## SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6301

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By Senate Committee on Labor, Commerce, Research & Development (originally sponsored by Senators Prentice, Deccio, Fairley, Delvin, Kohl-Welles, Kline, Rockefeller, Keiser, McAuliffe, Rasmussen, Franklin, Zarelli, Thibaudeau, Parlette, Spanel, Honeyford, Regala, Carrell, Oke and Shin)

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to the governor's communication with the United
- 2 States secretary of the interior; adding a new section to chapter 43.06
- 3 RCW; and declaring an emergency.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 43.06 RCW 6 to read as follows:
- 7 No concurrence communication from the governor to the United States
- 8 secretary of the interior regarding gaming on lands acquired by the
- 9 secretary in trust for the benefit of an Indian tribe after October 17,
- 10 1988, in any federal proceeding requiring the governor to concur in the
- 11 secretary's determination as to those lands shall be made unless
- 12 specifically authorized by a sixty percent vote of both houses of the
- 13 legislature.
- 14 NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate
- 15 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the
- 16 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect

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