CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

**SENATE BILL 5145**

66th Legislature

2019 Regular Session

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| Passed by the Senate April 22, 2019Yeas 30 Nays 19**President of the Senate**Passed by the House April 17, 2019Yeas 61 Nays 37**Speaker of the House of Representatives** | CERTIFICATEI, 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.Secretary |
| Approved  |  |
| **Governor of the State of Washington** | **Secretary of State** **State of Washington** |

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AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

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**State of Washington 66th Legislature 2019 Regular Session**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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