



Washington State Senate

Introduction and First Reading of Bills, Memorials, Joint Resolutions and Concurrent Resolutions 2008 Regular Session of the 60th Legislature

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4TH DAY

- SB 6470 By Senators Kauffman, Schoesler, Marr, Prentice, Tom, Rasmussen, Kline, Kohl-Welles, Kilmer and Roach
- Training medical students, nurses, and medical technicians and assistants to work with patients with developmental disabilities.
- Referred to Committee on HEALTH & LONG-TERM CARE.
- SB 6471 By Senators Weinstein, Kauffman, Tom, Fairley, McAuliffe, Kohl-Welles, Keiser and Kline
- Protecting consumers by regulating loans under the consumer loan act and mortgage broker practices act.
- Referred to Committee on CONSUMER PROTECTION & HOUSING.
- SB 6472 By Senators Oemig, Weinstein and Kline
- Regulating commercial parking businesses.
- Referred to Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT.
- SB 6473 By Senators Carrell, McDermott, McCaslin, Benton, Stevens, Marr, Schoesler, Shin, Rasmussen, Hewitt, Haugen and Kilmer
- Concerning the property tax exemption income eligibility requirements for senior citizens and veterans with service-connected disabilities.
- Referred to Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- SB 6474 By Senators Carrell, Stevens, Schoesler and Holmquist
- Modifying voter registration provisions.
- Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.

- SB 6475 By Senators Oemig, Delvin, Rockefeller, Honeyford, Regala, Tom, Rasmussen and Roach
Allowing joint use dock appeals before the shorelines hearings board to be heard by a short board.
Referred to Committee on WATER, ENERGY & TELECOMMUNICATIONS.
- SB 6476 By Senators Hatfield, Morton, Haugen, McCaslin, Hargrove, Kastama, Zarelli, Delvin and Rasmussen
Concerning the sales and use tax rate for public facilities in rural counties.
Referred to Committee on AGRICULTURE & RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
- SB 6477 By Senators Hobbs, Pridemore, Roach, Rasmussen, Hatfield, Stevens, Berkey, Eide, Sheldon, Honeyford, Shin, Keiser, Hewitt, Kline, McAuliffe, Zarelli, Benton and Kilmer
Providing state property tax assistance to low-income homeowners.
Referred to Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- SB 6478 By Senators Oemig, Swecker, Pridemore, Kline, Spanel and Kohl-Welles
Prohibiting bar codes or other unique identifying marks on ballots.
Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.
- SB 6479 By Senators Zarelli, Prentice, Rasmussen and Roach
Establishing a program to screen and treat children with attachment disorders.
Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES & CORRECTIONS.
- SB 6480 By Senators Benton, Stevens, Delvin and Roach
Requiring assessors to provide information on the basis of valuation when providing taxpayers notice of change in valuation of real property.
Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.

- SB 6481 By Senators Benton, Schoesler, Hewitt, McCaslin, Delvin, Morton, Stevens, Swecker, Pflug and Roach
Excluding the value of rebates from sales and use taxation.
Referred to Committee on FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS & INSURANCE.
- SB 6482 By Senators Prentice, Schoesler, Rasmussen and Holmquist
Providing a state public utility tax exemption for the transportation of grain by motor vehicle.
Referred to Committee on AGRICULTURE & RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
- SB 6483 By Senators Hatfield, Honeyford, Rasmussen, Haugen, Swecker, Tom, Morton, Rockefeller, Fraser, Hargrove, Keiser, Kohl-Welles, Brandland, Kilmer, Shin, McDermott, Kauffman, Murray, Hobbs, Kastama, Fairley, Pridemore, Regala, McAuliffe, Jacobsen, Kline, Brown, Franklin, Hewitt, Spanel, Parlette, Oemig and Roach
Enacting the local farms-healthy kids and communities act.
Referred to Committee on AGRICULTURE & RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
- SB 6484 By Senators Kohl-Welles, Swecker, Murray, Brandland, Spanel, Tom and Kline
Excluding car-sharing activities from the rental car tax.
Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION.
- SB 6485 By Senators Hobbs and Roach
Requiring fifty percent of the mathematics portion of the WASL to be short answer or multiple choice questions.
Referred to Committee on EARLY LEARNING & K-12 EDUCATION.
- SB 6486 By Senators McAuliffe, Hobbs and Rasmussen
Regarding the career and technical education curricula advisory committee.
Referred to Committee on EARLY LEARNING & K-12 EDUCATION.
- SB 6487 By Senators Pridemore, Hargrove, Schoesler and Carrell
Establishing standards for emergency preparedness kits.
Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.

- SB 6488 By Senators Regala, Hargrove, Brandland, Stevens, Rasmussen, Delvin, Benton and Kilmer; by request of Governor Gregoire
- Providing for broader collection of biological samples for the DNA identification of convicted sex offenders and other persons.
- Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES & CORRECTIONS.
- SB 6489 By Senators Hargrove, Regala, Brandland, Stevens, Carrell, Shin, Rasmussen, Delvin, Benton and Kilmer; by request of Governor Gregoire
- Including level I offenders who fail to maintain registration as required by RCW 9A.44.130 to the statewide notification web site.
- Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES & CORRECTIONS.
- SB 6490 By Senator Hobbs
- Authorizing a branch campus of the University of Washington at Lake Stevens.
- Referred to Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION.
- SB 6491 By Senators Brandland, McAuliffe, Regala, Delvin, Carrell and Rasmussen; by request of Department of Social and Health Services
- Providing for vulnerable adult fatality review.
- Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES & CORRECTIONS.
- SB 6492 By Senators McAuliffe, Stevens, Brandland, Carrell, Regala and Delvin; by request of Department of Social and Health Services
- Regarding public disclosure of civil confinement facility information.
- Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES & CORRECTIONS.
- SB 6493 By Senators Hobbs, Fairley, Swecker, Pridemore, Shin, Hatfield, Rasmussen and Kline
- Providing loans to small cities for certain appeals under the growth management act.
- Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.

- SB 6494 By Senators Hobbs, McAuliffe, Hargrove, Swecker, Pridemore, Rasmussen and Marr
Creating multiple measures to meet high school graduation requirements.
Referred to Committee on EARLY LEARNING & K-12 EDUCATION.
- SB 6495 By Senators McDermott, Marr, Fairley, Pridemore and Kline
Requiring the appointment of nonvoting labor members to public transportation governing bodies.
Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION.
- SB 6496 By Senators Marr, Honeyford, Kohl-Welles, Hewitt and Haugen
Concerning craft distilleries.
Referred to Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT.
- SB 6497 By Senators Delvin and Hewitt
Financing regional centers in counties with a population of less than two hundred thousand persons that are acquired, constructed, financed, or owned by an existing city public facilities district with a population of at least forty-five thousand persons.
Referred to Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- SB 6498 By Senator Tom
Modifying provisions concerning real estate licensure law.
Referred to Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT.
- SB 6499 By Senators Weinstein, Delvin, Honeyford, Benton and Kline; by request of Attorney General
Modifying provisions regulating spyware.
Referred to Committee on WATER, ENERGY & TELECOMMUNICATIONS.

- SB 6500 By Senators Eide, Kohl-Welles, Stevens, Shin, Rasmussen, Kline, Spanel, Holmquist and Haugen; by request of Attorney General
- Authorizing leave sharing for victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
- Referred to Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT.
- SB 6501 By Senators Hargrove, Swecker, Morton, Hatfield and Rasmussen
- Regarding forest practices regulations that apply to small forest landowners.
- Referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES, OCEAN & RECREATION.
- SB 6502 By Senators Oemig, Rasmussen and Kline
- Reducing the release of mercury into the environment.
- Referred to Committee on WATER, ENERGY & TELECOMMUNICATIONS.
- SB 6503 By Senators McDermott, Brandland, McAuliffe and Rasmussen; by request of Superintendent of Public Instruction
- Approving the segmented mathematics assessment as an alternative assessment.
- Referred to Committee on EARLY LEARNING & K-12 EDUCATION.
- SB 6504 By Senators Hatfield, Swecker, Delvin, Regala, Schoesler, Morton, Pridemore and Rasmussen; by request of Department of Ecology
- Exempting certain minor new construction associated with construction storm water general permits from SEPA.
- Referred to Committee on WATER, ENERGY & TELECOMMUNICATIONS.
- SB 6505 By Senator Tom
- Concerning nutrition labeling of food.
- Referred to Committee on HEALTH & LONG-TERM CARE.
- SB 6506 By Senators Marr, Carrell, Kastama and Parlette
- Creating a system for enforcing discipline in medical professions.
- Referred to Committee on HEALTH & LONG-TERM CARE.

- SB 6507 By Senator McCaslin
Allowing gifts under twenty dollars to municipal officers.
Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.
- SB 6508 By Senators Eide, Fraser, Murray, McDermott and Morton
Authorizing the creation of beach management districts.
Referred to Committee on WATER, ENERGY & TELECOMMUNICATIONS.
- SB 6509 By Senators Carrell and Morton
Regarding leases of state-owned land for geoduck
aquaculture.
Referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES, OCEAN & RECREATION.
- SB 6510 By Senators Kastama, King, Shin and Rasmussen
Providing a funding source to assist small manufacturers
in obtaining innovation and modernization extension
services.
Referred to Committee on ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TRADE &
MANAGEMENT.
- SB 6511 By Senators Kastama, McAuliffe, Franklin, Rasmussen and
Oemig
Implementing the Washington state quality award program
and/or the Baldrige national quality program as the
public school accountability system.
Referred to Committee on ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TRADE &
MANAGEMENT.
- SB 6512 By Senators Haugen, Swecker, Jacobsen, Hobbs, Kohl-Welles,
Hatfield, Spanel, Shin and Tom
Renaming Camano island's Livingston bay the "Floyd Jones
flyway."
Referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES, OCEAN & RECREATION.
- SB 6513 By Senator Kohl-Welles; by request of Department of Labor &
Industries, Department of Social and Health Services,
Employment Security Department, Department of Licensing,
Attorney General and Criminal Justice Training Commission
Ensuring access to criminal justice information.
Referred to Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH &
DEVELOPMENT.

- SB 6514 By Senators Tom, McCaslin and Kline
Regarding identifying real property.
Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.
- SB 6515 By Senators Pridemore, Murray, Kohl-Welles, Kastama,
Kilmer, Rasmussen, Kline and Tom
Modifying the tax treatment of energy savings performance
contracts.
Referred to Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- SB 6516 By Senators Pridemore, Rockefeller, Swecker, Oemig,
Murray, Hobbs, Fairley, Kohl-Welles, McDermott, Weinstein,
Regala, Kilmer, Jacobsen, Hargrove, Prentice, McAuliffe,
Kastama, Rasmussen, Franklin, Keiser, Kauffman, Fraser,
Shin, Kline and Brandland; by request of Governor Gregoire
Regarding greenhouse gases emissions and providing for
green collar jobs.
Referred to Committee on WATER, ENERGY & TELECOMMUNICATIONS.
- SB 6517 By Senators Schoesler, McCaslin, Sheldon, Carrell, Morton,
Hewitt, Stevens, King, Benton and Roach
Concerning the burden of proof for corrections to property
tax valuations made by public officials.
Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.
- SB 6518 By Senators Schoesler, Carrell, Sheldon, Morton, Hewitt,
Stevens, King, Benton and Roach
Reducing business and occupation tax categories and rates.
Referred to Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- SB 6519 By Senators Parlette, Delvin, Hewitt, Stevens and McCaslin
Establishing the duty of pharmacies to facilitate the
delivery of lawfully prescribed drugs and devices to
patients.
Referred to Committee on HEALTH & LONG-TERM CARE.
- SB 6520 By Senators Tom, Oemig, McDermott and Kline
Requiring additional information on property tax
statements and notices of assessed value.
Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.

- SB 6521 By Senators McDermott, Fairley, Swecker, Kline and Oemig
Concerning human remains.
Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.
- SB 6522 By Senators Kohl-Welles, Zarelli, Hargrove, Benton,
Kauffman, Murray, Kline, Kilmer, Keiser, Tom, Shin,
Delvin, Marr, Prentice, McAuliffe, Roach, Pridemore,
Franklin, Rockefeller, Weinstein, Rasmussen and Eide
Providing collective bargaining for child care center
directors and workers.
Referred to Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH &
DEVELOPMENT.
- SB 6523 By Senators Kline, McCaslin, Benton, Tom, Swecker,
Pridemore, Kauffman, Carrell, Rasmussen and McAuliffe
Establishing a Washington identity theft analysis center.
Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY.
- SB 6524 By Senators Kline, Sheldon, Hobbs, Kauffman, Rasmussen and
McAuliffe
Authorizing tribal police officers to act as general
authority Washington state peace officers.
Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY.
- SB 6525 By Senators Kline, McCaslin, Tom, Weinstein and Swecker;
by request of Department of Corrections
Concerning the drug offender sentencing alternative.
Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY.
- SB 6526 By Senators Kline, Tom, Pridemore, Swecker and Kohl-Welles
Concerning firearms possession by persons who are
involuntarily committed.
Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY.
- SB 6527 By Senators Kastama and Kline
Addressing the failure to transfer motor vehicle title and
registration.
Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY.

- SB 6528 By Senators Kastama and Kauffman
Concerning the staffing and operational costs of the economic development commission.
Referred to Committee on ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TRADE & MANAGEMENT.
- SB 6529 By Senators Kastama, Pridemore, Shin and Rasmussen
Providing incentives for economic development infrastructure projects.
Referred to Committee on ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TRADE & MANAGEMENT.
- SB 6530 By Senators Regala, Oemig, Tom, Eide, Rockefeller, Kauffman, Keiser, Fraser, McDermott, Jacobsen, Shin, Fairley, Weinstein, Rasmussen, Kline, McAuliffe, Franklin, Kastama, Kohl-Welles and Kilmer
Regarding the children's safe products act.
Referred to Committee on WATER, ENERGY & TELECOMMUNICATIONS.
- SB 6531 By Senator Haugen
Addressing environmental mitigation in highway construction.
Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION.
- SB 6532 By Senators Haugen and Keiser
Authorizing city aquatic lands management agreements allowing cities to operate publicly owned marinas.
Referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES, OCEAN & RECREATION.
- SB 6533 By Senators Kline, Fairley, Kohl-Welles, Weinstein, Kauffman and McDermott
Prohibiting discrimination based on lawful source of income.
Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY.
- SB 6534 By Senators McAuliffe and Tom
Regarding the revision of mathematics standards.
Referred to Committee on EARLY LEARNING & K-12 EDUCATION.

- SB 6535 By Senators McAuliffe, Tom, Hobbs, Rasmussen and Kohl-Welles
Requiring an assessment of the need for teacher preparation programs for teachers of visually impaired and blind public school students.
Referred to Committee on EARLY LEARNING & K-12 EDUCATION.
- SB 6536 By Senators McAuliffe, King, Kauffman, Parlette, Franklin, Brandland, Murray, Rasmussen, Rockefeller, Shin and Kohl-Welles
Establishing best practices for students at risk.
Referred to Committee on EARLY LEARNING & K-12 EDUCATION.
- SB 6537 By Senator McAuliffe
Imposing an admissions surcharge to fund extracurricular activities for middle and high schools.
Referred to Committee on EARLY LEARNING & K-12 EDUCATION.
- SB 6538 By Senators McAuliffe, Tom, Hobbs, Rasmussen, Kauffman, Kastama, Murray and Shin; by request of Superintendent of Public Instruction
Creating programs to improve reading instruction.
Referred to Committee on EARLY LEARNING & K-12 EDUCATION.
- SB 6539 By Senators McAuliffe, Shin, Jacobsen, Rasmussen, Tom, Murray, Hobbs, Pridemore, Regala, Kastama, Fraser, Fairley, Hatfield and Eide
Authorizing the higher education coordinating board to study the feasibility of a polytechnic college.
Referred to Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION.
- SB 6540 By Senators Rasmussen, Swecker, Pridemore, McAuliffe, Jacobsen, Hargrove and Fairley
Delaying requiring the reading and writing content areas of the WASL for high school graduation.
Referred to Committee on EARLY LEARNING & K-12 EDUCATION.

- SB 6541 By Senators Rasmussen, Roach, Franklin, Hobbs, Kastama, Swecker, Regala, McAuliffe and Jacobsen
Allowing unpaid leaves of absence for military personnel needs.
Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.
- SB 6542 By Senators Rasmussen, Honeyford, Roach, Franklin, Marr, Shin, Kastama, Hatfield, Pflug, Jacobsen, McAuliffe and Hargrove
Providing a heating oil sales and use tax exemption.
Referred to Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- SB 6543 By Senators Murray and Kohl-Welles
Creating a central Puget Sound regional tolling authority.
Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION.
- SB 6544 By Senators Stevens, Honeyford, Pflug, Delvin, Holmquist, McCaslin, Swecker and Roach
Increasing the sentencing range for first degree criminal mistreatment.
Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY.
- SB 6545 By Senators Pflug, Carrell and Hewitt
Requiring the reporting of traffic conditions during session meetings of the house and senate transportation committees.
Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION.
- SB 6546 By Senators Brandland, Tom and Rasmussen
Changing licensing provisions concerning driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs.
Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY.
- SB 6547 By Senators Kohl-Welles, Benton, Fairley, Delvin, Murray, Kastama, McDermott, Swecker, Keiser, Jacobsen, Regala, Franklin, McAuliffe, Fraser, Prentice, Shin, Rasmussen, Kline and Spanel
Prohibiting discrimination in community athletics programs.
Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.

SB 6548 By Senator Carrell
Prohibiting patients at the special commitment center or less restrictive alternatives from having computer access.
Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES & CORRECTIONS.

SB 6549 By Senators McAuliffe, Hobbs, Tom, Weinstein, Franklin, Zarelli, Parlette, Jacobsen and Kohl-Welles
Creating the sustainable environment culminating project grant program.
Referred to Committee on EARLY LEARNING & K-12 EDUCATION.

SJM 8026 By Senators Jacobsen, Swecker, Kilmer, Hobbs, McCaslin, Morton, Rockefeller, Delvin, Kastama, King, Hatfield, Zarelli, Prentice, Fairley, Weinstein, Schoesler, Spanel, Eide, Tom, Brandland, Kauffman, Parlette, Regala, Hewitt, Oemig, Hargrove, Rasmussen, Haugen, McAuliffe, Shin, Kohl-Welles, McDermott, Marr, Keiser, Pridemore, Sheldon, Kline and Franklin
Requesting that the new Tacoma Narrows bridge be named the Bob Oke bridge.
Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION.

SJM 8027 By Senators Kohl-Welles, Franklin, Kauffman, Keiser, Shin, Murray, Pridemore, Spanel, Prentice, McAuliffe, Fairley, Fraser, Brown, Eide, Oemig, McDermott, Regala, Jacobsen, Kline and Haugen
Acknowledging and reaffirming the federal Equal Rights Amendment.
Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.

SJR 8224 By Senators Benton, Stevens, Carrell and Holmquist
Providing a constitutional amendment to limit growth of assessed valuation of real property.
Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.

SJR 8225 By Senators Stevens, Benton, Honeyford, Morton, Delvin, Swecker, Holmquist, McCaslin, Roach and Carrell
Requiring a sixty percent vote for emergency clauses.
Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

SHB 1102 By House Committee on Finance (originally sponsored by Representatives Campbell, Green, McCune, Conway, Kirby, Appleton, McCoy, Ormsby, B. Sullivan, Hurst, Linville, O'Brien, Sullivan, Sells, Springer, Rolfes, Moeller, Wallace and Morrell)

Modifying property tax exemption provisions for veterans of the armed forces.

Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.

HB 1127 By Representatives Morrell, Campbell, Green, VanDeWege, Sells, Takko, McDonald, Blake, Moeller, Kenney, Appleton, Flannigan, Hunt, Conway, Lantz, Kagi, Linville, Chase, Wallace, Ormsby, Haigh, Simpson, Hurst, Sullivan, Kelley, Rolfes, McCune, Haler and Santos

Extending military leaves for public employees.

Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS & ELECTIONS.