

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

HOUSE BILL 2263

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DISHWASHING DETERGENT--PHOSPHORUS CONTENT

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Yeas 97 Nays 0

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

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Yeas 47 Nays 2

BRAD OWEN

President of the Senate

Approved March 27, 2008, 3:58 p.m.

CHRISTINE GREGOIRE

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Barbara Baker, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **HOUSE BILL 2263** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

BARBARA BAKER

Chief Clerk

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March 28, 2008

**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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AS AMENDED BY THE SENATE

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By Representatives Blake, Moeller, Orcutt and Newhouse

Read first time 02/15/2007. Referred to Committee on Agriculture & Natural Resources.

1 AN ACT Relating to the phosphorus content in dishwashing detergent;
2 and amending RCW 70.95L.020.

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

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 70.95L.020 and 2006 c 223 s 2 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 (1) After July 1, 1994, a person may not sell or distribute for
7 sale a laundry detergent that contains 0.5 percent or more phosphorus
8 by weight.

9 (2)(a) After July 1, 1994, and until the dates specified in (~~(b)~~
10 ~~ef~~)) this subsection, a person may not sell or distribute for sale a
11 dishwashing detergent that contains 8.7 percent or more (~~phosphorous~~
12 ~~{phosphorus}~~) phosphorus by weight.

13 (b) Beginning July 1, 2008, in counties located east of the crest
14 of the Cascade mountains with populations greater than four hundred
15 thousand, as determined by office of financial management population
16 estimates, a person may not sell or distribute for sale a dishwashing
17 detergent that contains 0.5 percent or more phosphorus by weight(~~(+~~
18 ~~(i) Commencing~~)).

1 (c) From July 1, 2008, to June 30, 2010, in counties located west
2 of the crest of the Cascade mountains with populations (~~(, as determined~~
3 ~~by office of financial management population estimates:~~

4 ~~(A)) greater than one hundred eighty thousand and less than two~~
5 ~~hundred twenty thousand~~ (~~(; and~~

6 ~~(B) Greater than three hundred ninety thousand and less than six~~
7 ~~hundred fifty thousand~~); as determined by office of financial
8 management population estimates, a person may not sell or distribute
9 for sale a dishwashing detergent that contains 0.5 percent or more
10 phosphorus by weight except in a single-use package containing no more
11 than 2.0 grams of phosphorus.

12 (~~(ii) Commencing~~) (d) Beginning July 1, 2010, (throughout) a
13 person may not sell or distribute for sale a dishwashing detergent that
14 contains 0.5 percent or more phosphorus by weight in the state.

15 (e) For purposes of this section, "single-use package" means a
16 tablet or other form of dishwashing detergent that is constituted and
17 intended for use in a single washing.

18 (3) This section does not apply to the sale or distribution of
19 detergents for commercial and industrial uses.

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