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SENATE BILL 5497

State of Washington56th Legislature1999 Regular SessionBy Senators Snyder and Zarelli

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1 AN ACT Relating to the use of dredge spoils on the LT-1 and Cook 2 Ferry Road Site in Cowlitz County; and creating a new section.

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

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. The legislature finds and declares that the December 19, 1991, Washington state conveyance of the Mt. St. Helens Recovery Program, LT-1 and Cook Ferry Road Sites, to Cowlitz County, should be amended to enable Cowlitz County to use dredge spoils revenues for recreational purposes throughout the county.

9 The legislature further declares that the department of 10 transportation shall execute sufficient legal release to accomplish the 11 following:

(1) Dredge spoil revenues from either the LT-1 or Cook Ferry Road
Site must be dedicated for recreational facilities and recreational
administration costs throughout the county;

(2) Any mining excavation must meet the requirements of the
 Shoreline Management Act of 1971 as identified in chapter 90.58 RCW;

17 (3) Both the LT-1 and Cook Ferry Road Site must be preserved as a18 long-term dredging facility;

1 (4) All other requirements in the December 19, 1991, conveyance 2 between the state of Washington and Cowlitz County will remain in 3 effect; and

4 (5) The LT-1 and Cook Ferry Road Site remains subject to any 5 agreements with the United States Army Corps of Engineers and other 6 agencies of the federal government.

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