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Approved

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

We, Timothy A. Martin and Cynthia Zehnder, Co-Chief Clerks of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 1606** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

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Schoesler and Lisk

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Telecommunications & Energy.

1 AN ACT Relating to electricity rate structure for irrigation
2 pumping installations; adding a new section to chapter 80.28 RCW;
3 adding a new section to chapter 54.16 RCW; adding a new section to
4 chapter 35.92 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 23.86 RCW; adding a
5 new section to chapter 24.06 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 87.03
6 RCW; and declaring an emergency.

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

8 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 80.28 RCW
9 to read as follows:

10 Upon request by an electrical company, the commission may approve
11 a tariff for irrigation pumping service that allows the company to buy
12 back electricity from customers to reduce electricity usage by those
13 customers during the electrical company's particular irrigation season.

14 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 54.16 RCW
15 to read as follows:

16 The commission may approve a tariff for irrigation pumping service
17 that allows the district to buy back electricity from customers to

1 reduce electricity usage by those customers during the district's
2 particular irrigation season.

3 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** A new section is added to chapter 35.92 RCW
4 to read as follows:

5 The council or board may approve a tariff for irrigation pumping
6 service that allows the municipal utility to buy back electricity from
7 customers to reduce electricity usage by those customers during the
8 municipal utility's particular irrigation season.

9 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 4.** A new section is added to chapter 23.86 RCW
10 to read as follows:

11 The board may approve a tariff for irrigation pumping service that
12 allows the locally regulated utility to buy back electricity from
13 customers to reduce electricity usage by those customers during the
14 locally regulated utility's particular irrigation season.

15 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 5.** A new section is added to chapter 24.06 RCW
16 to read as follows:

17 The board may approve a tariff for irrigation pumping service that
18 allows the locally regulated utility to buy back electricity from
19 customers to reduce electricity usage by those customers during the
20 locally regulated utility's particular irrigation season.

21 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 6.** A new section is added to chapter 87.03 RCW
22 to read as follows:

23 The board may approve a tariff for irrigation pumping service that
24 allows the irrigation district to buy back electricity from customers
25 to reduce electricity usage by those customers during the irrigation
26 district's particular irrigation season.

27 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 7.** This act is necessary for the immediate
28 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the
29 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect
30 immediately.

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