

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6100

Chapter 198, Laws of 2024

68th Legislature
2024 Regular Session

BUDGET STABILIZATION ACCOUNT APPROPRIATIONS

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 19, 2024

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Yeas 46 Nays 0

DENNY HECK

President of the Senate

Passed by the House March 4, 2024
Yeas 65 Nays 32

LAURIE JINKINS

**Speaker of the House of
Representatives**

Approved March 19, 2024 10:08 AM

JAY INSLEE

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Sarah Bannister, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6100** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

SARAH BANNISTER

Secretary

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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By Senate Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Senators Robinson and Nguyen; by request of Office of Financial Management)

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1 AN ACT Relating to making expenditures from the budget
2 stabilization account for declared catastrophic events; creating a
3 new section; making an appropriation; and declaring an emergency.

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

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** On August 19, 2023, the governor declared
6 a state of emergency in all counties due to threats to life and
7 property from existing and threatened wildfires.

8 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2. FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES—**
9 **FIRES.** The sum of \$21,143,000 is appropriated from the budget
10 stabilization account for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024, and
11 is provided solely for fire suppression costs incurred by the
12 department of natural resources during the 2023 fire season. For
13 purposes of RCW 43.88.055(4), the appropriation in this section does
14 not alter the requirement to balance in ensuing biennia.

15 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** This act is necessary for the immediate
16 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of
17 the state government and its existing public institutions, and takes
18 effect immediately.

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