

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5017

54th Legislature
1995 Regular Session

Passed by the Senate April 18, 1995
YEAS 46 NAYS 0

President of the Senate

Passed by the House April 6, 1995
YEAS 96 NAYS 1

**Speaker of the
House of Representatives**

Approved

CERTIFICATE

I, Marty Brown, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5017** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

Secretary

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Governor of the State of Washington

**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5017

AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

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By Senate Committee on Natural Resources (originally sponsored by Senator Snyder)

Read first time 01/30/95.

1 AN ACT Relating to commercial fishery licenses; adding a new
2 section to chapter 75.28 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 75.30
3 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 75.28 RCW
6 to read as follows:

7 If, for any reason, the department does not allow any opportunity
8 for a commercial fishery during a calendar year, the department shall
9 either: (1) Waive the requirement to obtain a license for that
10 commercial fishery for that year; or (2) refund applicable license fees
11 upon return of the license.

12 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 75.30 RCW
13 to read as follows:

14 (1) The department shall waive license requirements, including
15 landing or poundage requirements, if, during the calendar year that a
16 license issued pursuant to chapter 75.28 RCW is valid, no harvest
17 opportunity occurs in the fishery corresponding to the license.

1 (2) For each license limitation program, where the person failed to
2 hold the license and failed to make landing or poundage requirements
3 because of a license waiver by the department during the previous year,
4 the person shall qualify for a license by establishing that the person
5 held the license during the last year in which the license was not
6 waived.

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