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#### **House Bills**

HB 1231 by Representatives O'Brien, Pearson, Lovick, Sells, McDonald, Chase and

Ormsby

Requiring evaluations for offenders serving terms of incarceration under the special sex offender sentencing alternative.

Provides that the court shall order an examination of the offender prior to his or her release from confinement. When performing the examination, the examiner shall consult with any facility in which the offender has served his or her confinement.

Directs the examiner to report to the court any modifications the examiner recommends to the conditions imposed under this act.

Provides that, after receiving the examination report, the court may conduct a hearing to determine whether any of the conditions imposed under this act should be modified. At least fourteen days prior to the hearing, notice of the hearing shall be given to the victim.

Provides that the victim shall be given the opportunity to make statements to the court regarding the offender's supervision and treatment. At the hearing, the court may modify any of the conditions imposed under this act.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Criminal Justice & Corrections.

HB 1232 by Representatives O'Brien, Pearson, Morrell, Lantz, Lovick, Wood, McCune, Wallace and Condotta

Clarifying the ability of Washington state patrol officers to engage in private law enforcement off-duty employment in plainclothes for private benefit.

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# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Criminal Justice & Corrections.

HB 1233 by Representatives O'Brien, Pearson, Lantz, Talcott, Kilmer, Lovick, Simpson, Tom, Campbell and Wallace

Requiring offenders convicted of luring to register with local law enforcement.

Provides that luring offenders who on or after August 1, 2005, are in custody of the state department of corrections, the state department of social and health services, a local division of youth services, or a local jail or juvenile detention facility, must register at the time of release from custody with an official designated by the agency that has jurisdiction over the offender.

Provides that luring offenders who, on August 1, 2005, are not in custody but are under the jurisdiction of the indeterminate sentence review board or under the department of corrections' active supervision, as defined by the department of corrections, the state department of social and health services, or a local division of youth services, for

luring offenses committed before, on, or after August 1, 2005, must register within ten days of August 1, 2005.

Provides that luring offenders who, on August 1, 2005, are not in custody but are under the jurisdiction of the United States bureau of prisons, United States courts, United States parole commission, or military parole board for luring offenses committed before, on, or after August 1, 2005, must register within ten days of August 1, 2005.

Provides that any adult or juvenile who has been found not guilty by reason of insanity of committing a luring offense but who was released before August 1, 2005, shall be required to register within twenty-four hours of receiving notice of this registration requirement.

Declares that "luring" means any offense as defined under RCW 9A.40.090.

Provides that a person who knowingly fails to register or who moves within the state without notifying the county sheriff as required by this act is guilty of a class C felony if the crime for which the individual was convicted was a felony luring offense as defined in this act or a federal or out-of-state conviction for an offense that under the laws of this state would be a felony luring offense as defined in this act

Provides that, if the crime for which the individual was convicted was other than a felony or a federal or out-of-state conviction for an offense that under the laws of this state would be other than a felony, violation of this act is a gross misdemeanor.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Criminal Justice & Corrections.

HB 1234 by Representatives O'Brien, Pearson, Lantz, Lovick, Williams, Kenney, Campbell, Chase and Wallace

Prohibiting the record of a conviction for a sex offense from being vacated.

Amends RCW 9.94A.640 relating to prohibiting the record of a conviction for a sex offense from being vacated.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Judiciary.

HB 1235 by Representatives O'Brien, Nixon, Lovick, Ericks, Clements, Shabro, Darneille, Miloscia and Springer

Requiring consultation between counties, cities, and towns before siting homeless camps.

Provides that, any county authorizing the siting of a homeless encampment that: (1) Is fully or partially within a city or town;

(2) Shares a common boundary with a city or town; or (3) Is within one thousand feet of a city or town boundary, must consult with the legislative authorities of such cities or towns at least fifteen days prior to issuing siting authorization.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Housing.

HB 1236 by Representatives O'Brien, Morrell, Miloscia, Lovick, Darneille and Lantz

Changing duties for aiding injured persons.

Declares that a person is guilty of the crime of failing to summon assistance if: (1) He or she knows that another person has suffered substantial bodily harm and is in need of assistance:

- (2) He or she could reasonably summon assistance for the person in need without danger to himself or herself and without interference with an important duty owed to a third party:
- (3) He or she fails to summon assistance for the person in need; and
- (4) Another person is not summoning assistance for the person in need.

Provides that the duty to summon assistance is satisfied by making reasonable efforts to summon emergency police, fire, or medical assistance that identifies the location of the victim.

Declares that a violation of this act is a misdemeanor.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Criminal Justice & Corrections.

HB 1237 by Representatives Newhouse, Cody, Clements, Bailey, Roach, Morrell, Lovick, Simpson, Murray, Chase, Kagi and Wallace

Describing specialized commercial vehicles used for patient transportation.

Finds that requiring all patients who need to travel in a prone or supine position but are medically stable, to be transported by ambulance can be overly restrictive to individuals with disabilities. These individuals frequently travel by means of reclining wheelchairs or devices commonly referred to as banana carts.

Declares that expanding travel options for these individuals will give them greater opportunities for mobility and reduce their costs of travel.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

**HB 1238** by Representatives Blake, Orcutt, McCoy, Takko and Chase

Revising administration of flood control zone districts.

Provides that, in a zone with supervisors elected pursuant to RCW 86.15.050, the supervisors may provide for administration of the affairs of the zone by other than the county engineer, pursuant to the authority established in RCW 86.15.095 to hire employees, staff, and services and to enter into contracts.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Local Government.

**HB 1239** by Representatives Fromhold, Wallace, Curtis, Dunn and Moeller

Changing the leasehold excise tax exemption for certain historical property.

Revises the leasehold excise tax exemption for certain historical property.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Finance.

# **HB 1240** by Representatives Kessler and DeBolt

Funding the development of an automated system to process real estate excise taxes.

Creates the real estate excise tax electronic technology account in the custody of the state treasurer. An appropriation is not required for expenditure and the account is not subject to allotment procedures under chapter 43.88 RCW.

Directs the county treasurer to collect an additional five-dollar fee on all taxable transactions required by chapter 82.45 RCW. The county treasurer shall remit this fee to the state treasurer at the same time the county treasurer remits funds to the state under RCW 84.56.280. The state treasurer shall place money from this fee in the real estate excise tax electronic technology account.

Requires that, when received by the county treasurer, the funds shall be placed in a special real estate excise tax electronic technology fund held by the county treasurer to be used exclusively for the development, implementation, and maintenance of an electronic processing and reporting system for real estate excise tax affidavits. Funds may be expended to make the system compatible with the automated real estate excise tax system developed by the department of revenue and compatible with the processes used in the offices of the county assessor and county auditor. Any funds held in the account that are not expended by July 1, 2015, revert to the county capital improvements fund.

Takes effect August 1, 2005.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Local Government.

HB 1241 by Representatives Fromhold, Curtis, Moeller, Wallace, Sommers, McIntire and Murray

Modifying vehicle licensing and registration penalties.

Provides that, when a person establishes residency in this state, unless otherwise exempt by statute, the person must register any vehicles to be operated on public highways, and pay all required licensing fees and taxes. Washington residents must renew vehicle registrations annually as well.

Declares the intent of this act is to increase the monetary penalties associated with failure to properly register vehicles in the state of Washington.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

HB 1242 by Representatives Linville, Jarrett, Miloscia, Tom, Haigh, Sommers, Pettigrew, Pearson, Clibborn, Kristiansen, O'Brien, Orcutt, Quall, Morris, Lantz, Wallace, Kagi, Grant, Morrell, Chase, Springer, Lovick, Kessler, Dunshee, Appleton, P. Sullivan, Kilmer, Hunter, Upthegrove, Williams, Roberts, Dickerson, Sells, Eickmeyer, Nixon, Kenney and Ormsby

Focusing the state budgeting process on outcomes and priorities.

Finds that agency missions, goals, and objectives should focus on statewide results.

Declares an intent to focus the biennial budget on how state agencies produce real results that reflect the goals of statutory programs. Specifically, budget managers and the legislature must have the data to move toward better statewide results that produce the intended public benefit. This data must be supplied in an impartial, quantifiable form, and demonstrate progress toward statewide results.

Declares that, with a renewed focus on achieving true results, state agencies, the office of financial management, and the legislature will be able to prioritize state resources.

Provides that the act shall be null and void if appropriations are not approved.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Appropriations.

HB 1243 by Representatives Green, Cody, Morrell, Appleton, Moeller, Darneille, Lovick, Kessler, Dickerson, Campbell, Linville, Chase, Ormsby, Haigh and Santos

Increasing patient safety through disclosure and analysis of adverse events.

Finds that our health care and medical liability systems are not structured to promote disclosure and analysis of medical errors, whether they result in patient harm or not. Each medical error provides an opportunity to learn how to avoid future errors.

Declares an intent to promote full disclosure of medical errors and adverse health events, and to use the experience and knowledge gained from analysis of those events to advance patient safety in a nonpunitive manner.

Declares a further intent to promote full disclosure of medical errors to patients by substantially reducing the risk of liability exposure associated with such disclosure.

Requires the department to report no later than January 1, 2007, and annually thereafter to the governor and the legislature on the department's activities under this act in the preceding year. The report shall include: (1) The number of serious events and incidents reported by medical facilities on a geographical basis and their outcomes;

- (2) The information derived from the data collected including any recognized trends concerning patient safety; and
- (3) Recommendations for statutory or regulatory changes that may help improve patient safety in the state.

Requires the annual report to be made available for public inspection and shall be posted on the department's web site

Provides that when a report of a serious event or incident under this act is made by or through a coordinated quality improvement program under RCW 43.70.510 or 70.41.200, or by a peer review committee under RCW 4.24.250, the confidentiality protections of those laws and RCW 42.17.310(1)(hh) apply fully to any documents, materials, or information prepared or created for the purpose of complying with this act.

Provides that, when a report of a serious event or incident under this act is not made by or through a coordinated quality improvement program under RCW 43.70.510 or 70.41.200, or by a peer review committee under RCW 4.24.250, any information, documents, and materials created specifically for the purpose of submitting a report of a serious event or incident are not subject to discovery or introduction into evidence in any civil action, and no person who participated in the creation, collection, or maintenance of information or documents specifically for the purpose of submitting a report of a serious event or

incident shall be permitted or required to testify in any civil action as to the content of such documents.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Health Care.

HB 1244 by Representatives Hunter, Roach, Kirby, Strow, Kristiansen, Serben, P. Sullivan and

Tom

Establishing mortgage broker branch offices.

Amends RCW 19.146.265 relating to establishing mortgage broker branch offices.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Financial Institutions & Insurance.

hb 1245 by Representatives B. Sullivan, Blake, Roberts, O'Brien, P. Sullivan, Nixon and

Springer

Improving opportunities to develop outdoor recreational ballfields on agricultural land.

Finds that the supreme court, in King County v. Central Puget Sound Growth Mgmt. Hearings Bd., 142 Wn.2d 543, 14 P.3d 133 (2000), held that lands designated as agricultural may not be used for recreational facilities.

Finds that this decision and the absence of an enacted legislative response have illustrated the urgent need for a legislative remedy addressing the growing and interrelated challenges of population growth, the need for outdoor recreational facilities, and the conservation of agricultural lands.

Provides that the development regulations of a county or city planning under RCW 36.70A.040 may permit agricultural lands designated pursuant to RCW 36.70A.170 that are not being used for the commercial production of food or other agricultural products to be used for recreational activities, including, but not limited to, playing fields for sports played on grass.

Declares that counties and cities planning under RCW 36.70A.040 that permit agricultural land to be used for recreational activities may not allow permanent structures to be erected on the land, but may permit removable structures and playing fields constructed before June 1, 2004, that support the use of the land for recreational activities.

Establishes a study committee on outdoor recreation. Requires the study committee to report its findings and recommendations to the appropriate committees of the house of representatives and the senate by January 1, 2006.

Expires January 1, 2006.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Local Government.

HB 1246 by Representatives Dunshee, Pearson, Lovick, Kristiansen, Morrell, P. Sullivan, Murray, Wallace, Chase and Ormsby

Requiring vehicle sound system components to be securely attached.

Provides that all vehicle sound system components, including any supplemental speaker systems or components, must be securely attached to the vehicle regardless of where

the components are located, so that the components cannot become dislodged or loose during operation of the vehicle.

Declares that enforcement of this act by law enforcement officers may be accomplished only as a secondary action when a driver of a vehicle has been detained for a suspected violation of Title 46 RCW or an equivalent local ordinance or some other offense.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

**HB 1247** by Representatives Morris and Schindler

Charging manufactured housing communities for water and sewer connections.

Provides for charging manufactured housing communities for water and sewer connections.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Housing.

HB 1248 by Representatives Woods, Appleton, Kilmer and Anderson

Including four public port districts on the executive board of regional transportation planning organizations.

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#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

**HB 1249** by Representatives Upthegrove, Morrell, McCoy and Linville

Prescribing license and trip permit fees for small trailers.

Provides that, in lieu of the fees provided in RCW 46.16.0621, trailers less than two thousand pounds scale weight and used for personal use on the public highways may be licensed upon the payment of a license fee according to the following weight schedule:

Under 250 pounds . . . . \$ 0.00 250 - 1,999 pounds . . . \$30.00

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

HB 1250 by Representatives Upthegrove, Hinkle, Sells, Holmquist, B. Sullivan, Roberts, Schual-Berke, Chase and Condotta

Increasing the operating fee waiver authority for Central Washington University.

Increases the operating fee waiver authority for Central Washington University.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Higher Education.

HB 1251 by Representatives Santos, Roach, Kirby, Morrell, Simpson, Hasegawa, P. Sullivan and McIntire

Regulating tax refund anticipation loans.

Requires that, at the time a borrower applies for a refund anticipation loan, a facilitator shall clearly disclose to the borrower, separately from the loan application: (1) The refund anticipation loan fee schedule;

(2) A written statement containing the following elements: (a) That a refund anticipation loan is a loan, and is not the borrower's actual income tax refund; (b) that the taxpayer can file an income tax return electronically without applying for a refund anticipation loan; (c) the average times according to the internal revenue service within which a taxpayer who does not obtain a refund anticipation loan can expect to receive a refund if the taxpayer's return is (i) filed electronically and the refund is directly deposited to the taxpayer's bank account or mailed to the taxpayer, and (ii) mailed to the internal revenue service and the refund is directly deposited to the taxpayer's bank account or mailed to the taxpayer; (d) that the internal revenue service does not guarantee that it will pay the full amount of the anticipated refund and it does not guarantee a specific date that a refund will be deposited into a taxpayer's financial institution account or mailed to a taxpayer; (e) that the borrower is responsible for repayment of the loan and related fees in the event that the tax refund is not paid or paid in full; (f) the estimated time within which the loan proceeds will be paid to the borrower if the loan is approved; and (g) the fee that will be charged, if any, if the borrower's loan is not approved.

Declares that any person who knowingly and willfully violates this act is guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined up to five hundred dollars for each offense.

Declares that this act shall preempt and be exclusive of all local acts, statutes, ordinances, and regulations relating to refund anticipation loans. This act shall be given retroactive and prospective effect.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Financial Institutions & Insurance.

HB 1252 by Representatives Quall, Curtis, Anderson, Talcott, Eickmeyer, Kirby, Haigh, DeBolt, Dunshee, McDonald, Morrell, Buri, Miloscia, Rodne, Lovick, O'Brien, Shabro, P. Sullivan, Wood, Sells, Chase, Ormsby and Kilmer

Providing for family and consumer science education.

Provides that, within available funds, each school district board of directors shall develop and adopt a family preservation education program curriculum and offer a one credit family preservation course in high school. If the board of directors chooses not to adopt the model curriculum developed by the superintendent of public instruction, the board shall develop its own curriculum with input from the community.

Directs the office of the superintendent of public instruction to develop a family preservation education program model curriculum that is available to each of the school district boards of directors. The model curriculum shall be posted on the superintendent of public instruction's web site.

Provides that the model curriculum shall include, but is not limited to, instruction on developing conflict management skills, communication skills, financial responsibility, and parenting responsibility.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Education.

#### **HB 1253** by Representatives Kirby and Hunt

Modifying designated smoking area requirements.

Provides that, in nonsmoking areas, nitrogen dioxide and hydrogen cyanide levels shall not exceed twenty parts per million.

Declares that a person under the age of eighteen is not allowed in the designated smoking area of a bar, tavern, bowling alley, or restaurant.

Requires an employer to disclose to a prospective employee that all or a portion of the establishment that the prospective employee would work at is a designated smoking area.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Health Care.

HB 1254 by Representatives Wood, Jarrett, Simpson, B. Sullivan, Wallace, Kilmer, Hankins, Haler, Hunter, Morrell, Lovick, Nixon and Ormsby

Authorizing the "share the road" special license plate.

Authorizes the "share the road" special license plate.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

HB 1255 by Representatives B. Sullivan, Orcutt, Grant, Clements, Crouse, Sump, Fromhold, Lovick, O'Brien, Schual-Berke, Linville, Morris, Roach, Morrell, Chase and Hunter

Modifying the taxation of temporary staffing services.

Provides that, upon every person engaging in this state in the business of providing staffing services; as to such persons the amount of tax with respect to such business shall be equal to the gross income of the business, multiplied by the rate of 0.484 percent.

Provides that persons providing staffing services as defined in this act are not liable to collect and remit the retail sales tax to the department when performing services that are defined as a retail sale. The consumer of such staffing services shall be required to remit the sales tax on the sale of or charges for the staffing services directly to the department.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Finance.

HB 1256 by Representatives Roach, Holmquist and Schindler

Disestablishing provisional ballots.
Disestablishes provisional ballots.
Repeals RCW 29A.44.265.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to State Government Operations & Accountability.

HB 1257 by Representatives Roach, Kirby, Newhouse, Simpson, Holmquist, Haler, Upthegrove, O'Brien and Nixon

Providing an opportunity to reject motorcycle or motor-driven cycle insurance coverage.

Provides an opportunity to reject motorcycle or motordriven cycle insurance coverage.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Financial Institutions & Insurance.

HB 1258 by Representatives Simpson, Nixon, Upthegrove, Haler, Murray, O'Brien, Sells, Condotta, Buck, Campbell and Kilmer

Meeting commute trip reduction goals by providing preferential motorcycle parking.

Authorizes meeting commute trip reduction goals by providing preferential motorcycle parking.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

**HB 1259** by Representatives Wallace and Woods; by request of Department of Licensing

Making technical corrections to chapter 46.87 RCW.
Makes technical corrections to chapter 46.87 RCW.
Repeals RCW 46.87.085, 46.87.170, 46.87.180, and 46.87.901.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

HB 1260 by Representatives Jarrett, Clibborn, Pettigrew and Wallace; by request of Department of Licensing

Allowing reciprocal waiver of driver's license exams.

Recognizes that more than twenty other states have entered into informal reciprocal agreements with other nations to waive driver's license testing requirements in order to ease the transition of personnel to and from those states. By removing an unnecessary barrier to efficient personnel mobility it is the intent of the legislature to strengthen and diversify Washington's economy.

Authorizes the department to enter into an informal agreement with one or more other licensing jurisdictions to waive the requirement for the examination involving operating a motor vehicle by licensed drivers, age eighteen years or older, from that jurisdiction.

Provides that the department may only enter into an agreement with a jurisdiction if: (1) The jurisdiction has procedures in place to verify the validity of the drivers' licenses it issues; and

(2) The jurisdiction has agreed to waive all or any part of the driver's license examination requirements for Washington licensed drivers applying for a driver's license in that jurisdiction.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

HB 1261 by Representatives Morrell, Haigh, Wallace, Campbell, O'Brien, McCoy, Moeller, Kenney, Hasegawa, Green, Lantz, Flannigan, Williams, Dunshee, B. Sullivan, Kilmer, Strow, Upthegrove, Darneille, Springer, Hunt, Sells, P. Sullivan, Tom, Talcott, McCune, Serben, McDonald, Conway, Linville, Kristiansen, Chase, Ormsby, Santos and Kagi

Making the joint committee on veterans' and military affairs permanent.

Makes the joint committee on veterans' and military affairs permanent.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to State Government Operations & Accountability.

HB 1262 by Representatives Takko, Walsh, Blake and Wallace; by request of Board for Judicial Administration

Limiting compensation for part-time judges.

Provides that a judge who is an active part-time judge of a court of the state of Washington may receive compensation as a judge pro tempore only when sitting as a judge pro tempore during time for which he or she is not compensated as a part-time judge.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Judiciary.

HB 1263 by Representatives Upthegrove, Hunt, Williams, Dickerson, Dunshee, McCoy, Simpson and Chase

Concerning hydraulic project approvals.

Requires the department of fish and wildlife to, whenever practical, integrate the rules and programs developed under chapter 77.55 RCW with the rules and programs developed by the department of natural resources governing forest practices under chapter 76.09 RCW.

Authorizes the department of fish and wildlife to conduct a pilot project testing the applicability and enforceability of using general permits to satisfy the requirements of chapter 77.55 RCW as they relate to approvals for hydraulic projects.

Provides that, under the pilot project, the department of fish and wildlife may only develop general permits for activities determined by the department to be common and routine and to have a low level of environmental impact. The general permits must be designed to improve the predictability and efficiency of the hydraulic project approval program, while still containing provisions necessary to protect aquatic life.

Declares that compliance with the terms of these general permits by the project applicant is considered to be approval under chapter 77.55 RCW for a hydraulic project.

Declares that any violation of the terms or requirements of a general permit may be punished as a natural resource infraction under chapter 7.84 RCW or as a gross misdemeanor under RCW 77.15.300.

Declares that authority to conduct the pilot project authorized by this act ends December 31, 2008, on which date the department of fish and wildlife must report to the appropriate committees of the legislature either why they decided not to conduct a pilot project, or what outcomes, suggestions, and lessons arose from the pilot project.

Provides that, if any person or government agency fails to follow the requirements of obtaining hydraulic project approval under chapter 77.55 RCW, or fails to carry out any of the requirements or conditions of a hydraulic project approval issued under this chapter, the department may issue an order to that person or government agency. The order may require the person or government agency to stop work on any or all of the activities subject to the hydraulic project approval, to correct or to restore the nonconforming site, or

to both stop work and to correct or to restore the nonconforming site.

Repeals RCW 77.55.140.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Natural Resources, Ecology & Parks.

HB 1264 by Representatives Kenney, Wood, Chase, Sells, Dickerson, Kessler, Kirby, Conway, Morrell, Hunt, Hasegawa, Santos, Kagi and McIntire

Prohibiting noncompetition agreements in the broadcasting industry.

Prohibits noncompetition agreements in the broadcasting industry.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.

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Providing administrative review before the suspension of driving privileges.

Finds that the safety of the highways of this state is materially affected by the degree of compliance with state laws and local ordinances relating to the operation of motor vehicles. Drivers who commit traffic violations, ignore notices from courts, and fail to resolve notices of traffic infraction and citations all show their disrespect for traffic laws that exist to ensure safety on the highways.

Declares that an essential mechanism for ensuring that drivers comply with the traffic laws of this state is the swift and certain suspension of the driving privileges of a driver who fails to respond to a notice of traffic infraction, fails to appear at a requested hearing, violates a written promise to appear in court, fails to pay a fine or monetary penalty imposed as the result of a traffic violation, or otherwise fails to comply with the terms of a notice of traffic infraction or citation.

Declares that license suspension ensures that drivers comply with the traffic laws by deterring violations, and ensures that the use of the state highways will be afforded only to those who are willing to comply with the traffic laws.

Declares that there is a compelling state interest in having a mechanism to withhold driving privileges which also provides necessary due process protections as economically and expeditiously as possible.

Finds that this compelling state interest can best be served by having any necessary administrative review conducted by the department of licensing in a manner that provides due process, while maximizing the use of documentary evidence to simplify and expedite those proceedings.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

by Representatives Murray, Woods and Kenney; by request of Department of Licensing

Updating laws on drugs and alcohol use by commercial drivers.

Updates laws on drugs and alcohol use by commercial drivers.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

HB 1267 by Representatives Sommers, Kenney, Jarrett, Fromhold, Priest, Lantz, O'Brien, Buri, Roberts, Ericks, Orcutt, Sells, Ormsby, McIntire, Moeller, Walsh, Rodne, Curtis, Flannigan, Hunter, Miloscia, Hasegawa, Dickerson, Tom, Murray, Wallace, Newhouse, Chase and Santos

Authorizing branch campuses to offer lower-division courses.

Finds that the University of Washington Bothell, University of Washington Tacoma, Washington State University Tri-Cities, and Washington State University Vancouver have each conducted a thorough review of the campus mission and model of educational services and made recommendations to the legislature for the future evolution of the campus.

Declares an intent to authorize each campus to expand its educational offerings to include lower-division courses.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Higher Education.

HB 1268 by Representatives Schual-Berke, Jarrett, Tom, Sommers, Dickerson, Cody, Hankins, Murray, Hudgins, B. Sullivan, Fromhold, Haler, Appleton, Wallace, Kagi, Dunshee, Springer, Upthegrove, Kenney, Quall, Pettigrew, Morris, Darneille, Moeller, Morrell, Hunt, Lovick, Kessler, Williams, Roberts, Chase, Santos and McIntire

Regulating stem cell research.

Finds that several states have supported policies and institutions in partnership with the biomedical research industry to promote and advance embryonic stem cell research. Washington state must demonstrate a similar commitment to these initiatives in order to reaffirm itself as a leader in this area of biomedical research.

Declares that stem cell research, including the use of embryonic stem cells for medical research, raises significant ethical concerns that must be balanced with medical considerations.

Finds that, while therapeutic cloning stem cell research holds enormous potential for treating or even curing some diseases, the reproductive cloning of human beings is morally and ethically unacceptable. Furthermore, the reproductive cloning of human beings poses grave health risks to any child who may be produced in this manner.

Declares that any attempt to clone a human being is in direct conflict with the policies of this state.

Creates the human stem cell research advisory committee.

Directs the advisory committee to develop guidelines for research involving the derivation or use of human embryonic stem cells in Washington by January 1, 2006.

Provides that a health care provider delivering fertility treatment must provide his or her patient with timely, relevant, and appropriate information to allow the patient to make an informed and voluntary choice about the disposition of any human blastocysts remaining following the fertility treatment.

Provides that any person to whom information is provided pursuant to this act must be presented with the option of storing any unused blastocysts, donating unused blastocysts to another individual, discarding unused blastocysts, or donating unused blastocysts for research.

Declares that no person may knowingly engage or assist in reproductive cloning of a human being or attempting reproductive cloning of a human being.

Authorizes the attorney general to bring an action to enjoin any person from violating this restriction.

Provides that any person who violates this act is subject to a civil penalty not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars for each violation. Civil penalties authorized by this provision may be imposed in any civil action brought by the attorney general.

Declares that nothing in this provision shall be construed to restrict areas of biomedical, agricultural, and scientific research not specifically prohibited by this provision, including somatic cell nuclear transfer or other cloning technologies to clone molecules, DNA, cells, and tissues.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Health Care.

HB 1269 by Representatives Conway, Curtis, Simpson, Hinkle, Upthegrove, Moeller, Morrell, Green, O'Brien, P. Sullivan, Kenney, McDonald, Campbell, Chase, B. Sullivan, Ormsby, Kilmer, McCoy, Jarrett, Wallace, Serben and Strow; by request of LEOFF Plan 2 Retirement Board

Permitting members of the law enforcement officers' and fire fighters' retirement system plan 2 to make a one-time purchase of additional service credit.

Authorizes members of the law enforcement officers' and fire fighters' retirement system plan 2 to make a one-time purchase of additional service credit.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Appropriations.

HB 1270 by Representatives Curtis, Simpson, Conway, Hinkle, Upthegrove, Morrell, Moeller, Green, O'Brien, P. Sullivan, McDonald, Campbell, Chase, B. Sullivan, Ormsby, Kilmer, McCoy, Jarrett, Serben and Strow; by request of LEOFF Plan 2 Retirement Board

Suspending a retirement allowance upon reemployment.

Declares that a member or retiree who becomes employed in an eligible position as defined in RCW 41.40.010, 41.32.010, or 41.35.010 shall have the option to enter into membership in the corresponding retirement system for that position notwithstanding any provision of RCW 41.04.270. A retiree who elects to enter into plan membership shall have his or her benefits suspended as provided in RCW 41.26.500(1). A retiree who does not elect to enter into plan membership shall continue to receive his or her benefits without interruption.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Appropriations.

HB 1271 by Representatives Simpson, Curtis, Conway, Hinkle, Morrell, Moeller, Green, O'Brien, P. Sullivan, Kenney, McDonald, Campbell, Chase, B. Sullivan, Ormsby, Kilmer, McCoy, Jarrett, Serben and Strow; by request of LEOFF Plan 2 Retirement Board

Receiving a disability allowance under the law enforcement officers' and fire fighters' retirement system, plan 2.

Provides that a member who is totally disabled in the line of duty is entitled to receive a retirement allowance equal to seventy percent of such member's final average salary.

Declares that a member shall be considered totally disabled if he or she is unable to perform any substantial gainful activity due to a physical or mental condition that may be expected to result in death or that has lasted or is expected to last at least twelve months.

Declares that substantial gainful activity is defined as average earnings of no more than eight hundred ten dollars a month in 2004 adjusted annually for inflation as determined by the director.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Appropriations.

HB 1272 by Representatives Dunshee, Jarrett, Linville, Nixon, Hunt, Rodne, Strow, Tom, McDermott, Sommers, Appleton, Simpson, Dickerson, Lovick, Hasegawa, Sells, Cody, Morrell, Chase, Hudgins, B. Sullivan, Schual-Berke, Williams, Lantz, Kilmer, Moeller, Roberts, Upthegrove, McCoy, Hunter, Darneille, Miloscia, Green, O'Brien, P. Sullivan, Anderson, Kenney, Murray, Wallace, Ormsby, Haigh, Kagi and McIntire

Requiring public buildings to be built using high-performance green building standards.

Finds that public buildings can be built and renovated using high-performance methods that save money, improve school performance, and make workers more productive. High-performance green buildings are proven to increase student test scores, reduce worker absenteeism, and cut energy and utility costs.

Declares an intent that state-owned buildings and schools be improved by adopting nationally recognized standards for high-performance green buildings and allowing flexible methods and choices in how to achieve those standards.

Declares an intent that independent performance audits be used to monitor this program and ensure that our economic, community, and environmental goals are achieved each year.

Requires that all major facility projects of public agencies receiving any funding in a state capital budget shall be designed, constructed, and certified to at least the LEED silver standard.

Requires public agencies and public school districts to monitor and document ongoing operating savings resulting from major facility projects designed, constructed, and certified as required under this act.

Provides that public agencies shall report annually to the department on its major facility projects and operating savings, while public school districts shall report annually to the office of the superintendent of public instruction.

Directs the department to create a high-performance buildings advisory committee comprised of affected public agencies, the state board of education, the office of the superintendent of public instruction, and others at the department's discretion to provide advice on implementing this act.

Provides that, among other things, the advisory committee shall make recommendations regarding an education and training process and an ongoing evaluation or feedback process to help the department and the state board of education implement this act.

Provides that, notwithstanding any other provision in chapter 39.04 RCW, public works project requests for proposals or bids on major facility projects required to be high-performance green buildings under chapter 39.-- RCW (sections 1 through 4 of this act) shall provide for performance-based contracting, building commissioning, or responsible bidding as necessary to design, construct, and certify the major facility project to meet the LEED silver standard.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Capital Budget.

HB 1273 by Representatives Grant, Walsh, Holmquist, Linville, Appleton, Kessler and

P. Sullivan

Promoting economic revitalization.

Finds: (1) The continued economic vitality of downtown and neighborhood commercial districts in our state's cities is essential to community preservation, social cohesion, and economic growth;

- (2) In recent years there has been a deterioration of downtown and neighborhood commercial districts in both rural and urban communities due to a shifting population base, changes in the marketplace, and greater competition from suburban shopping malls, discount centers, and business transacted through the internet;
- (3) This decline has eroded the ability of businesses and property owners to renovate and enhance their commercial and residential properties; and
- (4) Business owners in these districts need to maintain their local economies in order to provide goods and services to adjacent residents, to provide employment opportunities, to avoid disinvestment and economic dislocations, and to develop and sustain downtown and neighborhood commercial district revitalization programs to address these problems.

Declares an intent to establish a program to: (1) Work in partnership with these organizations;

- (2) Provide technical assistance and training to local governments, business organizations, downtown and neighborhood commercial district organizations, and business and property owners to accomplish community and economic revitalization and development of business districts; and
- (3) Certify a downtown or neighborhood commercial district organization's use of available tax incentives.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Economic Development, Agriculture & Trade.

HB 1274 by Representatives Orcutt, Ahern, Dunn, Haler, Kristiansen, Roach, Kenney, Strow, Kretz, Holmquist, Newhouse and Hinkle

Providing a business and occupation tax credit for the provision of certain mental health services.

Declares that a credit is allowed against tax due under chapter 82.04 RCW to employers for the cost of the provision of mental health services pursuant to the passage of chapter . . ., Laws of 2005 (House Bill No. 1154) to employees. The credit is equal to the additional cost to the employer attributable to the coverage of such services within an employer-offered health benefit plan required by chapter . . ., Laws of 2005 (House Bill No. 1154).

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Finance.

HB 1275 by Representatives Orcutt, Ahern, Dunn, Haler, Kristiansen, Roach, Strow, Campbell, Kretz, Holmquist, Newhouse and Hinkle

Reducing the business and occupation taxation of medical services.

Provides that upon every person engaging within this state in the business of providing medical services; as to such persons, the amount of tax is equal to the gross income of the business multiplied by the rate of 0.138 percent.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Finance.

HB 1276 by Representatives Grant, Holmquist, Kessler, Upthegrove, Walsh, Linville, Nixon, Hinkle, Buri, Newhouse, Orcutt, Kristiansen, Campbell, Hankins, McDonald, Talcott, Bailey, Shabro, Skinner, Roach, Haigh, McCune, Kretz, Hunter, Moeller, Miloscia, Williams, O'Brien, Schindler, P. Sullivan, Blake, Anderson, Buck, Wallace, Chase, Condotta and Santos

Requiring the governor's signature on significant legislative rules.

Requires the governor's signature on significant legislative rules.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to State Government Operations & Accountability.

HB 1277 by Representatives Strow, Green, Ericks, Kretz, Pearson, Holmquist, Buri, Quall, Rodne, Condotta, Bailey, Ahern, Darneille, O'Brien, Kirby, Serben, Hasegawa, Tom, Ericksen, Kristiansen, Roach, Campbell, Wallace and Ormsby

Changing registration requirements for sex offenders and kidnapping offenders.

Revises registration requirements for sex offenders and kidnapping offenders.

Amends RCW 9A.44.130.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Criminal Justice & Corrections.

https://dx.doi.org/10.1016/pdf.

by Representatives Kagi, Hinkle, Clibborn, Dickerson, Roach, Schual-Berke, P. Sullivan, Pettigrew, Orcutt, Darneille, Roberts, Kenney, Wallace, Chase and Santos

Regarding the investigation of child abuse and neglect.

Requires the department to include in its investigation a review of any sibling records if the sibling resides in or visits the home of the child who was the basis of the complaint, or if there is an imminent risk of harm to the sibling.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Children & Family Services.

HB 1279 by Representatives Kagi, Hinkle, Dickerson, McDonald, Clibborn, P. Sullivan, Pettigrew, Roach, Orcutt, Morrell, Kenney, Wallace and Chase

Revising provisions relating to public access to child in need of services and at-risk youth hearings.

Revises provisions relating to public access to child in need of services and at-risk youth hearings.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Juvenile Justice & Family Law.

by Representatives Pettigrew, Hinkle, Kagi, Walsh, Schual-Berke, McDonald, Clibborn, Dickerson, P. Sullivan, Roach, Orcutt, Darneille, Morrell, Wallace and Santos

Extending the kinship care oversight committee and its duties.

Extends the kinship care oversight committee and its duties.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Children & Family Services.

HB 1281 by Representatives Pettigrew, Hinkle, Kagi, Walsh, Schual-Berke, McDonald, Clibborn, Dickerson, Dunn, P. Sullivan, Orcutt, Darneille, Morrell, Campbell, Wallace and Chase

Adding to the list of persons who may give informed consent to medical care for minors and providing immunity to health care providers and facilities when they rely upon the representation of a person claiming to be responsible for the care of the minor.

Declares an intent to assist children in the care of kin to access appropriate medical services.

Finds that children being raised by kin have faced barriers to medical care because their kinship caregivers have not been able to verify that they are the identified primary caregivers of these children. Such barriers pose an especially significant challenge to kinship caregivers in dealing with health professionals when children are left in their care.

Declares an intent to assist kinship caregivers in accessing appropriate medical care to meet the needs of a child in their care by permitting such responsible adults who are providing care to a child to give informed consent to medical care.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Children & Family Services.

HB 1282 by Representatives Schual-Berke, Tom, Cody, Jarrett, Fromhold, Hankins, Appleton, Haler, Murray, Nixon, Dickerson, Kagi, Hasegawa, Roberts, Springer, DeBolt, Lantz, Chase, Hunter, Upthegrove, Darneille, Moeller, Morrell, Hunt, Simpson, Williams, Green, Wood, Kenney, Wallace, Linville, Ormsby, Kilmer, Haigh, Santos, McIntire and Walsh

Regarding sexual health education.

Declares that the state has a duty to ensure that young people are equipped with the comprehensive, medically accurate, age-appropriate information that they need to protect themselves from unintended pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases, including HIV infection. The best approach to protecting youth in this environment is to support the resources that they trust and to ensure that young people have as much accurate, objective information about sexual health as possible.

Requires every school district that offers sexual health education to incorporate the January 2005 guidelines for sexual health information and disease prevention of the department of health and the office of the superintendent of public instruction.

Provides that every school district that offers sexual health education must emphasize abstinence, as required by RCW 70.24.210, except that abstinence may not be taught to the exclusion of other methods of preventing teenage pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases, including HIV infection. In addition to abstinence, sexual health education must teach medically accurate information about the effectiveness of contraceptives and other family planning options in a comprehensive manner.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Health Care.

#### **House Joint Memorials**

**HJM 4004** 

by Representatives Roach, Newhouse, Holmquist, Serben, Ahern and Condotta

Requesting Congress to support social security reform.

Requests that the United States Congress support no increases in payroll taxes, no cuts to social security benefits, and the creation of optional social security personal retirement accounts.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Children & Family Services.

#### **Senate Bills**

SB 5252 by Senators Fraser, Kastama, Swecker and McAuliffe; by request of Department of General Administration

Establishing a commemorative works account for the department of general administration.

Creates the commemorative works account in the custody of the state treasurer and shall be used by the department of general administration for the ongoing care, maintenance, and repair of commemorative works on the state capitol grounds. Only the director or the director's designee may authorize expenditures from the account. The account is subject to the allotment procedures under chapter 43.88 RCW, but an appropriation is not necessary for expenditures.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5253 by Senators Berkey, Benton, Fairley, Benson and Prentice

Establishing mortgage broker branch offices.

Amends RCW 19.146.265 relating to establishing mortgage broker branch offices.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Financial Institutions, Housing & Consumer Protection.

SB 5254 by Senators Jacobsen, Rasmussen, Franklin, McAuliffe and Kohl-Welles

Creating the legislative youth advisory council.

Creates the legislative youth advisory council to examine issues of importance to youth, including but not limited to education, employment, strategies to increase youth participation in state and municipal government, safe environments for youth, substance abuse, emotional and physical health, foster care, poverty, homelessness, and youth access to services on a statewide and municipal basis.

Provides that the council shall have the following duties: (1) Advising the legislature on proposed and pending legislation, including state budget expenditures and policy matters relating to youth;

(2) Advising the standing committees of the legislature and study commissions, committees, and task forces regarding issues relating to youth;

(3) Conducting periodic seminars for its members regarding leadership, government, and the legislature;

- (4) Meeting at least three times but not more than six times per year, including not more than two public hearings on issues of importance to youth; and
- (5) Reporting annually by February 15th to the legislature on its activities, including proposed legislation that implements recommendations of the council.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Government Operations & Elections.

SB 5255 by Senators Oke and Franklin

Exempting all dietary supplements from sales and use tax. Exempts all dietary supplements from sales and use tax.

Repeals RCW 82.08.925 and 82.12.925.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5256 by Senators Hargrove and Stevens

Revising provisions relating to the use of risk assessments in the supervision of offenders who committed misdemeanors and gross misdemeanors.

Revises provisions relating to the use of risk assessments in the supervision of offenders who committed misdemeanors and gross misdemeanors.

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Human Services & Corrections.

SB 5257 by Senators Hargrove, Stevens and Delvin

Revising provisions relating to mental health treatment for minors.

Finds that, despite explicit statements in statute that the consent of a minor child is not required for a parent-initiated admission to inpatient or outpatient mental health treatment, treatment providers consistently refuse to accept a minor aged thirteen or over if the minor does not also consent to treatment.

Declares an intent that the parent-initiated treatment provisions, with their accompanying due process provisions for the minor, be made fully available to parents.

Provides that a minor child shall have no cause of action against an evaluation and treatment facility or provider of outpatient mental health treatment for admitting or accepting the minor in good faith for evaluation or treatment under RCW 71.34.052 or 71.34.054 (as recodified by this act) based solely upon the minor's lack of consent if the minor's parent has consented to the evaluation or treatment.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Human Services & Corrections.

SB 5258 by Senators Kline, Mulliken, Stevens, Rasmussen, Delvin and Kohl-Welles

Revising provision for controlled substance violations near schools.

Amends RCW 69.50.435 relating to controlled substance violations near schools.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Judiciary.

SB 5259 by Senators Kline, Franklin, Mulliken, Keiser, Rockefeller and Shin

Limiting prosecution of persons reporting drug overdoses.

Provides that a person shall not be charged, subject to civil forfeiture, or otherwise prosecuted for a violation of chapter 69.50 RCW if: (1) The person was a witness to a drug overdose;

- (2) The overdose resulted in an imminent threat to the health or life of the overdose victim;
- (3) The person reported the drug overdose to law enforcement or summoned medical assistance at the time it was witnessed; and
- (4) All evidence of the specific violation was gained as a result of the person's report.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Judiciary.

SB 5260 by Senators Kline, Keiser and Franklin

Modifying civil forfeiture provisions.

Revises civil forfeiture provisions in RCW 69.50.505, 9A.83.030, and 69.50.520.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Judiciary.

SB 5261 by Senators Fraser, Parlette, Regala, Schmidt, Rasmussen, Shin and Kohl-Welles; by request of Select Committee on Pension Policy

Authorizing interruptive military service credit.

Revises provisions relating to interruptive military service credit within the public employees' retirement system, the school employees' retirement system, the teachers' retirement system, the law enforcement officers' and fire fighters' retirement system plan 2, the Washington state patrol retirement system, and the public safety employees' retirement system.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5262 by Senators Haugen and Swecker; by request of Department of Licensing

Providing administrative review before the suspension of driving privileges.

Finds that the safety of the highways of this state is materially affected by the degree of compliance with state laws and local ordinances relating to the operation of motor vehicles. Drivers who commit traffic violations, ignore notices from courts, and fail to resolve notices of traffic infraction and citations all show their disrespect for traffic laws that exist to ensure safety on the highways.

Declares that an essential mechanism for ensuring that drivers comply with the traffic laws of this state is the swift and certain suspension of the driving privileges of a driver who fails to respond to a notice of traffic infraction, fails to appear at a requested hearing, violates a written promise to appear in court, fails to pay a fine or monetary penalty imposed as the result of a traffic violation, or otherwise fails to comply with the terms of a notice of traffic infraction or citation.

Declares that license suspension ensures that drivers comply with the traffic laws by deterring violations, and ensures that the use of the state highways will be afforded only to those who are willing to comply with the traffic laws.

Declares that there is a compelling state interest in having a mechanism to withhold driving privileges which also provides necessary due process protections as economically and expeditiously as possible.

Finds that this compelling state interest can best be served by having any necessary administrative review conducted by the department of licensing in a manner that provides due process, while maximizing the use of documentary evidence to simplify and expedite those proceedings.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

SB 5263 by Senators Haugen, Swecker, Oke and Mulliken; by request of Department of

Licensing

Updating laws on drugs and alcohol use by commercial drivers.

Updates laws on drugs and alcohol use by commercial drivers.

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

SB 5264 by Senators Haugen, Swecker, Kastama and Jacobsen; by request of Department of

Licensing

Allowing reciprocal waiver of driver's license exams.

Recognizes that more than twenty other states have entered into informal reciprocal agreements with other nations to waive driver's license testing requirements in order to ease the transition of personnel to and from those states. By removing an unnecessary barrier to efficient personnel mobility it is the intent of the legislature to strengthen and diversify Washington's economy.

Authorizes the department to enter into an informal agreement with one or more other licensing jurisdictions to waive the requirement for the examination involving operating a motor vehicle by licensed drivers, age eighteen years or older, from that jurisdiction.

Provides that the department may only enter into an agreement with a jurisdiction if: (1) The jurisdiction has procedures in place to verify the validity of the drivers' licenses it issues; and

(2) The jurisdiction has agreed to waive all or any part of the driver's license examination requirements for Washington licensed drivers applying for a driver's license in that jurisdiction.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

SB 5265 by Senators Spanel, Swecker and Haugen; by request of Department of Licensing

Making technical corrections to chapter 46.87 RCW.
Makes technical corrections to chapter 46.87 RCW.
Repeals RCW 46.87.085, 46.87.170, 46.87.180, and 46.87.901.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

SB 5266 by Senators Fairley, Benson, Prentice and Benton

Reserving state authority to regulate customer financial transactions

Finds that consumers, financial services providers, and financial institutions need uniformity and certainty in their financial transactions.

Declares an intent to reserve the authority to regulate customer financial transactions involving consumers, financial services providers, and financial institutions.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Financial Institutions, Housing & Consumer Protection.

SB 5267 by Senators Haugen, Esser, Rasmussen, Delvin and McAuliffe

Clarifying the ability of Washington state patrol officers to engage in private law enforcement off-duty employment in plainclothes for private benefit.

Clarifies the ability of Washington state patrol officers to engage in private law enforcement off-duty employment in plainclothes for private benefit.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

SB 5268 by Senators Esser and Kastama

Allowing assumptions of water-sewer districts by code cities.

Provides that the board of commissioners of a watersewer district, with fewer than two hundred fifty customers on the effective date of this act, and the city council of a code city with a population greater than one hundred thousand on the effective date of this act, may provide for assumption by the city of the district in accordance with RCW 35.13A.020, except as provided herein, pursuant to the terms and conditions of a contract executed in accordance with RCW 35.13A.070.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Government Operations & Elections.

SB 5269 by Senators Kohl-Welles, Hargrove, Stevens, Regala and Oke

Maintaining the residential parenting program at the women's correctional center.

Finds that a child's early attachment to his or her parent influences physical and intellectual development, forms the foundation for psychological development, and becomes the prototype for subsequent interpersonal relationships.

Finds that the late stages of gestation, birth, and first two years of life are critical in an infant's development of conscience, and his or her ability to trust and relate to others, and establish the foundation for key protective factors such as intelligence, trust, and empathy.

Finds that when these are depressed or when an infant is mistreated, it may lead to early aggression, impulsive temperament, and violent behavior which are the strongest developmental predictors of future involvement in violent behavior.

Finds persuasive research that strongly indicates that the best way to improve later developmental outcomes is to improve mother-child interaction and prevent early loss of primary relationships or breaks in caregiving.

Finds persuasive national statistics that demonstrate that incarcerated mothers who develop strong parenting skills and bond with their children are less likely to reoffend.

Declares that the residential parenting program at the women's correctional center protects public safety and promotes outcomes that are socially and fiscally responsible by reducing recidivism and reducing the likelihood that a child of an incarcerated mother will become at-risk for committing criminal offenses as a juvenile or adult.

Requires the department to maintain a residential parenting program at its major correctional institution for women to allow those inmates who meet eligibility requirements to keep their infants with them during their incarceration. The program shall provide an appropriate living situation for the infants, promote positive parenting skills, and facilitate transition services back into the community.

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Human Services & Corrections.

SB 5270 by Senators Haugen, Swecker, Kastama, Oke, Spanel, Esser, Jacobsen and Shin

Assisting vessel registration enforcement.

Provides that an owner of a vessel that is not registered as required by chapter 88.02 RCW and for which watercraft excise tax is due under chapter 82.49 RCW is liable for a penalty in the following amount: (1) One hundred dollars for the owner's first violation;

- (2) Two hundred dollars for the owner's second violation involving the same or any other vessel; or
- (3) Four hundred dollars for the owner's third and successive violations involving the same or any other vessel.

Provides that a marina that leases permanent moorage to vessels must require the following information from the lessee as a condition of leasing moorage space: (1) The name of the legal owner of the vessel;

- (2) A local contact person, if different than the owner;
- (3) The owner's address and telephone number;
- (4) The vessel's hull identification number;
- (5) The vessel's Coast Guard registration (if applicable);
- (6) The vessel's home port;
- (7) The date on which the moorage lease began; and
- (8) The vessel's country or state of registration and registration number.

Provides that a marina that leases permanent moorage to vessels must require proof of vessel registration or a written statement of intent to register a vessel as a condition of leasing moorage space.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

SB 5271 by Senators Jacobsen, Oke, Rockefeller, Morton, Swecker, Doumit, Rasmussen and Shin; by request of Commissioner of Public Lands

Allowing certain state-owned filled tidelands and shorelands to be designated as aquatic investment properties.

Finds that a high percentage of state-owned tidelands and shorelands were sold into private ownership as part of the state legislature's earliest efforts to foster Washington's economic expansion. The remaining state-owned tideland and shoreland ownership is fragmented and some state-owned tidelands and shorelands have been altered by fill to such a degree that they have the characteristics of uplands.

Declares that these filled lands may no longer provide public benefits as aquatic lands as described in RCW 79.90.450 and 79.90.455 and remain underutilized as dry land because they are subject to a management philosophy dedicated to the protection of submerged lands.

Recognizes that certain state-owned filled tidelands and filled shorelands should be designated as aquatic investment properties and commercially managed in order to generate funding for the acquisition, protection, and management of functioning aquatic lands.

Declares an intent to authorize the department of natural resources to buy and sell certain filled tidelands and shorelands which, if bought or sold, would not cause the loss of aquatic ecological functions, public access opportunities, or interfere with water-dependent activities and businesses.

Appropriates the sum of five hundred thousand dollars, or as much thereof as may be necessary, for the biennium

ending June 30, 2007, from the aquatic sustaining investment account to the department of natural resources for the purposes described in this act.

Repeals RCW 79.90.250.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Natural Resources, Ocean & Recreation.

SB 5272 by Senators Jacobsen, Oke, Doumit and Morton; by request of Commissioner of

**Public Lands** 

Reorganizing aquatic lands statutes.

Reorganizes aquatic lands statutes.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Natural Resources, Ocean & Recreation.

SB 5273 by Senators Jacobsen, Oke, Rockefeller, Morton, Swecker and Doumit; by request of Commissioner of Public Lands

Developing a single pilot mitigation bank on state-owned aquatic lands.

Finds that the existing state and federal regulatory framework for wetland and aquatic resource mitigation is an important tool used to offset impacts to aquatic lands.

Finds that because impacts to wetlands and aquatic resources often affect state-owned aquatic lands, the department should work within established state and federal regulatory mitigation processes to develop a single pilot mitigation bank on state-owned aquatic lands.

Declares an intent to establish the proprietary mechanisms for the department to develop, implement, and manage a single pilot mitigation bank on state-owned aquatic lands. Additional authority will be needed if the department seeks to establish more than one mitigation bank.

Requires that, by December 31, 2010, the department must provide a report to the appropriate committees of the senate and house of representatives that provides the status of the pilot mitigation bank in regards to regulatory certification, management plan development, service area determination, credit determination, valuation, and sale, and endowment fund creation and expenditure.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Natural Resources, Ocean & Recreation.

SB 5274 by Senators Keiser, Parlette, Franklin, Hewitt, Prentice and Mulliken

Establishing a trainee real estate appraiser classification.

Declares an intent to provide for the proper supervision and training of new entrants to the appraiser profession through the implementation of the state-registered appraiser trainee classification.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Labor, Commerce, Research & Development.

# SB 5275 by Senators Fairley, Benton, Regala, Kline, Franklin and Mulliken

Prohibiting the use of consumer credit histories for personal insurance renewal decisions.

Declares that any use of credit history for renewal decisions by insurers violates the consumer protection act.

Finds that the practices covered by RCW 48.18.545(3) are matters vitally affecting the public interest for the purpose of applying the consumer protection act, chapter 19.86 RCW. A violation of RCW 48.18.545(3) is not reasonable in relation to the development and preservation of business and is an unfair or deceptive act in trade or commerce and an unfair method of competition for the purpose of applying the consumer protection act, chapter 19.86 RCW.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Financial Institutions, Housing & Consumer Protection.

# SB 5276 by Senator Benton

Limiting collection of delinquent water-sewer district charges.

Amends RCW 57.08.081 to limit collection of delinquent water-sewer district charges.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Government Operations & Elections.

# SB 5277 by Senators Hargrove and Regala

Requiring plans that provide coverage for prostheses to provide coverage for hearing aids.

Requires plans that provide coverage for prostheses to provide coverage for hearing aids.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Health & Long-Term Care.

#### SB 5278 by Senators Jacobsen, Kline and Fraser

Establishing the ocean policy review commission.

Declares that, between 2001 and 2004, two high level commissions, the United States commission on ocean policy and the Pew oceans commission, studied and issued reports documenting the state of our nation's oceans and provided ocean policy recommendations. In response to the final report of the United States commission on ocean policy, the president issued the United States ocean action plan and created the cabinet-level committee on ocean policy in December 2004. Through these actions, the federal government has evidenced an intent to facilitate coordination between federal, state, tribal, local governments, and other interested groups and to provide funding for ocean resources programs and activities.

Declares that an evaluation of the condition of the state's coastal and ocean resources and the development of options for addressing the opportunities and challenges facing these resources will facilitate the adoption of a more efficient and effective ocean policy.

Requires the ocean policy review commission to: (1) Examine the condition of Washington's coastal and ocean

resources and their contribution to the state's character, quality of life, and economic vitality;

- (2) Review and summarize the various interests, roles, and responsibilities of public entities, tribal interests, and other stakeholders in the protection and management of Washington's coastal and ocean resources;
- (3) Identify and recommend ways to more effectively protect and manage coastal and ocean resources and take advantage of appropriate new opportunities to use such resources;
- (4) Identify and recommend ways to improve coordination between state agencies on coastal and ocean resources issues;
- (5) Identify and recommend ways to improve the state's coordination with Oregon, British Columbia, the federal government, other states, and tribal and local governments on coastal and ocean resources issues;
- (6) Identify and recommend ways to improve coordination of scientific and technological information and capabilities within the state; and
- (7) Identify and recommend ways to finance coastal and ocean protection, management, and development programs.

Requires the ocean policy review commission to report its findings and recommendations to the governor and the appropriate policy and fiscal committees of the senate and house of representatives by December 31, 2006.

Directs the governor or the governor's designee to work to secure federal grants and other sources of funding for inclusion in the coastal and ocean resources account during the existence of the ocean policy review commission.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Natural Resources, Ocean & Recreation.

#### SB 5279 by Senator Jacobsen

Modifying provisions with regard to recreational activities on certain lands.

Declares that, for purposes of RCW 4.24.210, the following are not fees: (1) A license or permit issued for statewide use under authority of chapter 79A.05 RCW or Title 77 RCW; and

(2) A daily, seasonal, or annual charge for access to privately owned lands for the purposes of outdoor recreation where all revenues are devoted to land management costs.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Natural Resources, Ocean & Recreation.

SB 5280 by Senators Weinstein, Jacobsen, Finkbeiner, Schmidt, Haugen and Shin

Requiring motorcycle safety courses to be approved by the director of licensing.

Requires motorcycle safety courses to be approved by the director of licensing.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Transportation.

SB 5281 by Senators Spanel, Hewitt, Fraser and Swecker

Funding the development of an automated system to process real estate excise taxes.

Creates the real estate excise tax electronic technology account in the custody of the state treasurer. An appropriation is not required for expenditure and the account is not subject to allotment procedures under chapter 43.88 RCW.

Directs the county treasurer to collect an additional five-dollar fee on all taxable transactions required by chapter 82.45 RCW. The county treasurer shall remit this fee to the state treasurer at the same time the county treasurer remits funds to the state under RCW 84.56.280. The state treasurer shall place money from this fee in the real estate excise tax electronic technology account.

Requires that, when received by the county treasurer, the funds shall be placed in a special real estate excise tax electronic technology fund held by the county treasurer to be used exclusively for the development, implementation, and maintenance of an electronic processing and reporting system for real estate excise tax affidavits. Funds may be expended to make the system compatible with the automated real estate excise tax system developed by the department of revenue and compatible with the processes used in the offices of the county assessor and county auditor. Any funds held in the account that are not expended by July 1, 2015, revert to the county capital improvements fund.

Takes effect August 1, 2005.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Government Operations & Elections.

SB 5282 by Senators Kline, Hargrove, Mulliken, Fairley and Thibaudeau

Clarifying earned release provisions that apply to city and county jails.

Amends RCW 9.92.151 and 70.48.210 relating to a clarification of the earned release time provisions for offenders held in city or county jails.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Human Services & Corrections.

SB 5283 by Senators Kline, Mulliken, Keiser, Carrell, Shin, Stevens, Regala, Doumit, Rasmussen, Oke and Benton

Increasing penalties for repeat DUI offenses.
Increases penalties for repeat DUI offenses.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Judiciary.

SB 5284 by Senators Kline, Thibaudeau and Fairley

Removing robbery 2 from the list of most serious offenses. Deletes robbery 2 from the list of most serious offenses.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Judiciary.

SB 5285 by Senators Poulsen, Morton, Rockefeller, Honeyford, Kline, Mulliken and Oke

Updating the water quality joint development act to provide local government flexibility for improving drinking water and treatment services.

Revises the water quality joint development act to provide local government flexibility for improving drinking water and treatment services.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Water, Energy & Environment.

SB 5286 by Senators Kastama, Prentice and Doumit

Restricting postretirement employment for members of the public employees' retirement system plan 1 and the teachers' retirement system plan 1.

Restricts postretirement employment for members of the public employees' retirement system plan 1 and the teachers' retirement system plan 1.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5287 by Senator Prentice

Authorizing a state tax on social card games.

Authorizes a state tax on social card games.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Labor, Commerce, Research & Development.

SB 5288 by Senators McAuliffe, Hargrove, Stevens, Regala, Thibaudeau and Carrell

Specifying how custodial interrogations of juveniles may be conducted.

Requires that, when a law enforcement officer takes a juvenile into custody, the officer must immediately make reasonable attempts to notify a parent, guardian, or custodian that the juvenile is in custody, where the juvenile is being held, and of his or her right to consult with the juvenile.

Provides that no statement, admission, or confession, written or oral, of a juvenile under the age of seventeen given as the result of custodial interrogation by law enforcement officials is admissible unless: (1) A parent, guardian, or custodian was present during the statement;

- (2) Prior to the statement the juvenile and his or her parent, guardian, or custodian were advised of the juvenile's rights, including the right to remain silent, that any statement may be used against him or her, the right to an attorney, and the right to have an attorney appointed if financially unable to afford one;
- (3) There was meaningful consultation between the juvenile and the parent, guardian, or custodian; and
- (4) The parent, guardian, or custodian does not have any interests adverse to the juvenile.

Provides that, if a juvenile expresses fear or distress at the prospect of law enforcement notifying the juvenile's parent, guardian, or custodian that the juvenile is in custody, which leads the officer to believe there is a possibility that the juvenile is experiencing some type of abuse or neglect, the juvenile shall be given a reasonable opportunity to have another interested adult present. If no other interested adult is available after reasonable efforts are made to contact the adult at the juvenile's request, the juvenile shall be provided with an attorney.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Human Services & Corrections.

SB 5289 by Senators McAuliffe, Hargrove, Stevens, Regala, Mulliken and Benton

Disregarding from federal accountability reporting those students receiving home-based instruction who participate in running start.

Provides that a student receiving home-based instruction enrolling in a public high school for the sole purpose of participating in courses or programs offered by institutions of higher education shall not be counted by the school district in any required state or federal accountability reporting if the student's parents or guardians filed a declaration of intent to provide home-based instruction and the student received home-based instruction during the school year before the school year in which the student intends to participate in courses or programs offered by the institution of higher education.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Early Learning, K-12 & Higher Education.

SB 5290 by Senators Delvin, Rasmussen, Schoesler, Shin, Morton, Jacobsen and Mulliken

Including goats in theft of livestock in the first degree.

Amends RCW 9A.56.080 and 4.24.320 to include goats in theft of livestock in the first degree.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Agriculture & Rural Economic Development.

SB 5291 by Senators Poulsen, Morton, Fraser, Mulliken and Kohl-Welles

Authorizing the construction and operation of renewable energy projects by joint operating agencies.

Authorizes the construction and operation of renewable energy projects by joint operating agencies.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Water, Energy & Environment.

# SB 5292 by Senators Poulsen and Morton

Requiring an administrative auditor to conduct nuclear power plant audits.

Requires an administrative auditor to conduct nuclear power plant audits.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Water, Energy & Environment.

SB 5293 by Senators Mulliken, Hargrove, Stevens and Delvin

Requiring DSHS to investigate fraud and to cooperate with fraud investigations.

Directs the department to investigate any discrepancy, including any overpayment or fraud, and to report all fraudulent activity to local law enforcement. Fraud includes overpayments where it is found by the department that the provider or recipient failed to disclose or misrepresents material facts.

Provides that, when evidence or other information compiled as part of fraud investigations conducted under chapter 43.20A RCW indicate that there is any potential for criminal violations, all findings, evidence, and supporting information shall be transferred in a timely manner to law enforcement officers in the county in which the fraud was allegedly committed.

Requires department fraud investigators to cooperate in the investigation and prosecution of crimes.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Human Services & Corrections.

# SB 5294 by Senators Mulliken and Stevens

Revising the licensing process for agencies providing care for children, expectant mothers, and persons with developmental disabilities.

Amends RCW 74.15.100 relating to signature upon penalty of perjury on license applications for agencies providing care for children, expectant mothers, and persons with developmental disabilities.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Human Services & Corrections.

SB 5295 by Senators Mulliken, Hargrove and Stevens

Requiring unique identifying numbers for agencies providing care for children, expectant mothers, or persons with developmental disabilities.

Ensures that each agency licensed under chapter 74.15 RCW shall have a unique identifying number issued upon application that shall be used in all transactions with the department and which can be used to track and trace all payments made to that agency. The unique identifying number assigned shall not be the agency's social security number.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Human Services & Corrections.

SB 5296 by Senators Mulliken, Hargrove, Stevens and Rasmussen

Providing for identity verification for persons providing care to children, expectant mothers, and persons with developmental disabilities.

Requires verification of the identity of an applicant for an agency license or renewal of a license. In order to verify the identity of an applicant for a license or renewal of a license, the secretary shall require that an applicant submit his or her date of birth, a copy of his or her valid picture identification issued by a government entity, and a copy of his or her social security card or verification of his or her employer identification number. The secretary shall use the information provided only to verify the identity of the applicant.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Human Services & Corrections.

# SB 5297 by Senator Mulliken

Requiring a unique identifying number for each child eligible for state-subsidized child care.

Provides that each child eligible for state-subsidized child care shall be assigned a unique identifying number upon application for state-subsidized child care that can be used to track the attendance and state financial support provided to that child. The unique identifying number assigned shall not be the applicant's social security number.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Human Services & Corrections.

SB 5298 by Senators Carrell, Kastama, Stevens, Berkey, Rockefeller, Rasmussen, Oke, Swecker, Delvin, Schmidt, Morton, Parlette, Benson and Mulliken

Exempting qualified historic property from the state property tax.

Recognizes it is a public good to keep historic private property on the tax rolls at its maximum value, rather than having such property fall into disrepair, and that well-maintained and preserved historic property enhances a community's sense of culture and pride. To achieve this purpose, chapter 84.26 RCW provides special valuation for improvements to historic property and property tax exemptions for maintenance and repair activities.

Provides that historic property that is designated as qualified historic property under this act is exempt from property taxes levied for any state purpose for the year of designation. This exemption cannot be claimed more than once in a five-year period.

Requires an owner of property desiring designation as qualified historic property under this chapter to apply to the assessor of the county in which the property is located upon forms prescribed by the department of revenue and supplied by the county assessor. Applications shall be made no later than October 1st for exemption from taxes payable the following year.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Government Operations & Elections.

SB 5299 by Senators Carrell, Swecker and Zarelli

Requiring county assessors to submit an annual property tax report to the department of revenue.

Requires each county assessor, before March 1st each year, to prepare and submit to the department of revenue a detailed report on property taxes levied within the county. The report must include assessed valuation, levy rate, and levy amount for each type of levy by each taxing district

authorized to levy property taxes within the county. The report must also include information necessary to calculate the property tax limit contained in chapter 84.55 RCW for each taxing district.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Government Operations & Elections.

SB 5300 by Senators Carrell, Zarelli, Schmidt, Stevens, Esser, Delvin, Swecker, Pflug, Honeyford and Mulliken

Addressing defenses in civil actions.

Finds that a person who is injured as a result of engaging in criminal activity should not be entitled to recover damages for that injury if the criminal activity was an actual cause of the injury and the circumstances of the injury warrant preclusion of liability as a matter of social policy and common sense. The law provides a complete defense against a personal injury action if the injured person was engaged in a felony at the time of the injury.

Declares an intent to extend this policy to situations involving gross misdemeanor and misdemeanor crimes if the person is found to have committed the offense.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Judiciary.

SB 5301 by Senators Carrell, Swecker, Johnson, Schoesler, Benson, Honeyford, Stevens and Mulliken

Authorizing law libraries to deliver services on-line.

Provides that all of the services of any county or regional law library under chapter 27.24 RCW may be delivered through one or more on-line electronic legal research facilities supplied or contracted for by a county or counties.

Provides that no county may maintain more than one library facility with legal research materials in the form of printed material, including but not limited to books, periodicals, or reports. Any county that maintains such a facility may also maintain one or more separate electronic research facilities.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Judiciary.

SB 5302 by Senators Jacobsen, Poulsen, Schmidt and Kohl-Welles

Authorizing compensation for school district boards of directors.

Authorizes the school district board of directors to adopt a resolution authorizing each member of the school district board of directors to receive compensation in an amount not to exceed one hundred dollars for each day during which the member attends an official meeting of the group or performs statutorily prescribed duties approved by the chairperson of the board.

Declares that a person shall not receive compensation for a day of service under this section if: (1) The person occupies a position normally regarded as full time in nature, in any agency of the federal government, Washington state government, Washington state local government, or school district in Washington state; and (2) Receives any compensation from such government for working that day.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Early Learning, K-12 & Higher Education.

SB 5303 by Senators Jacobsen, Poulsen, Kline and Franklin

Creating the historically Black college fund pilot project.

Declares an intent to direct the higher education coordinating board to establish a pilot project that permits a limited number of students to use their state need grant awards to study at Morehouse College, Howard University, Spelman College, Grambling State University, and Tuskegee University.

Creates the historically Black college fund pilot project. Through the pilot project, up to one hundred students may use their state-funded need grant awards when they study at Morehouse College, Howard University, Spelman College, Grambling State University, or Tuskegee University.

Expires June 30, 2010.

Requires that, by December 15, 2010, the board shall report to the governor and appropriate committees of the legislature on the results of the pilot project. The report shall include a recommendation on the extent financial aid portability programs should be revised or expanded for Washington's students.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Early Learning, K-12 & Higher Education.

SB 5304 by Senators Jacobsen, Poulsen and Kline

Providing a specific funding mechanism for making community and technical college faculty salary increment awards.

Declares an intent that state appropriations be adjusted to an amount which, together with faculty turnover savings, provides for a fair and equitable funding of faculty salary increments for both part-time and full-time faculty.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Labor, Commerce, Research & Development.

SB 5305 by Senators Rasmussen, Benton, Roach, Swecker, Zarelli, Regala, Stevens, Shin, Delvin, Franklin and Mulliken

Prohibiting vaccinating pregnant women and children with mercury-containing vaccines.

Provides that, beginning July 1, 2006, a person who is known to be pregnant or who is under three years of age shall not be vaccinated with a mercury-containing vaccine or injected with a mercury-containing product that contains more than 0.5 micrograms of mercury per 0.5 milliliter dose.

Declares that, notwithstanding this provision, an influenza vaccine may contain up to 1.0 micrograms of mercury per 0.5 milliliter dose.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Health & Long-Term Care.

SB 5306 by Senators Weinstein, Rockefeller, Pridemore, McAuliffe, Shin, Fairley, Prentice, Keiser, Regala, Brown, Kline and Kohl-Welles

Regarding sexual health education.

Declares that the state has a duty to ensure that young people are equipped with the comprehensive, medically accurate, age-appropriate information that they need to protect themselves from unintended pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases, including HIV infection. The best approach to protecting youth in this environment is to support the resources that they trust and to ensure that young people have as much accurate, objective information about sexual health as possible.

Requires every school district that offers sexual health education to incorporate the January 2005 guidelines for sexual health information and disease prevention of the department of health and the office of the superintendent of public instruction.

Provides that every school district that offers sexual health education must emphasize abstinence, as required by RCW 70.24.210, except that abstinence may not be taught to the exclusion of other methods of preventing teenage pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases, including HIV infection. In addition to abstinence, sexual health education must teach medically accurate information about the effectiveness of contraceptives and other family planning options in a comprehensive manner.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Health & Long-Term Care.

SB 5307 by Senators Keiser, Eide and Kohl-Welles

Modifying requirements for the operation of amusement

Revises requirements for the operation of amusement rides.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Labor, Commerce, Research & Development.

SB 5308 by Senators Kohl-Welles, Hargrove and Oke

Changing provisions relating to mandatory reporting of child abuse or neglect.

Provides that, when any person, in his or her official supervisory capacity with a nonprofit or for-profit organization, has reasonable cause to believe that a child has suffered abuse or neglect caused by a person over whom he or she regularly exercises supervisory authority, he or she shall report such incident, or cause a report to be made, to the proper law enforcement agency, provided that the person alleged to have caused the abuse or neglect is employed by, contracted by, or volunteers with the organization and coaches, trains, educates, or counsels a child or children or regularly has unsupervised access to a child or children as part of the employment, contract, or voluntary service.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Human Services & Corrections.

**SB 5309** by Senators Kohl-Welles, Benton and Kline

Revising the definition of "abuse of a supervisory position."

Provides that "abuse of a supervisory position" means a direct or indirect threat or promise to use authority to the detriment or benefit of a minor or the use of a significant relationship to obtain the consent of a minor.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Human Services & Corrections.

SB 5310 by Senators Johnson, Roach, Swecker, Schoesler, Stevens and Hewitt

Prohibiting surveys of unemployment insurance claimants.

Provides that, to respect the privacy and dignity of individual claimants, the department may not survey current or former claimants regarding any claimant's household budget or the expenditure of his or her unemployment benefits.

#### -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Labor, Commerce, Research & Development.

#### **Senate Concurrent Resolutions**

**SCR 8401** 

by Senators Jacobsen, Prentice, Poulsen, Fairley, Kline and Schmidt

Creating a joint select committee concerning Latino accessibility to higher education.

Establishes a joint select committee on Latino accessibility to higher education, in consultation with the Washington State commission on Hispanic affairs to: (1) Increase awareness throughout the educational pipeline about the challenges facing the Latino community, to close the generational information gap within the Latino community;

- (2) Close the generational information gap within the Latino community about the cost of and accessibility to higher education;
- (3) Investigate ways to provide an appropriate level of financial aid to help Latinos enroll in and graduate from Washington State institutions of higher education;
- (4) Improve articulation and communication between two-year and four-year institutions of higher education regarding higher education issues especially important to the Latino community; and
- (5) Develop and propose strategies for helping Latino students achieve at high academic levels.

Directs the committee to report its findings and recommendations to the legislature at the regular legislative session in 2007.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Early Learning, K-12 & Higher Education.

SCR 8402 by Senators Kohl-Welles, Schmidt, Pridemore and Kline

Authorizing an interim study creating a master plan for education.

Authorizes an interim study creating a master plan for education.

# -- 2005 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 19 First reading, referred to Early Learning, K-12 & Higher Education.

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