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## SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5076

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By Senate Committee on Transportation (originally sponsored by Senators Haugen, Spanel, Oke, T. Sheldon, Gardner and Kohl-Welles)

READ FIRST TIME 02/08/01.

- 1 AN ACT Relating to the use of credit or debit cards for ferry
- 2 fares or reservations; and adding a new section to chapter 47.60
- 3 RCW.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 47.60
- 6 RCW to read as follows:
- 7 The department shall adopt necessary rules and procedures to
- 8 allow the use of credit and debit cards to make a reservation on
- 9 or pay the fare for international ferry routes. In no event may the
- 10 use of credit or debit cards authorized by this section create a
- 11 loss of revenue to the state.
- 12 The use of a personal credit card does not rely upon the credit
- 13 of the state as prohibited by Article VIII, section 5 of the state
- 14 Constitution.

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