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House Bills

HB 1070 by Representatives Hurst and Dahlquist

Addressing employer notification upon commercial driver's license suspension.

Requires the department of licensing to: (1) Notify a driver's employer, if the employer is on file with the department, upon a determination regarding the suspension, revocation, or cancellation of a commercial driver's license or disqualification of the driver from operating a commercial motor vehicle; and

(2) Establish a voluntary database in which an employer may register an employee for which the employer wishes to receive the notification mentioned above.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Transportation.

HB 1071 by Representatives Blake and Chandler

Regarding state and private partnerships for managing salmonid hatcheries.

Expands the long-range business plan, with regard to state and private partnerships for managing salmonid hatcheries, to include the harvesting of hatchery chum salmon.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources.

HB 1072 by Representatives Chandler, Sells, Ormsby, Reykdal, Freeman, Fagan, and Morrell

Creating the agricultural labor skills and safety grant program.

Requires the department of commerce, subject to the availability of amounts appropriated for this specific purpose, to create and administer the agricultural labor skills and safety grant program to provide training opportunities for agricultural workers.

Expires July 1, 2016.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Labor & Workforce Development.

HB 1073 by Representatives Johnson, Blake, Chandler, Haigh, Takko, Ross, and Schmick

Concerning payments to counties in lieu of property taxes on state-owned land.

Requires the state treasurer, on behalf of the department of fish and wildlife, to pay an amount on game lands, in lieu of real property taxes.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources.

HB 1074 by Representatives Angel, Takko, Buys, and Pike

Concerning requirements governing and associated with plat approvals.

Changes certain time limitations governing and associated with plat approvals.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Local Government.

HB 1075 by Representatives Lytton, Blake, Chandler, Haigh, and Morris

Concerning the number of Puget Sound Dungeness crab fishery licenses that one vessel may be designated to carry.

Increases the number of Puget Sound Dungeness crab fishery licenses that one vessel may be designated to carry.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources.

HB 1076 by Representatives Haigh, Johnson, Takko,

Fagan, Lytton, Short, and Dahlquist

Expanding participation in innovation academy cooperatives.

Allows high school students residing in other school districts to enroll in the innovation academy cooperative.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Education.

HB 1077 by Representatives Haigh, Lytton, Takko, and Johnson

Authorizing the educational service district board to fill vacancies on the board of directors in second-class school districts with an at-large appointment if after one hundred twenty days a candidate from the director district cannot be recruited.

Authorizes an educational service district board, when filling a position in a second-class school district that has been vacant for more than ninety days, to appoint, under certain conditions, a qualified candidate who is a resident of the school district but does not reside in the director district where there is a vacancy.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Education.

Senate Bills

SB 5025 by Senators Roach and Conway; by request of Governor Gregoire

Providing that a proclamation of a state of emergency is effective upon the governor's signature.

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-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Governmental Operations .

SB 5026 by Senator Hasegawa

Creating a peer mentoring program to encourage elementary school students to attend college.

Requires the six four-year institutions of higher education to create and implement a peer mentoring program.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Higher Education.

SB 5027 by Senator Hasegawa

Requiring prepaid postage for primary and general election ballots.

Requires return envelopes for primary and general election ballots to include prepaid postage.

Requires the state to reimburse counties for the cost of return postage on mail and absentee ballots for primary and general elections.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Governmental Operations .

SB 5028 by Senator Hasegawa

Changing state need grant eligibility provisions.

Changes eligibility requirements for a state need grant.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Higher Education.

SB 5029 by Senators Hasegawa, Chase, Shin, Conway, Rolfes, Darneille, Hargrove, and Keiser

Creating the Washington investment trust.

Creates the Washington investment trust as a legacy institution that amasses sufficient capital reserves to address opportunities now and in the future.

Creates the Washington investment trust commission as the primary governing authority of the trust.

Creates the trust transition board and the investment trust advisory board. The trust transition board expires July 1, 2014.

Exempts the trust from payment of all fees and taxes levied by the state or any of its subdivisions.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Financial Institutions & Insurance.

SB 5030 by Senator Roach

Extending the Chinook scenic byway.

Sets the western terminus of the Chinook scenic byway within Enumclaw's city limits and makes attractions within the city eligible for future grant opportunities by establishing an all-encompassing entrance point for the Chinook scenic byway.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Transportation.

SB 5031 by Senator Padden

Requiring actions for damage to real property resulting from construction, alteration, or repair on adjacent property to be commenced within two years after the property owner first discovered or reasonably should have discovered the damage.

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-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Law & Justice.

SB 5032 by Senator Ericksen

Extending the tax credit expiration date for certain contributions made to electric utility rural economic development revolving funds.

Extends the expiration date, from June 30, 2011, to June 30, 2018, on the tax credit for certain contributions made to electric utility rural economic development revolving funds.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5033 by Senators Hill and Hargrove; by request of Governor Gregoire

Making 2013 supplemental operating appropriations. Makes 2013 supplemental operating appropriations.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5034 by Senators Hill and Hargrove; by request of Governor Gregoire

Making 2013-2015 operating appropriations. Makes 2013-2015 operating appropriations.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5035 by Senators Honeyford and Nelson; by request of Governor Gregoire

Adopting the 2013-2015 capital budget. Adopts the 2013-2015 capital budget.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5036 by Senators Honeyford and Nelson; by request of Governor Gregoire

Concerning state general obligation bonds and related accounts.

Authorizes the state finance committee to issue general obligation bonds of the state to finance the projects described and authorized by the legislature in the capital and operating appropriations acts for the 2013-2015 fiscal biennium.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5037 by Senator Ranker

Concerning the labeling of seafood.

Revises seafood labeling requirements.

Addresses penalties for unlawful misbranding of food fish or shellfish.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Natural Resources & Parks .

SB 5038 by Senators McAuliffe, Chase, Shin, Keiser, Rolfes, Nelson, Kohl-Welles, Kline, and Hobbs; by request of Governor Gregoire

Enhancing the basic education allocation formula for principals, assistant principals, and other certificated building-level administrators to support the teacher evaluation program requirements of RCW 28A.405.100.

Adjusts principal staffing ratios in the prototypical school models to assure implementation of the new teacher evaluation system.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Early Learning & K-12 Education.

SB 5039 by Senator McAuliffe; by request of Governor Gregoire

Increasing revenues dedicated to basic education purposes.

Extends the time for additional taxes on certain business and service activities.

Requires the revenues collected from the additional tax to be deposited into the education legacy trust account.

Imposes a new excise tax on taxable fuel to provide funding for state allocations to school districts for pupil transportation purposes.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5040 by Senators Hasegawa and Conway

Incorporating state tax expenditures into the state budget process.

Requires the omnibus operating appropriations bill enacted by the legislature to include a section on the following: (1) All discretionary state tax expenditures together with an estimate of the state revenue impact associated with each expenditure;

- (2) The total estimated revenue impact from all discretionary state tax expenditures, total appropriations, and total state expenditures representing the sum of discretionary state tax expenditures and appropriations; and
- (3) The total state revenue impact from all nondiscretionary tax expenditures.

Changes the duties of the department of revenue with regard to preparation and submission of a listing of the amount of reduction in the revenues of the state, or the revenues of local government collected by the state, as a result of tax expenditures.

Requires the governor to prepare a tax expenditure report as part of the biennial budget documents.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5041 by Senators Hasegawa and Conway

Implementing recommendations related to the tax preference review process conducted by the joint legislative audit and review committee and the citizen commission for performance measurement of tax preferences.

Implements recommendations related to the tax preference review process conducted by the joint legislative audit and review committee and the citizen commission for performance measurement of tax preferences.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5042 by Senator Hasegawa

Narrowing the business and occupation tax deduction for investment and related income.

Modifies provisions relating to business and occupation tax deductions on amounts derived from certain investments, dividends or distributions, and interest on loans.

Prohibits a taxpayer from claiming a total deduction of more than one million dollars in any calendar year, beginning with calendar year 2013.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5043 by Senator Hasegawa

Narrowing the property tax exemption for intangibles. Narrows the property tax exemption for intangibles.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Ways & Means.

SB 5044 by Senator Hasegawa

Establishing the GET ready for college program.

Establishes the GET ready for college program.

Requires the office of student financial assistance to pay for the fifty-dollar enrollment fee and one GET unit to open a GET account on behalf of certain children.

Requires the office of the superintendent of public instruction to enter into any necessary data-sharing agreements with the office of student financial assistance to facilitate implementation of the program.

Creates the GET ready for college account.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Higher Education.

SB 5045 by Senators Keiser and Honeyford

Allowing day spas to offer or supply without charge wine or beer by the individual glass to a customer for consumption on the premises.

Creates a day spa permit that allows the permit holder to offer or supply wine or beer to customers for consumption on the premises.

-- 2013 REGULAR SESSION --

Jan 15 First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.