States emphasize the importance of the free
24 and fair trade of nonanadromous aquacultural products in its relations
25 with the government of Canada.

26 BE IT RESOLVED, That copies of this Memorial be immediately
27 transmitted to the Honorable George W. Bush, President of the United
28 States, the President of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the
29 House of Representatives, and each member of Congress from the State of
30 Washington."

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