

SB 5180 - H COMM AMD
By Committee on Transportation

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1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the
2 following:

3 "Sec. 1. RCW 46.61.560 and 1991 c 319 s 408 are each amended to
4 read as follows:

5 (1) Outside of incorporated cities and towns no person may stop,
6 park, or leave standing any vehicle, whether attended or unattended,
7 upon the roadway.

8 (2) Subsection (1) of this section and RCW 46.61.570 and 46.61.575
9 do not apply to the driver of any vehicle that is disabled in such
10 manner and to such extent that it is impossible to avoid stopping and
11 temporarily leaving the vehicle in such position. The driver shall
12 nonetheless arrange for the prompt removal of the vehicle as required
13 by RCW 46.61.590.

14 (3) Subsection (1) of this section does not apply to the driver of
15 a public transit vehicle who temporarily stops the vehicle upon the
16 roadway for the purpose of and while actually engaged in receiving or
17 discharging passengers at a marked transit vehicle stop zone approved
18 by the state department of transportation or a county upon highways
19 under their respective jurisdictions. However, public transportation
20 service providers, including private, nonprofit transportation
21 providers regulated under chapter 81.66 RCW, may allow the driver of a
22 transit vehicle to stop upon the roadway momentarily to receive or
23 discharge passengers at an unmarked stop zone only under the following
24 circumstances: (a) The driver stops the vehicle in a safe and
25 practicable position; (b) the driver activates four-way flashing
26 lights; and (c) the driver stops at a portion of the highway with an
27 unobstructed view, for an adequate distance so as to not create a
28 hazard, for other drivers.

29 (4) Subsection (1) of this section and RCW 46.61.570 and 46.61.575
30 do not apply to the driver of a solid waste collection company or

1 recycling company vehicle who temporarily stops the vehicle as close as
2 practical to the right edge of the right-hand shoulder of the roadway
3 or right edge of the roadway if no shoulder exists for the purpose of
4 and while actually engaged in the collection of solid waste or
5 recyclables, or both, under chapters 81.77, 35.21, and 35A.21 RCW or by
6 contract under RCW (~~(36.58.030-[36.58.040])~~) 36.58.040."

7 Correct the title.

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