
HOUSE BILL 1780

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By Representatives Chandler, Hansen, Rayburn and Schoesler

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1 AN ACT Relating to siting hazardous waste incinerators near
2 agricultural land; and adding a new section to chapter 70.105 RCW.

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

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 70.105 RCW
5 to read as follows:

6 The department shall not issue a permit for a facility to
7 incinerate hazardous waste, moderate-risk waste, or hazardous
8 substances if the facility is located within two miles of farm or
9 agricultural land, as defined in RCW 84.34.020, that is used for
10 commercial agriculture. "Commercial agriculture" means farming
11 activities that make up fifty percent of the income of the person who
12 owns the farm or agricultural land.

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