

2SSB 6518 - S AMD 561

By Senators Billig, Chase

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1 On page 12, line 6, after "provided in" insert "section 8 of this
2 act and"

3 On page 13, after line 29, insert the following:

4 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 8.** (1) The FAA center of excellence for
5 alternative jet fuels and environment at Washington State University
6 shall convene a sustainable aviation biofuels work group.

7 (2) The purpose of the work group is to:

8 (a) Further the development of sustainable aviation fuel as a
9 productive industry in Washington, using as a foundation the regional
10 assessment prepared by the collaborative known as the sustainable
11 aviation fuels northwest;

12 (b) Facilitate communication and coordination among aviation
13 biofuels stakeholders;

14 (c) Provide a forum for discussion and problem solving regarding
15 potential and current barriers related to technology development,
16 production, distribution, supply chain development, and
17 commercialization of aviation biofuels; and

18 (d) Provide recommendations to the legislature on potential
19 legislation that will facilitate the technology development,
20 production, distribution, and commercialization of aviation biofuels.

21 (3) The FAA center of excellence for alternative jet fuels and
22 environment at Washington State University, in consultation with the
23 legislative members, shall designate work group members that represent
24 sectors involved in sustainable aviation biofuels research,
25 development, production, and utilization. The work group shall include
26 but not be limited to representatives from the following:

27 (a) The Washington state senate;

28 (b) The Washington state house of representatives;

29 (c) An agriculture advocacy organization;

- 1 (d) An airline operator;
2 (e) An airplane manufacturer;
3 (f) An airport operator located in western Washington and an
4 airport operator located in eastern Washington;
5 (g) Biofuels feedstock producers;
6 (h) Two biofuels producers;
7 (i) The department of agriculture;
8 (j) The department of commerce;
9 (k) The department of natural resources;
10 (l) A sustainable energy advocacy organization;
11 (m) The United States department of defense;
12 (n) The University of Washington;
13 (o) Washington State University; and
14 (p) The Pacific Northwest national laboratory.
15 (4) The work group shall choose its chair from among its
16 membership.
17 (5) The work group may not meet more than twice a year.
18 (6) The work group shall provide an update of its findings and
19 recommendations to the governor and the appropriate committees of the
20 legislature by December 1st of each even year through 2016.
21 (7) This section expires June 30, 2017."

22 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct any
23 internal references accordingly.

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24 On page 1, line 6 of the title, after "creating" strike "a new
25 section" and insert "new sections"

26 On page 1, line 9 of the title, strike "and" and after "date"
27 insert "; and providing an expiration date"

EFFECT: Provides an additional exception to the transfer of property from Innovate Washington to the Department of Commerce. The Sustainable Aviation Biofuels Work Group currently under the jurisdiction of Innovate Washington is transferred to the FAA Center of Excellence for Alternative Jet Fuels and Environment at Washington State University.

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