

FIFTY FIRST DAY

MORNING SESSION

Senate Chamber, Olympia
Tuesday, March 4, 2025

The Senate was called to order at 10 o'clock a.m. by the President of the Senate, Lt. Governor Heck presiding. The Secretary called the roll and announced to the President that all Senators were present.

The Sergeant at Arms Color Guard consisting of the Sons of the American Revolution Color Guard comprised of Color Guard Captain Mr. Eric Olsen, Mr. Dick Moody, Mr. Perry Taylor, and Mr. Tyler Jones, presented the Colors.

Page Miss Maya Richards led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The prayer was offered by Pastor Gary Hebden of Open Bible Churches, Spokane Valley. Pastor Hebden was a guest of Senator Christian.

MOTIONS

On motion of Senator Riccelli, the reading of the Journal of the previous day was dispensed with and it was approved.

On motion of Senator Riccelli, the Senate advanced to the fourth order of business.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

March 3, 2025

MR. PRESIDENT:
The House has passed:

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1191,
ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1628,
ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1874,
and the same are herewith transmitted.

MELISSA PALMER, Deputy Chief Clerk

March 3, 2025

MR. PRESIDENT:
The House has passed:

SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1024,
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1061,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1068,
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1080,
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1177,
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1244,
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1390,
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1539,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1605,
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1606,
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1621,
and the same are herewith transmitted.

MELISSA PALMER, Deputy Chief Clerk

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MR. PRESIDENT:
The House has passed:

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1171,
ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1291,
ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1430,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1457,
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1488,

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1670,
and the same are herewith transmitted.

BERNARD DEAN, Chief Clerk

MOTION

On motion of Senator Riccelli, the Senate advanced to the fifth order of business.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING

SJR 8204 by Senators Slatter, Krishnadasan, Cleveland, Dhingra, Saldaña, Alvarado, Valdez, Pedersen, Salomon, Cortes, Orwall, Conway, Lovelett, Nobles, Shewmake, Lovick, Riccelli, Ramos, Hasegawa, Frame, Liias, Wilson, C., Stanford, Kauffman, and Robinson

Amending the Constitution to address reproductive freedom and gender-affirming care.

Referred to Committee on Health & Long-Term Care.

SCR 8403 by Senators Riccelli, Short, Pedersen, and Braun
Honoring former members of the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Washington who have passed from this life.

MOTIONS

On motion of Senator Riccelli, all measures listed on the Introduction and First Reading report were referred to the committees as designated with the exception of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8403 which was placed on the Second Reading Calendar.

On motion of Senator Riccelli, the Senate advanced to the eighth order of business.

Senator Valdez moved adoption of the following resolution:

**SENATE RESOLUTION
8625**

By Senators Valdez, Pedersen, Saldaña, King, Orwall, Slatter, Braun, Nobles, Dhingra, Alvarado, Kauffman, and Hansen

WHEREAS, The University of Washington Board of Regents selected Ana Mari Cauce as the UW's 33rd President on October 13, 2015, after serving as Interim President for several months, beginning a groundbreaking presidency in the University's history; and

WHEREAS, Cauce previously held the position of provost and executive vice president; served as Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, Chair of American Ethnic Studies, Chair of Psychology, and Director of the UW honors program; and has been a member of the UW faculty since 1986; and

WHEREAS, For nearly 40 years, Cauce has championed access to higher education, including through the Husky Promise which provides full tuition to eligible Washington students who otherwise could not attend college; and

WHEREAS, Raised in Miami, Florida, after emigrating with her family from Cuba, Cauce earned a B.A. in English and psychology from the University of Miami and a Ph.D. in psychology, with a concentration in child clinical and community

psychology, from Yale University; and

WHEREAS, For her teaching, scholarship, and advocacy, Cauce has received numerous awards, including the Dalmas Taylor Distinguished Contribution Award, the Luis Fernando Esteban Public Service Award, the James M. Jones Lifetime Achievement Award of the American Psychological Association, the Grace Hopper Exemplary Leadership Award, and the Distinguished Contribution Award from the Society for Community Research and Action; and

WHEREAS, In 1999, Cauce was awarded the Distinguished Teaching Award, the highest honor the University of Washington gives to faculty members for their work with students in and outside the classroom; in 2020, she was elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, and in 2022, she was elected to the National Academy of Medicine in recognition of her leadership in health education, research, and service systems, as well as her own pioneering research in behavioral health; and

WHEREAS, Cauce is a highly accomplished researcher whose work focuses on adolescent development, with a special emphasis on at-risk youth; she is also a strong advocate for women and underrepresented minorities to pursue careers in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. Her legacy includes many accomplished individuals who benefited from her teaching and mentoring; and

WHEREAS, Cauce fostered positive and collaborative relationships with higher education leaders across public four year, community, and technical colleges, and independent colleges; and

WHEREAS, Cauce served as a mentor to countless University of Washington students, faculty, and staff members and fostered those relationships regardless of her role at the University; and

WHEREAS, Cauce leads the University of Washington by advancing its mission in four key areas: Providing a transformative student experience, producing cutting-edge research and scholarship that has a global impact, upholding the UW's dedication to its public mission through public service and community engagement, and infusing the entire university with a commitment to innovation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Washington commend and honor Ana Mari Cauce in her final year as President and for her service to the citizens of the State of Washington; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be transmitted by the Secretary of the Senate to University of Washington President Ana Mari Cauce with our most sincere thanks and appreciation for her years of exemplary service to the University of Washington, and the state. Go Huskies!

Senators Valdez, Salomon, Warnick, Wellman, Braun, Lias, Riccelli, Slatter, Hansen and Orwall spoke in favor of adoption of the resolution.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of Senate Resolution No. 8625.

The motion by Senator Valdez carried and the resolution was adopted by voice vote.

INTRODUCTION OF SPECIAL GUESTS

The President welcomed and introduced Ms. Ana Mari Cauce, President of the University of Washington who was seated in the gallery.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Riccelli, the Senate reverted to the seventh order of business.

THIRD READING CONFIRMATION OF GUBERNATORIAL APPOINTMENTS

MOTION

Senator Valdez moved that David Puente, Jr., Senate Gubernatorial Appointment No. 9212, be confirmed as Director of the Department of Veterans Affairs - Agency Head.

Senators Valdez and Wilson, J. spoke in favor of passage of the motion.

APPOINTMENT OF DAVID PUENTE, JR.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the confirmation of David Puente, Jr., Senate Gubernatorial Appointment No. 9212, as Director of the Department of Veterans Affairs - Agency Head.

The Secretary called the roll on the confirmation of David Puente, Jr., Senate Gubernatorial Appointment No. 9212, as Director of the Department of Veterans Affairs - Agency Head and the appointment was confirmed by the following vote: Yeas, 49; Nays, 0; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Boehnke, Braun, Chapman, Christian, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Dozier, Fortunato, Frame, Gildon, Goehner, Hansen, Harris, Hasegawa, Holy, Kauffman, King, Krishnadasan, Lias, Lovelett, Lovick, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Schoesler, Shewmake, Short, Slatter, Stanford, Torres, Trudeau, Valdez, Wagoner, Warnick, Wellman, Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

David Puente, Jr., Senate Gubernatorial Appointment No. 9212, having received the constitutional majority was declared confirmed as Director of the Department of Veterans Affairs - Agency Head.

THIRD READING CONFIRMATION OF GUBERNATORIAL APPOINTMENTS

MOTION

Senator Shewmake moved that Casey Sixkiller, Senate Gubernatorial Appointment No. 9224, be confirmed as Director of the Department of Ecology - Agency Head.

Senators Shewmake, Short, Lias, MacEwen, Kauffman and Boehnke spoke in favor of passage of the motion.

APPOINTMENT OF CASEY SIXKILLER

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the confirmation of Casey Sixkiller, Senate Gubernatorial Appointment No. 9224, as Director of the Department of Ecology - Agency Head.

The Secretary called the roll on the confirmation of Casey Sixkiller, Senate Gubernatorial Appointment No. 9224, as Director of the Department of Ecology - Agency Head and the appointment was confirmed by the following vote: Yeas, 49; Nays, 0; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Boehnke, Braun, Chapman, Christian, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Dozier, Fortunato, Frame, Gildon, Goehner, Hansen, Harris, Hasegawa, Holy, Kauffman, King, Krishnadasan, Lias, Lovelett, Lovick, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen,

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Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Schoesler, Shewmake, Short, Slatter, Stanford, Torres, Trudeau, Valdez, Wagoner, Warnick, Wellman, Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Casey Sixkiller, Senate gubernatorial appointment No. 9224, having received the constitutional majority was declared confirmed as Director of the Department of Ecology - Agency Head.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Riccelli, the Senate reverted to the sixth order of business.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5360, by Senators Trudeau, Lovelett, Frame, Hasegawa, Krishnadasan, Nobles, and Valdez

Concerning environmental crimes.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Trudeau, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360 was substituted for Senate Bill No. 5360 and the substitute bill was placed on the second reading and read the second time.

SECOND READING

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5360, by Senate Committee on Environment, Energy & Technology (originally sponsored by Trudeau, Lovelett, Frame, Hasegawa, Krishnadasan, Nobles, and Valdez)

Concerning environmental crimes.

The measure was read the second time.

MOTION

Senator Trudeau moved that the following floor amendment no. 0091 by Senator Trudeau be adopted:

Beginning on page 1, strike all of section 1

Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct any internal references accordingly.

On page 3, line 17, after "(c)" insert ""Knows" or "knowingly" have the same meaning as "knowledge" provided in RCW 9A.08.010.

(d)"

On page 3, after line 37, insert the following:

"(5) For the purposes of this section, "knowingly" has the same meaning as "knowledge" provided in RCW 9A.08.010."

On page 4, after line 22, insert the following:

"(5) For the purposes of this section, "negligently" means to act with "criminal negligence" as provided in RCW 9A.08.010."

On page 6, beginning on line 22, after "(15)" strike all material through "(16)" on line 27

Renumber the remaining subsections consecutively and correct any internal references accordingly.

On page 7, beginning on line 10, after "(19)" strike all material through "(20)" on line 13

Renumber the remaining subsections consecutively and correct any internal references accordingly.

On page 8, line 36, after "(c)" insert ""Knows" or "knowingly" have the same meaning as "knowledge" provided in RCW

9A.08.010.

(d)"

On page 9, line 37, after "(c)" insert ""Knowingly" has the same meaning as "knowledge" provided in RCW 9A.08.010.

(d) "Negligently" means to act with "criminal negligence" as provided in RCW 9A.08.010.

(e)"

On page 10, beginning on line 26, after "section" strike all material through "toxic" on line 28 and insert ":

(a) "Air pollutant" does not include an odorous substance unless it is listed by the department as hazardous or toxic.

(b) "Knowingly" has the same meaning as "knowledge" provided in RCW 9A.08.010.

(c) "Negligently" means to act with "criminal negligence" as provided in RCW 9A.08.010."

Beginning on page 11, line 1, strike all of section 9

Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct any internal references accordingly.

On page 13, line 33, after "(c)" insert ""Knows" or "knowingly" have the same meaning as "knowledge" provided in RCW 9A.08.010.

(d)"

On page 14, after line 16, insert the following:

"(5) For the purposes of this section, "knowingly" has the same meaning as "knowledge" provided in RCW 9A.08.010."

On page 14, after line 35, insert the following:

"(5) For the purposes of this section, "negligently" means to act with "criminal negligence" as provided in RCW 9A.08.010."

On page 1, beginning on line 1 of the title, after "crimes;" strike all material through "70A.300.010;" on line 2

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 0091 by Senator Trudeau on page 1, line 1 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360.

The motion by Senator Trudeau carried and floor amendment no. 0091 was adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Trudeau moved that the following floor amendment no. 0093 by Senator Trudeau be adopted:

On page 2, line 35, after "RCW, or" strike all material through "thereof, or" on line 37

On page 2, line 38, after "Code" insert ", "

On page 3, line 25, after "RCW, or" strike all material through "thereof, or" on line 26

On page 4, line 7, after "RCW, or" strike all material through "thereof, or" on line 9

Senators Trudeau and Short spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 0093 by Senator Trudeau on page 2, line 35 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360.

The motion by Senator Trudeau carried and floor amendment no. 0093 was adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Short moved that the following floor amendment no. 0079 by Senator Short be adopted:

On page 3, after line 18, insert the following:

"(6) Nothing in this section shall apply to activities listed in

RCW 7.48.305 or in the federal clean water act, 33 U.S.C. Sec. 1344(f)(1), as amended."

On page 3, after line 37, insert the following:

"(5) Nothing in this section shall apply to activities listed in RCW 7.48.305 or in the federal clean water act, 33 U.S.C. Sec. 1344(f)(1), as amended."

On page 4, after line 22, insert the following:

"(5) Nothing in this section shall apply to activities listed in RCW 7.48.305 or in the federal clean water act, 33 U.S.C. Sec. 1344(f)(1), as amended."

Senator Short spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

Senator Trudeau spoke against adoption of the amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 0079 by Senator Short on page 3, after line 18 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360.

The motion by Senator Short did not carry and floor amendment no. 0079 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Short moved that the following floor amendment no. 0083 by Senator Short be adopted:

On page 3, after line 18, insert the following:

"(6) For the purposes of this section, "person" does not include an individual."

On page 3, line 28, after "Code." insert "For the purposes of this subsection, "person" does not include an individual."

On page 4, line 10, after "Code." insert "For the purposes of this subsection, "person" does not include an individual."

On page 8, beginning on line 26, after "(3)" strike all material through "toxic." on line 28 and insert "For the purposes of this section:

(a) "Air pollutant" does not include an odorous substance unless it is listed by the department as hazardous or toxic; and

(b) "Person" does not include an individual."

On page 9, beginning on line 27, after "(3)" strike all material through "toxic." on line 29 and insert "For the purposes of this section:

(a) "Air pollutant" does not include an odorous substance unless it is listed by the department as hazardous or toxic; and

(b) "Person" does not include an individual."

On page 10, beginning on line 26, after "(4)" strike all material through "toxic." on line 28 and insert "For the purposes of this section, "person" does not include an individual."

On page 13, after line 38, insert the following:

"(6) For the purposes of this section, "person" does not include an individual."

On page 14, line 7, after "chapter." insert "For the purposes of this subsection, "person" does not include an individual."

On page 14, line 23, after "chapter." insert "For the purposes of this subsection, "person" does not include an individual."

Senator Short spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

Senator Trudeau spoke against adoption of the amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 0083 by Senator Short on page 3, after line 18 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360.

The motion by Senator Short did not carry and floor amendment no. 0083 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Fortunato moved that the following floor amendment no. 0084 by Senator Short be adopted:

On page 3, after line 18, insert the following:

"(6) Nothing in this section applies to silt and sediment discharges permitted by a construction stormwater general permit issued under this chapter."

On page 3, after line 37, insert the following:

"(5) Nothing in this section applies to silt and sediment discharges permitted by a construction stormwater general permit issued under this chapter."

On page 4, after line 22, insert the following:

"(5) Nothing in this section applies to silt and sediment discharges permitted by a construction stormwater general permit issued under this chapter."

Senators Fortunato and Trudeau spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 0084 by Senator Short on page 3, after line 18 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360.

The motion by Senator Fortunato carried and floor amendment no. 0084 was adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Short moved that the following floor amendment no. 0085 by Senator Short be adopted:

On page 3, after line 18, insert the following:

"(6) In any investigation or action brought under this section against a person or entity that is subject to an active investigation by the United States department of justice or the United States environmental protection agency, the attorney general shall not seek any relief or remedies that are in conflict with the federal action. The attorney general may not bring a civil or criminal action against a person concurrent with any civil or criminal actions by the United States department of justice."

On page 3, after line 37, insert the following:

"(5) In any investigation or action brought under this section against a person or entity that is subject to an active investigation by the United States department of justice or the United States environmental protection agency, the attorney general shall not seek any relief or remedies that are in conflict with the federal action. The attorney general may not bring a civil or criminal action against a person concurrent with any civil or criminal actions by the United States department of justice."

On page 4, after line 22, insert the following:

"(5) In any investigation or action brought under this section against a person or entity that is subject to an active investigation by the United States department of justice or the United States environmental protection agency, the attorney general shall not seek any relief or remedies that are in conflict with the federal action. The attorney general may not bring a civil or criminal action against a person concurrent with any civil or criminal actions by the United States department of justice."

On page 9, after line 6, insert the following:

"(8) In any investigation or action brought under this section against a person or entity that is subject to an active investigation by the United States department of justice or the United States environmental protection agency, the attorney general shall not seek any relief or remedies that are in conflict with the federal action. The attorney general may not bring a civil or criminal action against a person concurrent with any civil or criminal actions by the United States department of justice."

On page 10, after line 8, insert the following:

"(8) In any investigation or action brought under this section against a person or entity that is subject to an active investigation

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by the United States department of justice or the United States environmental protection agency, the attorney general shall not seek any relief or remedies that are in conflict with the federal action. The attorney general may not bring a civil or criminal action against a person concurrent with any civil or criminal actions by the United States department of justice."

On page 10, after line 37, insert the following:

"(7) In any investigation or action brought under this section against a person or entity that is subject to an active investigation by the United States department of justice or the United States environmental protection agency, the attorney general shall not seek any relief or remedies that are in conflict with the federal action. The attorney general may not bring a civil or criminal action against a person concurrent with any civil or criminal actions by the United States department of justice."

On page 13, after line 38, insert the following:

"(6) In any investigation or action brought under this section against a person or entity that is subject to an active investigation by the United States department of justice or the United States environmental protection agency, the attorney general shall not seek any relief or remedies that are in conflict with the federal action. The attorney general may not bring a civil or criminal action against a person concurrent with any civil or criminal actions by the United States department of justice."

On page 14, after line 16, insert the following:

"(5) In any investigation or action brought under this section against a person or entity that is subject to an active investigation by the United States department of justice or the United States environmental protection agency, the attorney general shall not seek any relief or remedies that are in conflict with the federal action. The attorney general may not bring a civil or criminal action against a person concurrent with any civil or criminal actions by the United States department of justice."

On page 14, after line 35, insert the following:

"(5) In any investigation or action brought under this section against a person or entity that is subject to an active investigation by the United States department of justice or the United States environmental protection agency, the attorney general shall not seek any relief or remedies that are in conflict with the federal action. The attorney general may not bring a civil or criminal action against a person concurrent with any civil or criminal actions by the United States department of justice."

Senators Short and Trudeau spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 0085 by Senator Short on page 3, after line 18 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360.

The motion by Senator Short did not carry and floor amendment no. 0085 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Boehnke moved that the following floor amendment no. 0086 by Senator Boehnke be adopted:

On page 3, after line 18, insert the following:

"(6) Nothing in this section applies to a person or entity in compliance with a state or federal permit issued under this chapter or 33 U.S.C. Sec. 1251 et seq., as amended."

On page 3, after line 37, insert the following:

"(5) Nothing in this section applies to a person or entity in compliance with a state or federal permit issued under this chapter or 33 U.S.C. Sec. 1251 et seq., as amended."

On page 4, after line 22, insert the following:

"(5) Nothing in this section applies to a person or entity in compliance with a state or federal permit issued under this chapter or 33 U.S.C. Sec. 1251 et seq., as amended."

On page 9, after line 6, insert the following:

"(8) Nothing in this section applies to a person or entity in compliance with a state or federal permit issued under this chapter or 42 U.S.C. Sec. 7401 et seq., as amended."

On page 10, after line 8, insert the following:

"(8) Nothing in this section applies to a person or entity in compliance with a state or federal permit issued under this chapter or 42 U.S.C. Sec. 7401 et seq., as amended."

On page 10, after line 37, insert the following:

"(7) Nothing in this section applies to a person or entity in compliance with a state or federal permit issued under this chapter or 42 U.S.C. Sec. 7401 et seq., as amended."

On page 13, after line 38, insert the following:

"(6) Nothing in this section applies to a person or entity in compliance with a state or federal permit issued under this chapter or 42 U.S.C. Sec. 6901 et seq., as amended."

On page 14, after line 16, insert the following:

"(5) Nothing in this section applies to a person or entity in compliance with a state or federal permit issued under this chapter or 42 U.S.C. Sec. 6901 et seq., as amended."

On page 14, after line 35, insert the following:

"(5) Nothing in this section applies to a person or entity in compliance with a state or federal permit issued under this chapter or 42 U.S.C. Sec. 6901 et seq., as amended."

Senator Boehnke spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

Senator Trudeau spoke against adoption of the amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 0086 by Senator Boehnke on page 3, after line 18 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360.

The motion by Senator Boehnke did not carry and floor amendment no. 0086 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Boehnke moved that the following floor amendment no. 0087 by Senator Boehnke be adopted:

On page 3, after line 18, insert the following:

"(6) Nothing in this section may be construed to affect or abridge the implied right of a person or entity charged with an alleged environmental crime under this section to maintain their innocence until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt at trial."

On page 3, after line 37, insert the following:

"(5) Nothing in this section may be construed to affect or abridge the implied right of a person or entity charged with an alleged environmental crime under this section to maintain their innocence until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt at trial."

On page 4, after line 22, insert the following:

"(5) Nothing in this section may be construed to affect or abridge the implied right of a person or entity charged with an alleged environmental crime under this section to maintain their innocence until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt at trial."

On page 9, after line 6, insert the following:

"(8) Nothing in this section may be construed to affect or abridge the implied right of a person or entity charged with an alleged environmental crime under this section to maintain their innocence until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt at trial."

On page 10, after line 8, insert the following:

"(8) Nothing in this section may be construed to affect or abridge the implied right of a person or entity charged with an alleged environmental crime under this section to maintain their

innocence until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt at trial."

On page 10, after line 37, insert the following:

"(7) Nothing in this section may be construed to affect or abridge the implied right of a person or entity charged with an alleged environmental crime under this section to maintain their innocence until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt at trial."

On page 13, after line 38, insert the following:

"(6) Nothing in this section may be construed to affect or abridge the implied right of a person or entity charged with an alleged environmental crime under this section to maintain their innocence until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt at trial."

On page 14, after line 16, insert the following:

"(5) Nothing in this section may be construed to affect or abridge the implied right of a person or entity charged with an alleged environmental crime under this section to maintain their innocence until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt at trial."

On page 14, after line 35, insert the following:

"(5) Nothing in this section may be construed to affect or abridge the implied right of a person or entity charged with an alleged environmental crime under this section to maintain their innocence until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt at trial."

Senators Boehnke and Short spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

Senators Trudeau and Dhingra spoke against adoption of the amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 0087 by Senator Boehnke on page 3, after line 18 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360.

The motion by Senator Boehnke did not carry and floor amendment no. 0087 was not adopted by voice vote.

INTRODUCTION OF SPECIAL GUESTS

The President welcomed and introduced students from Discovery Elementary School in Gig Harbor who were seated in the gallery. The students were guests of Senator Krishnadasan.

MOTION

Senator Trudeau moved that the following floor amendment no. 0059 by Senator Trudeau be adopted:

On page 9, line 3, after "activities" strike "listed in" and insert "permitted by the department of natural resources under"

On page 9, line 4, after "burning" insert "conducted or permitted by a state or local authority"

On page 10, line 5, after "activities" strike "listed in" and insert "permitted by the department of natural resources under"

On page 10, line 6, after "burning" insert "conducted or permitted by a state or local authority"

On page 10, line 34, after "activities" strike "listed in" and insert "permitted by the department of natural resources under"

On page 10, line 35, after "burning" insert "conducted or permitted by a state or local authority"

Senators Trudeau and Short spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 0059 by Senator Trudeau on page 9, line 3 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360.

The motion by Senator Trudeau carried and floor amendment no. 0059 was adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Trudeau moved that the following floor amendment no. 0092 by Senator Trudeau be adopted:

On page 9, line 4, after "70A.15.5120(1)" insert "or 70A.15.4530,"

On page 10, line 6, after "70A.15.5120(1)" insert "or 70A.15.4530,"

On page 10, line 35, after "70A.15.5120(1)" insert "or 70A.15.4530,"

Senators Trudeau and Short spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 0092 by Senator Trudeau on page 9, line 4 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360.

The motion by Senator Trudeau carried and floor amendment no. 0092 was adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Holy moved that the following striking floor amendment no. 0080 by Senator Holy be adopted:

Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the following:

"**Sec. 1.** RCW 70A.15.3150 and 2023 c 470 s 1017 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) ~~((Any))~~ (a) Except as provided in (b) of this subsection, any person who knowingly violates any of the provisions of this chapter, chapter 70A.25, 70A.60, or 70A.535 RCW, or any ordinance, resolution, or regulation in force pursuant thereto is guilty of a gross misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for up to three hundred sixty-four days, or by both for each separate violation.

(b) Any person committing a second or subsequent violation of the offense described in (a) of this subsection is guilty of a class C felony and upon conviction, must be punished according to chapter 9A.20 RCW.

(2) ~~((Any))~~ (a) Except as provided in (b) of this subsection, any person who negligently releases into the ambient air any substance listed by the department of ecology as a hazardous air pollutant, other than in compliance with the terms of an applicable permit or emission limit, and who at the time negligently places another person in imminent danger of death or substantial bodily harm is guilty of a gross misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars, or by imprisonment for up to three hundred sixty-four days, or both.

(b) Any person committing a second or subsequent violation of the offense described in (a) of this subsection is guilty of a class C felony and upon conviction, must be punished according to chapter 9A.20 RCW.

(3) ~~((Any))~~ (a) Except as provided in (b) of this subsection, any person who knowingly releases into the ambient air any substance listed by the department of ecology as a hazardous air pollutant, other than in compliance with the terms of an applicable permit or emission limit, and who knows at the time that he or she thereby places another person in imminent danger of death or substantial bodily harm, is guilty of a class C felony and shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than fifty thousand dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than five years, or both.

(b) Any person committing a second or subsequent violation of the offense described in (a) of this subsection (3) is guilty of a class B felony and upon conviction, must be punished according to chapter 9A.20 RCW.

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(4) ~~((Any))~~ (a) Except as provided in (b) of this subsection, any person who knowingly fails to disclose a potential conflict of interest under RCW 70A.15.2000 is guilty of a gross misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than five thousand dollars.

(b) Any person committing a second or subsequent violation of the offense described in (a) of this subsection is guilty of a class C felony and upon conviction, must be punished according to chapter 9A.20 RCW.

Sec. 2. RCW 70A.300.100 and 2003 c 53 s 357 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) Any person who knowingly transports, treats, stores, handles, disposes of, or exports a hazardous substance in violation of this chapter is guilty of: (a) A class B felony punishable according to chapter 9A.20 RCW if the person knows at the time that the conduct constituting the violation places another person in imminent danger of death or serious bodily injury; or (b) a class C felony for a first violation or a class B felony for a second or subsequent violation, each punishable according to chapter 9A.20 RCW if the person knows that the conduct constituting the violation places any property of another person or any natural resources owned by the state of Washington or any of its local governments in imminent danger of harm.

(2) As used in this section: (a) "Imminent danger" means that there is a substantial likelihood that harm will be experienced within a reasonable period of time should the danger not be eliminated; and (b) "knowingly" refers to an awareness of facts, not awareness of law.

Sec. 3. RCW 70A.300.110 and 2020 c 20 s 1282 are each amended to read as follows:

~~((#))~~ (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, in addition to the penalties imposed pursuant to RCW 70A.300.090, any person who violates any provisions of this chapter, or of the rules implementing this chapter, and any person who knowingly aids or abets another in conducting any violation of any provisions of this chapter, or of the rules implementing this chapter, shall be guilty of a gross misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than ten thousand dollars, and/or by imprisonment in the county jail for up to three hundred sixty-four days, for each separate violation. Each and every such violation shall be a separate and distinct offense. In case of continuing violation, every day's continuance shall be a separate and distinct offense.

(2) Any person committing a second or subsequent violation of an offense described in subsection (1) of this section is guilty of a class C felony and upon conviction, must be punished according to chapter 9A.20 RCW.

Sec. 4. RCW 90.48.140 and 2011 c 96 s 61 are each amended to read as follows:

~~((Any))~~ (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, any person found guilty of willfully violating any of the provisions of this chapter or chapter 90.56 RCW, or any final written orders or directive of the department or a court in pursuance thereof is guilty of a gross misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of up to ten thousand dollars and costs of prosecution, or by imprisonment in the county jail for up to three hundred sixty-four days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court. Each day upon which a willful violation of the provisions of this chapter or chapter 90.56 RCW occurs may be deemed a separate and additional violation.

(2) Any person committing a second or subsequent violation of an offense described in subsection (1) of this section is guilty of a class C felony and upon conviction, must be punished according

to chapter 9A.20 RCW."

On page 1, beginning on line 1 of the title, after "crimes;" strike the remainder of the title and insert "amending RCW 70A.15.3150, 70A.300.100, 70A.300.110, and 90.48.140; and prescribing penalties"

Senator Holy spoke in favor of adoption of the striking amendment.

Senator Trudeau spoke against adoption of the striking amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of striking floor amendment no. 0080 by Senator Holy to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360.

The motion by Senator Holy did not carry and striking floor amendment no. 0080 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator MacEwen moved that the following striking floor amendment no. 0082 by Senator MacEwen be adopted:

Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the following:

"Sec. 1. RCW 70A.15.3150 and 2023 c 470 s 1017 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) Any person who knowingly violates any of the provisions of this chapter, chapter 70A.25, 70A.60, or 70A.535 RCW, or any ordinance, resolution, or regulation in force pursuant thereto is guilty of a gross misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for up to three hundred sixty-four days, or by both for each separate violation.

(2) Any person who negligently releases into the ambient air any substance listed by the department of ecology as a hazardous air pollutant, other than in compliance with the terms of an applicable permit or emission limit, and who at the time negligently places another person in imminent danger of death or substantial bodily harm is guilty of a gross misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars, or by imprisonment for up to three hundred sixty-four days, or both.

(3) Any person who knowingly releases into the ambient air any substance listed by the department of ecology as a hazardous air pollutant, other than in compliance with the terms of an applicable permit or emission limit, and who knows at the time that he or she thereby places another person in imminent danger of death or substantial bodily harm, is guilty of a class C felony and shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than fifty thousand dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than five years, or both.

(4) Any person who knowingly fails to disclose a potential conflict of interest under RCW 70A.15.2000 is guilty of a gross misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than five thousand dollars.

(5) The state, through the office of the attorney general, must seek guidance from the United States environmental protection agency to determine how criminal penalties should be imposed for violations of this chapter and chapters 70A.25, 70A.60, and 70A.535 RCW.

Sec. 2. RCW 70A.300.100 and 2003 c 53 s 357 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) Any person who knowingly transports, treats, stores, handles, disposes of, or exports a hazardous substance in violation of this chapter is guilty of: (a) A class B felony punishable according to chapter 9A.20 RCW if the person knows at the time

that the conduct constituting the violation places another person in imminent danger of death or serious bodily injury; or (b) a class C felony punishable according to chapter 9A.20 RCW if the person knows that the conduct constituting the violation places any property of another person or any natural resources owned by the state of Washington or any of its local governments in imminent danger of harm.

(2) As used in this section: (a) "Imminent danger" means that there is a substantial likelihood that harm will be experienced within a reasonable period of time should the danger not be eliminated; and (b) "knowingly" refers to an awareness of facts, not awareness of law.

(3) The state, through the office of the attorney general, must seek guidance from the United States environmental protection agency to determine how criminal penalties should be imposed for violations of this chapter.

Sec. 3. RCW 70A.300.110 and 2020 c 20 s 1282 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) In addition to the penalties imposed pursuant to RCW 70A.300.090, any person who violates any provisions of this chapter, or of the rules implementing this chapter, and any person who knowingly aids or abets another in conducting any violation of any provisions of this chapter, or of the rules implementing this chapter, shall be guilty of a gross misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than ten thousand dollars, and/or by imprisonment in the county jail for up to three hundred sixty-four days, for each separate violation. Each and every such violation shall be a separate and distinct offense. In case of continuing violation, every day's continuance shall be a separate and distinct offense.

(2) The state, through the office of the attorney general, must seek guidance from the United States environmental protection agency to determine how criminal penalties should be imposed for violations of this chapter.

Sec. 4. RCW 90.48.140 and 2011 c 96 s 61 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) Any person found guilty of willfully violating any of the provisions of this chapter or chapter 90.56 RCW, or any final written orders or directive of the department or a court in pursuance thereof is guilty of a gross misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of up to ten thousand dollars and costs of prosecution, or by imprisonment in the county jail for up to three hundred sixty-four days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court. Each day upon which a willful violation of the provisions of this chapter or chapter 90.56 RCW occurs may be deemed a separate and additional violation.

(2) The state, through the office of the attorney general, must seek guidance from the United States environmental protection agency to determine how criminal penalties should be imposed for violations of this chapter and chapter 90.56 RCW."

On page 1, line 1 of the title, after "crimes;" strike the remainder of the title and insert "and amending RCW 70A.15.3150, 70A.300.100, 70A.300.110, and 90.48.140."

Senators MacEwen, Wilson, J. and Boehnke spoke in favor of adoption of the striking amendment.

Senator Trudeau spoke against adoption of the striking amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of striking floor amendment no. 0082 by Senator MacEwen to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360.

The motion by Senator MacEwen did not carry and striking floor amendment no. 0082 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Trudeau, the rules were suspended, Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senators Trudeau and Lovelett spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

Senators Boehnke, Wilson, J. and Braun spoke against passage of the bill.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5360 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 29; Nays, 20; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Frame, Hansen, Hasegawa, Kauffman, Krishnadasan, Liias, Lovelett, Lovick, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Shewmake, Slatter, Stanford, Trudeau, Valdez, Wellman and Wilson, C.

Voting nay: Senators Boehnke, Braun, Chapman, Christian, Dozier, Fortunato, Gildon, Goehner, Harris, Holy, King, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Schoesler, Short, Torres, Wagoner, Warnick and Wilson, J.

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5360, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5525, by Senators Cleveland, Saldaña, Hasegawa, Riccelli, Dhingra, Conway, Nobles, and Valdez

Concerning employment loss due to businesses closing or mass layoffs.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Cleveland, Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5525 was substituted for Senate Bill No. 5525 and the substitute bill was placed on the second reading and read the second time.

SECOND READING

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5525, by Senate Committee on Labor & Commerce (originally sponsored by Cleveland, Saldaña, Hasegawa, Riccelli, Dhingra, Conway, Nobles, and Valdez)

Concerning employment loss due to businesses closing or mass layoffs.

The measure was read the second time.

MOTION

Senator Cleveland moved that the following floor amendment no. 0098 by Senator Cleveland be adopted:

On page 2, beginning on line 9, after "employees." strike all material through "part-time employees." on line 11 and insert ""Employer" does not include the state or any political subdivision thereof, including any unit of local government."

On page 4, line 2, after "contracting" insert "out"

Senator Cleveland spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 0098 by Senator Cleveland on page 2, line 9 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5525.

The motion by Senator Cleveland carried and floor amendment no. 0098 was adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Cleveland, the rules were suspended, Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5525 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senators Cleveland and Saldaña spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

Senators King, MacEwen and Christian spoke against passage of the bill.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5525.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5525 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 30; Nays, 19; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Chapman, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Frame, Hansen, Hasegawa, Kauffman, Krishnadasan, Liias, Lovelett, Lovick, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Shewmake, Slatter, Stanford, Trudeau, Valdez, Wellman and Wilson, C.

Voting nay: Senators Boehnke, Braun, Christian, Dozier, Fortunato, Gildon, Goehner, Harris, Holy, King, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Schoesler, Short, Torres, Wagoner, Warnick and Wilson, J.

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5525, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

MOTION

At 11:46 a.m., on motion of Senator Riccelli, the Senate was declared to be at ease subject to the call of the President.

Senator Hasegawa announced a meeting of the Democratic Caucus.

Senator Warnick announced a meeting of the Republican Caucus.

The Senate was called to order at 1:54 p.m. by President Heck.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5414, by Senators Hasegawa, Nobles, and Valdez

Requiring social equity impact analysis in performance audits and legislative public hearings thereon.

The measure was read the second time.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Hasegawa, the rules were suspended, Senate Bill No. 5414 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senators Hasegawa and Wilson, J. spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Senate Bill No. 5414.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Senate Bill No. 5414 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 30; Nays, 19; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Chapman, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Frame, Hansen, Hasegawa, Kauffman, Krishnadasan, Liias, Lovelett, Lovick, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Shewmake, Slatter, Stanford, Trudeau, Valdez, Wellman and Wilson, C.

Voting nay: Senators Boehnke, Braun, Christian, Dozier, Fortunato, Gildon, Goehner, Harris, Holy, King, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Schoesler, Short, Torres, Wagoner, Warnick and Wilson, J.

SENATE BILL NO. 5414, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5391, by Senators Shewmake, Krishnadasan, Nobles, Saldaña, and Valdez

Concerning the sustainable farms and fields grant program.

The measure was read the second time.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Shewmake, the rules were suspended, Senate Bill No. 5391 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senators Shewmake and Short spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Senate Bill No. 5391.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Senate Bill No. 5391 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 49; Nays, 0; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Boehnke, Braun, Chapman, Christian, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Dozier, Fortunato, Frame, Gildon, Goehner, Hansen, Harris, Hasegawa, Holy, Kauffman, King, Krishnadasan, Liias, Lovelett, Lovick, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Schoesler, Shewmake, Short, Slatter, Stanford, Torres, Trudeau, Valdez, Wagoner, Warnick, Wellman, Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

SENATE BILL NO. 5391, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5055, by Senators Warnick, Wagoner, Chapman, Dozier, and Wellman

Promoting agritourism in Washington.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Warnick, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5055 was substituted for Senate Bill No. 5055 and the substitute bill was placed on the second reading and read the second time.

SECOND READING

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5055, by Senate Committee on Local Government (originally sponsored by Warnick, Wagoner, Chapman, Dozier, and Wellman)

Promoting agritourism in Washington.

The measure was read the second time.

MOTION

Senator Warnick moved that the following striking floor amendment no. 0100 by Senator Warnick be adopted:

Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the following:

"NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 19.27 RCW to read as follows:

Agricultural buildings used for agritourism activities, as defined in RCW 4.24.830, are not subject to building code standards that apply to a commercial building permit, except standards to meet all life and fire safety requirements, if the building is only used for agritourism activities six months or less every year.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. A new section is added to chapter 36.70 RCW to read as follows:

(1) Counties may adopt ordinances to permit agritourism activities, as defined in RCW 4.24.830, that generate supplemental income for farms in agricultural zones. Such activities may include direct sales, educational activities, entertainment, seasonal outdoor activities, and hospitality. In order to be included as accessory uses, activities must promote agriculture and rural character within agricultural zones and must be related to the on-site agriculture. Activities must be consistent with the size, scale, and intensity of existing agricultural uses on the property.

(2) Ordinances under this section may only be adopted after notice is given to affected landowners and the public is given an opportunity to review and comment on the ordinance.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. A new section is added to chapter 36.70A RCW to read as follows:

(1) Counties may adopt ordinances to permit agritourism activities, as defined in RCW 4.24.830, that generate supplemental income for farms in agricultural zones. Such activities may include direct sales, educational activities, entertainment, seasonal outdoor activities, and hospitality. In order to be included as accessory uses, activities must promote agriculture and rural character within agricultural zones and must be related to the on-site agriculture. Activities must be consistent with the size, scale, and intensity of existing agricultural uses on the property.

(2) Ordinances under this section may only be adopted after notice is given to affected landowners and the public is given an opportunity to review and comment on the ordinance."

On page 1, line 1 of the title, after "Washington;" strike the remainder of the title and insert "adding a new section to chapter 19.27 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 36.70 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 36.70A RCW."

Senator Warnick spoke in favor of adoption of the striking amendment.

Senator Salomon spoke against adoption of the striking amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of striking floor amendment no. 0100 by Senator Warnick to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5055.

The motion by Senator Warnick did not carry and striking floor amendment no. 0100 was not adopted by rising vote.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Warnick, the rules were suspended, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5055 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senators Warnick, Salomon, Wagoner, Cortes and Dozier spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Substitute Senate Bill No. 5055.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Substitute Senate Bill No. 5055 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 48; Nays, 1; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Boehnke, Braun, Chapman, Christian, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Dozier, Fortunato, Frame, Gildon, Goehner, Hansen, Harris, Hasegawa, Holy, Kauffman, King, Krishnadasan, Liias, Lovelett, Lovick, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Schoesler, Shewmake, Short, Slatter, Stanford, Torres, Trudeau, Valdez, Wagoner, Warnick, Wellman, Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Voting nay: Senator Ramos

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5055, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5356, by Senators Orwall, Hasegawa, Nobles, and Wilson, C.

Concerning training provided by the criminal justice training commission.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Orwall, Second Substitute Senate Bill No. 5356 was substituted for Senate Bill No. 5356 and the substitute bill was placed on the second reading and read the second time.

SECOND READING

SECOND SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5356, by Senate Committee on Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Orwall, Hasegawa, Nobles, and Wilson, C.)

Concerning training provided by the criminal justice training commission.

The measure was read the second time.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Orwall, the rules were suspended, Second Substitute Senate Bill No. 5356 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senator Orwall spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Second Substitute Senate Bill No. 5356.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Second Substitute Senate Bill No. 5356 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 49; Nays, 0; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Boehnke, Braun, Chapman, Christian, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Dozier, Fortunato, Frame, Gildon, Goehner, Hansen, Harris, Hasegawa, Holy, Kauffman, King, Krishnadasan, Liias, Lovelett, Lovick, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Schoesler, Shewmake, Short, Slatter, Stanford, Torres, Trudeau, Valdez, Wagoner, Warnick, Wellman, Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

SECOND SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5356, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5552, by Senators Wilson, J., Shewmake, Fortunato, Nobles, Braun, Short, Gildon, Christian, Chapman, Holy, McCune, Warnick, Goehner, Dozier, Wilson, C., Slatter, Cortes, Liias, Frame, Krishnadasan, and Ramos

Concerning the creation of building codes for kit homes.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Wilson, J., Substitute Senate Bill No. 5552 was substituted for Senate Bill No. 5552 and the substitute bill was placed on the second reading and read the second time.

SECOND READING

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5552, by Senate Committee on Local Government (originally sponsored by Wilson, J., Shewmake, Fortunato, Nobles, Braun, Short, Gildon, Christian, Chapman, Holy, McCune, Warnick, Goehner, Dozier, Wilson, C., Slatter, Cortes, Liias, Frame, Krishnadasan, and Ramos)

Concerning the creation of building codes for kit homes.

The measure was read the second time.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Wilson, J., the rules were suspended, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5552 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senator Wilson, J. spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Substitute Senate Bill No. 5552.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Substitute Senate Bill No. 5552 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 49; Nays, 0; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Boehnke, Braun, Chapman, Christian, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Dozier, Fortunato, Frame, Gildon, Goehner, Hansen, Harris, Hasegawa, Holy, Kauffman, King, Krishnadasan, Liias, Lovelett, Lovick, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Schoesler, Shewmake, Short, Slatter, Stanford, Torres, Trudeau, Valdez, Wagoner, Warnick, Wellman, Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5552, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5102, by Senator Hasegawa

Establishing a public records exemption for the proprietary information of public risk pools.

The measure was read the second time.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Hasegawa, the rules were suspended, Senate Bill No. 5102 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senators Hasegawa and Wilson, J. spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Senate Bill No. 5102.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Senate Bill No. 5102 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 49; Nays, 0; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Boehnke, Braun, Chapman, Christian, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Dozier, Fortunato, Frame, Gildon, Goehner, Hansen, Harris, Hasegawa, Holy, Kauffman, King, Krishnadasan, Lias, Lovelett, Lovick, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Schoesler, Shewmake, Short, Slatter, Stanford, Torres, Trudeau, Valdez, Wagoner, Warnick, Wellman, Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

SENATE BILL NO. 5102, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5632, by Senators Hansen, Hasegawa, Saldaña, Stanford, Trudeau, and Valdez

Protecting the confidentiality of records and information that may be relevant to another state's enforcement of its laws.

The measure was read the second time.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Hansen, the rules were suspended, Senate Bill No. 5632 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senator Hansen spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

Senator Holy spoke against passage of the bill.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Senate Bill No. 5632.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Senate Bill No. 5632 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 30; Nays, 19; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Chapman, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Frame, Hansen, Hasegawa, Kauffman, Krishnadasan, Lias, Lovelett, Lovick, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Shewmake, Slatter, Stanford, Trudeau, Valdez, Wellman and Wilson, C.

Voting nay: Senators Boehnke, Braun, Christian, Dozier, Fortunato, Gildon, Goehner, Harris, Holy, King, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Schoesler, Short, Torres, Wagoner, Warnick and Wilson, J.

SENATE BILL NO. 5632, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5656, by Senators Krishnadasan, Riccelli, and Nobles

Modifying the definition of inflation rate for aquatic leases.

The measure was read the second time.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Krishnadasan, the rules were suspended, Senate Bill No. 5656 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senators Krishnadasan and Short spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Senate Bill No. 5656.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Senate Bill No. 5656 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 49; Nays, 0; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Boehnke, Braun, Chapman, Christian, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Dozier, Fortunato, Frame, Gildon, Goehner, Hansen, Harris, Hasegawa, Holy, Kauffman, King, Krishnadasan, Lias, Lovelett, Lovick, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Schoesler, Shewmake, Short, Slatter, Stanford, Torres, Trudeau, Valdez, Wagoner, Warnick, Wellman, Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

SENATE BILL NO. 5656, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5677, by Senators Cortes, Frame, Riccelli, and Schoesler

Concerning associate development organizations.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Cortes, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5677 was substituted for Senate Bill No. 5677 and the substitute bill was placed on the second reading and read the second time.

MOTION

Senator Hasegawa moved that the following striking floor amendment no. 103 by Senator Hasegawa be adopted:

Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the following:

"**Sec. 1.** RCW 43.330.082 and 2014 c 112 s 112 are each amended to read as follows:

(1)((~~a~~)) Contracting associate development organizations must provide the department with measures of their performance and a summary of best practices shared and implemented by the contracting organizations. Annual reports must include the following information to show the contracting organization's impact on employment and overall changes in employment: Current employment and economic information for the

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community or regional area produced by the employment security department; the net change from the previous year's employment and economic information using data produced by the employment security department; other relevant information on the community or regional area; the amount of funds received by the contracting organization through its contract with the department; the amount of funds received by the contracting organization through all sources; demographic information that meet the standards for maintaining, collecting, and presenting federal data on race and ethnicity as described by the office of management and budget, statistical policy directive No. 15 as published on March 29, 2024, that provide common language for uniformity and comparability in the collection and use of race and ethnicity data; and the contracting organization's impact on employment through all funding sources. Annual reports may include the impact of the contracting organization on wages, exports, tax revenue, small business creation, foreign direct investment, business relocations, expansions, terminations, and capital investment. Data must be input into a common web-based business information system managed by the department. Specific measures, data standards, and data definitions must be developed in the contracting process between the department and the contracting organization every two years. ~~((Except as provided in (b) of this subsection, performance))~~ Performance measures should be consistent across regions to allow for statewide evaluation.

~~((b) In addition to the measures required in (a) of this subsection, contracting associate development organizations in counties with a population greater than one million five hundred thousand persons must include the following measures in reports to the department:~~

~~(i) The number of small businesses that received retention and expansion services, and the outcome of those services;~~

~~(ii) The number of businesses located outside of the boundaries of the largest city within the contracting associate development organization's region that received recruitment, retention, and expansion services, and the outcome of those services;))~~

(2)(a) The department and contracting associate development organizations must agree upon specific target levels for the performance measures in subsection (1) of this section. Comparison of agreed thresholds and actual performance must occur annually.

(b) Contracting organizations that fail to achieve the agreed performance targets in more than one-half of the agreed measures must develop remediation plans to address performance gaps. The remediation plans must include revised performance thresholds specifically chosen to provide evidence of progress in making the identified service changes.

(c) Contracts and state funding must be terminated for one year for organizations that fail to achieve the agreed upon progress toward improved performance defined under (b) of this subsection. During the year in which termination for nonperformance is in effect, organizations must review alternative delivery strategies to include reorganization of the contracting organization, merging of previous efforts with existing regional partners, and other specific steps toward improved performance. At the end of the period of termination, the department may contract with the associate development organization or its successor as it deems appropriate.

(3) The department must submit a final report to the appropriate committees of the legislature by December 31st of each even-numbered year on the performance results of the contracts with associate development organizations.

(4) The department and contracting associate development organizations may consult with state ethnic commissions as

defined in RCW 44.28.005 and the governor's office of Indian affairs for technical assistance on complying with the standards for maintaining, collecting, and presenting federal data on race and ethnicity as described by the office of management and budget, statistical policy directive No. 15 as published on March 29, 2024, that provide common language for uniformity and comparability in the collection and use of race and ethnicity data.

Sec. 2. RCW 43.330.086 and 2008 c 131 s 3 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) To the extent that funds are specifically appropriated therefor, contracts with associate development organizations for the provision of services under RCW 43.330.080(1)(b)(i) shall be awarded according to the following annual schedule:

~~((1))~~ (a) For associate development associations serving urban counties, which are counties other than rural counties as defined in RCW 82.14.370, a ~~((locally matched allocation of up to ninety cents per capita,))~~ per county allocation totaling no more than ~~((three hundred thousand dollars))~~ \$500,000 per organization and a matched allocation; and

~~((2))~~ (b) For associate development associations in rural counties, as defined in RCW 82.14.370, a per county base allocation of ~~((up to forty thousand dollars))~~ at least \$85,000 and up to \$150,000 and a ~~((locally))~~ matched allocation ~~((of up to ninety cents per capita)).~~

(2) The matched allocation may be provided through cash, in-kind, or a combination, with the in-kind match limited to 25 percent of the local match."

On page 1, line 1 of the title, after "organizations;" strike the remainder of the title and insert "and amending RCW 43.330.082 and 43.330.086."

Senator Hasegawa spoke in favor of adoption of the striking amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of striking floor amendment no. 103 by Senator Hasegawa to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5677.

The motion by Senator Hasegawa carried and striking floor amendment no. 103 was adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Cortes, the rules were suspended, Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5677 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senators Cortes and Dozier spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5677.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5677 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 46; Nays, 3; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Boehnke, Braun, Chapman, Christian, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Dozier, Fortunato, Frame, Gildon, Goehner, Hansen, Hasegawa, Kauffman, King, Krishnadasan, Lias, Lovelett, Lovick, MacEwen, Muzzall, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Schoesler, Shewmake, Short, Slatter, Stanford, Torres, Trudeau, Valdez, Wagoner, Warnick, Wellman, Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Voting nay: Senators Harris, Holy and McCune

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5677, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5690, by Senators MacEwen, Chapman, Lovelett, and Muzzall

Concerning utility relocation.

MOTION

On motion of Senator MacEwen, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5690 was substituted for Senate Bill No. 5690 and the substitute bill was placed on the second reading and read the second time.

SECOND READING

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5690, by Senate Committee on Transportation (originally sponsored by MacEwen, Chapman, Lovelett, and Muzzall)

Revised for 1st Substitute: Concerning actions of the department of transportation to notify utility owners of projects and seek federal funding for utility relocation costs.

The measure was read the second time.

MOTION

On motion of Senator MacEwen, the rules were suspended, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5690 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senators MacEwen and Ramos spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Substitute Senate Bill No. 5690.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Substitute Senate Bill No. 5690 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 49; Nays, 0; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Boehnke, Braun, Chapman, Christian, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Dozier, Fortunato, Frame, Gildon, Goehner, Hansen, Harris, Hasegawa, Holy, Kauffman, King, Krishnadasan, Liias, Lovelett, Lovick, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Schoesler, Shewmake, Short, Slatter, Stanford, Torres, Trudeau, Valdez, Wagoner, Warnick, Wellman, Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5690, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5361, by Senators Dhingra, Robinson, and Nobles

Delaying the use of the ASAM 4 criteria, treatment criteria for addictive, substance related, and co-occurring conditions.

The measure was read the second time.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Dhingra, the rules were suspended, Senate Bill No. 5361 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senators Dhingra and Muzzall spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

REMARKS BY THE PRESIDENT

President Heck: "Senator Muzzall, today wouldn't have any other significance would it, Senator Muzzall?"

Senator Muzzall: "Um, the Ides of March. I don't know Mr. President. Possibly, possibly 62 years ago I was born to a couple considerably older than I was. In fact, *considerably* older than I was since I was the result of an indiscretion on a 17th wedding anniversary but go-ahead Mr. President."

President Heck: "Two things. Happy Birthday. And, just because you can collect social security doesn't mean you should."

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Senate Bill No. 5361.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Senate Bill No. 5361 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 47; Nays, 2; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Boehnke, Braun, Chapman, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Dozier, Fortunato, Frame, Gildon, Goehner, Hansen, Harris, Hasegawa, Holy, Kauffman, King, Krishnadasan, Liias, Lovelett, Lovick, MacEwen, Muzzall, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Schoesler, Shewmake, Short, Slatter, Stanford, Torres, Trudeau, Valdez, Wagoner, Warnick, Wellman, Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Voting nay: Senators Christian and McCune

SENATE BILL NO. 5361, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5503, by Senators Valdez, Alvarado, Bateman, Conway, Hasegawa, Nobles, and Saldaña

Concerning public employee collective bargaining processes.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Valdez, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5503 was substituted for Senate Bill No. 5503 and the substitute bill was placed on the second reading and read the second time.

MOTION

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Senator King moved that the following floor amendment no. 105 by Senator King be adopted:

On page 3, beginning on line 4, strike all of section 4
 On page 1, line 2 of the title, after "41.56.050;" insert "and"
 On page 1, line 3 of the title, after "41.58 RCW" strike all material through "49.36 RCW"

Senator King spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.
 Senator Valdez spoke against adoption of the amendment.

WITHDRAWAL OF AMENDMENT

On motion of Senator King and without objection, floor amendment no. 105 by Senator King on page 3, line 4 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5503 was withdrawn.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Valdez, the rules were suspended, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5503 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senators Valdez and Saldaña spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

Senator King spoke against passage of the bill.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Substitute Senate Bill No. 5503.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Substitute Senate Bill No. 5503 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 31; Nays, 18; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Chapman, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Frame, Hansen, Hasegawa, Holy, Kauffman, Krishnadasan, Lias, Lovelett, Lovick, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Salomon, Shewmake, Slatter, Stanford, Trudeau, Valdez, Wellman and Wilson, C.

Voting nay: Senators Boehnke, Braun, Christian, Dozier, Fortunato, Gildon, Goehner, Harris, King, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Schoesler, Short, Torres, Wagoner, Warnick and Wilson, J.

SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5503, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5663, by Senators Slatter, Nobles, Frame, Lovick, and Valdez

Establishing a virtual campus for all Washingtonians.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Slatter, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5663 was substituted for Senate Bill No. 5663 and the substitute bill was placed on the second reading and read the second time.

MOTION

Senator Slatter moved that the following striking floor amendment no. 0104 by Senator Slatter be adopted:

Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the following:

"NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. The legislature finds that the community and technical college system is an important conduit to our communities and is a key for the state to meet the 70 percent credential goal and to fill workforce gaps. The state of Washington is in the middle of a workforce and affordability crisis. Flexible, online, affordable options are an essential part of the solution. Allowing colleges to reach students regarding entirely online course offerings outside their district is a first step in creating a virtual campus. A virtual campus, like what California community colleges have created, would provide students affordable options without having to move or find transportation. Students in Washington state should have a single place where they can register for online classes and cross enroll. A virtual campus would help students upskill or reskill and allow for students to have access to online classes needed for their degree when they live out-of-district.

The legislature further finds that Washington state cannot afford to leave talent on the sidelines. Washington state needs skilled workers, and it should not matter where a student lives to receive the right education. Therefore, the legislature intends that, by allowing respective community and technical colleges to reach students out-of-district, a conversation can begin around establishing a virtual campus for all Washingtonians.

"NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. A new section is added to chapter 28B.50 RCW to read as follows:

(1) Community and technical colleges may distribute information on their respective colleges outside of their district when it pertains to entirely online course offerings. Information provided by community and technical colleges may include unsolicited course and enrollment information. In providing this information, community and technical colleges may use, but are not limited to: Digital advertising, email, direct mail, newspaper advertisements, newspaper inserts, and other methods of mass distribution to those outside of a college district.

(2) Community and technical colleges may prioritize and make known to the citizens of its district courses and programs offered exclusively by neighboring districts.

(3) Community and technical colleges may not compete with each other for enrollment."

On page 1, line 2 of the title, after "colleges;" strike the remainder of the title and insert "adding a new section to chapter 28B.50 RCW; and creating a new section."

Senators Slatter and Warnick spoke in favor of adoption of the striking amendment.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of striking floor amendment no. 0104 by Senator Slatter to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5663.

The motion by Senator Slatter carried and striking floor amendment no. 0104 was adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Slatter, the rules were suspended, Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5663 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senators Slatter and Warnick spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5663.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5663 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 48; Nays, 1; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Alvarado, Bateman, Boehnke, Braun, Chapman, Christian, Cleveland, Conway, Cortes, Dhingra, Dozier, Fortunato, Frame, Gildon, Goehner, Hansen, Harris, Hasegawa, Holy, Kauffman, King, Krishnadasan, Lias, Lovelett, Lovick, MacEwen, McCune, Muzzall, Nobles, Orwall, Pedersen, Ramos, Riccelli, Robinson, Saldaña, Schoesler, Shewmake, Short, Slatter, Stanford, Torres, Trudeau, Valdez, Wagoner, Warnick, Wellman, Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Voting nay: Senator Salomon

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having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

Senator Hasegawa announced a meeting of the Democratic Caucus immediately upon adjournment.

Senator Warnick announced a meeting of the Republican Caucus immediately upon adjournment.

MOTION

At 3:20 p.m., on motion of Senator Riccelli, the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a.m. Wednesday, March 5, 2025.

DENNY HECK, President of the Senate

SARAH BANNISTER, Secretary of the Senate

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