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Sponsor(s): Senators Jacobsen, Finkbeiner and Eide

Brief Description: Creating tax incentives for telework.

**SB 5169 - DIGEST**

Recognizes that telework has been found to reduce commute trips and provide flexibility for work-related travel.

Recognizes that telework is a key component in a comprehensive transportation demand management package.

Provides that an employer is allowed a credit against tax due under chapter 82.04 RCW for telework expenditures, including telework equipment, installation costs, and telework training.

Provides that an employer is allowed a credit against tax due under chapter 82.16 RCW for telework expenditures.

Takes effect October 1, 2001.