

WASHINGTON STATE LEGISLATURE



Legislative Digest No. 59

SIXTIETH LEGISLATURE

Tuesday, April 10, 2007

93rd Day - 2007 Regular Session

SENATE SB 5799-S2 SB 6168-S

HOUSE HB 2402 HB 2403

This publication includes digest and history for bills, joint memorials, joint resolutions, concurrent resolutions, initiatives, and substitutes. Engrossed measures may be republished if the amendment makes a substantive change.

Electronic versions of Legislative Digests are available at http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/digests.aspx?year=2007.

House Bills

HB 2402 by Representatives Kelley and Morrell

Enhancing the penalties for crimes against victims whose immediate family member has died.

Provides that an additional twelve months shall be added to the standard sentence range for theft in the first degree, theft in the second degree, forgery, identity theft in the first degree, identity theft in the second degree, or criminal impersonation in the first degree, if there has been a special verdict or finding that an immediate relative of the victim died within six months prior to the commission of the crime under this act.

-- 2007 REGULAR SESSION --

Apr 6 First reading, referred to Public Safety & Emergency Preparedness.

HB 2403 by Representatives Roach, Orcutt, Ericksen, Schindler, Rodne, Ahern, Warnick, McDonald, Hailey, Priest, Alexander, Bailey, Haler, Newhouse, Jarrett, Condotta, Hinkle, Kristiansen, McCune, Strow, Chandler, Kelley, and VanDeWege

Limiting property tax increases to one percent by reenacting the provisions of Initiative Measure No. 747.

Limits property tax increases to one percent by reenacting the provisions of Initiative Measure No. 747.

-- 2007 REGULAR SESSION --

Apr 9 First reading, referred to Finance.

Senate Bills

 SB 5799-S2 by Senate Committee on Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Senators Haugen, Prentice, Swecker, Berkey, Marr, Kilmer, Clements, Sheldon, Schoesler, and Shin)

Reducing business and occupation tax rates for certain fuel distributors.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 2ND SUBSTITUTE)

Reduces business and occupation tax rates for certain fuel distributors.

- -- 2007 REGULAR SESSION --
- Feb 5 Executive session in committee.
- Feb 19 Public hearing in committee.
- Apr 2 Public hearing and executive action taken in committee.
 WM - Majority; 2nd substitute bill be substituted, do pass.
 Passed to Rules Committee for second reading.

SB 6168-S by Senate Committee on Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Senators Berkey, Zarelli, Stevens, and Shin)

Concerning excise tax relief for aerospace product development businesses.

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Revises provisions relating to excise tax relief for aerospace product development businesses.

- -- 2007 REGULAR SESSION --
- Mar 30 Public hearing in committee.
- Apr 2 Executive session in committee.

WM - Majority; 1st substitute bill be substituted, do pass. Minority; without recommendation.

Passed to Rules Committee for second reading.