

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1136

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PRODUCT STANDARDS

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Passed by the House February 27, 2001
Yeas 98 Nays 0

FRANK CHOPP
**Speaker of the House of
Representatives**

CLYDE BALLARD
**Speaker of the House of
Representatives**

Passed by the Senate April 6, 2001
Yeas 46 Nays 0

BRAD OWEN
President of the Senate

Approved April 19, 2001.

GARY LOCKE
Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

We, Timothy A. Martin and Cynthia Zehnder, Co-Chief Clerks of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1136** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

CYNTHIA ZEHNDER
Chief Clerk

TIMOTHY A. MARTIN
Chief Clerk

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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By House Committee on Agriculture & Ecology (originally sponsored by Representatives Schoesler, Wood, Ahern, Gombosky, Cox, Grant, Doumit, G. Chandler, Rockefeller, Linville, Schindler, Mulliken, Buck, Mastin, McMorris, Benson and Eickmeyer)

READ FIRST TIME 02/15/01.

1 AN ACT Relating to product standards; amending RCW 43.19A.020;
2 providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 43.19A.020 and 1996 c 198 s 1 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 (1) The ~~((USEPA))~~ federal product standards, ~~((as now or hereafter~~
7 ~~amended))~~ adopted under 42 U.S.C. Sec. 6962(e) as it exists on the
8 effective date of this act, are adopted as the minimum standards for
9 the state of Washington. These standards shall be implemented for at
10 least the products listed in ~~((a) and (b) of))~~ this subsection ~~((by~~
11 ~~the dates indicated))~~, unless the director finds that a different
12 standard would significantly increase recycled product availability or
13 competition.

14 (a) ~~((By July 1, 1997:~~
15 *(i)*) Paper and paper products;
16 ~~((ii))~~ (b) Organic recovered materials; ~~((and~~
17 ~~(iii))~~ (c) Latex paint products;
18 ~~((b) By July 1, 1997:~~

- 1 ~~(i)~~) (d) Products for lower value uses containing recycled
- 2 plastics;
- 3 ~~((ii))~~ (e) Retread and remanufactured tires;
- 4 ~~((iii))~~ (f) Lubricating oils;
- 5 ~~((iv))~~ (g) Automotive batteries;
- 6 ~~((v))~~ (h) Building ~~((insulation))~~ products and materials;
- 7 ~~((vi))~~ (i) Panelboard; and
- 8 ~~((vii))~~ (j) Compost products.

9 (2) By July 1, 2001, the director shall adopt product standards for

10 strawboard manufactured using as an ingredient straw that is produced

11 as a by-product in the production of cereal grain or turf or grass seed

12 and product standards for products made from strawboard.

13 (3) The standards required by this section shall be applied to

14 recycled product purchasing by the department ~~((and))~~, other state

15 agencies, and state postsecondary educational institutions. The

16 standards may be adopted or applied by any other local government in

17 product procurement. The standards shall provide for exceptions under

18 appropriate circumstances to allow purchases of recycled products that

19 do not meet the minimum content requirements of the standards.

20 NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate

21 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the

22 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect

23 July 1, 2001.

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