## SECOND ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5812

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By Senate Committee on Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Senators Williams and Wojahn).

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to delinquent property taxes; adding a new section
- 2 to chapter 84.56 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 84.38 RCW.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 84.56 RCW
- 5 to read as follows:
- 6 RCW 84.56.020 notwithstanding, if 1993 taxes payable on real
- 7 property exceed one hundred fifty percent of the 1992 taxes payable on
- 8 the property:
- 9 (1) No interest or penalties may be assessed for the period from
- 10 April 30, 1993, through April 30, 1994, on the amount that the 1993
- 11 taxes exceed one hundred fifty percent of the 1992 taxes; and
- 12 (2) The provisions of RCW 84.56.020 regarding the payment of taxes
- 13 on the property shall be computed separately for the amount that the
- 14 1993 taxes do not exceed one hundred fifty percent of the 1992 taxes
- 15 and for the remaining amount.

- 1 This section does not apply to taxes attributable to increases in
- 2 value due to new construction, improvements to property, or the
- 3 subdivision of land.
- 4 This section does not apply unless the taxpayer applies to the
- 5 county treasurer for the benefits under this section, before April 30,
- 6 1993.
- 7 NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. A new section is added to chapter 84.38 RCW
- 8 to read as follows:
- 9 RCW 84.38.100 notwithstanding, no interest may be assessed for the
- 10 period April 30, 1993, through April 30, 1994, on the amount that the
- 11 1993 taxes deferred under this chapter exceed one hundred fifty percent
- 12 of the 1992 taxes on the property.
- 13 This section does not apply to taxes attributable to increases in
- 14 value due to new construction, improvements to property, or the
- 15 subdivision of land.