

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SENATE BILL 5145

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HYDRAULIC FRACTURING--OIL AND NATURAL GAS

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CYRUS HABIB

President of the Senate

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Yeas 61 Nays 37

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Approved May 8, 2019 3:13 PM

JAY INSLEE

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Brad Hendrickson, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SENATE BILL 5145** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

BRAD HENDRICKSON

Secretary

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May 13, 2019

**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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By Senators Salomon, Nguyen, Dhingra, Rolfes, Frockt, Hunt, Billig, Darneille, Palumbo, Kuderer, Saldaña, and Van De Wege

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1 AN ACT Relating to the use of hydraulic fracturing in the
2 exploration for and production of oil and natural gas; and adding a
3 new section to chapter 78.52 RCW.

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

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 78.52
6 RCW to read as follows:

7 (1) The use of hydraulic fracturing in the exploration for, and
8 production of, oil and natural gas is prohibited. This section does
9 not prohibit the use of hydraulic fracturing for other purposes.

10 (2) For the purposes of this section, "hydraulic fracturing"
11 means the process of pumping a fluid into or under the surface of the
12 ground in order to create fractures in rock for the purpose of the
13 production or recovery of oil or natural gas.

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